

approve, disapprove, or require modification of the proposed DPP. The regulations at 40 CFR 1506.3 contain provisions for a cooperating agency to adopt the environmental impact statement of a lead agency.

**ADDRESSES:** You may obtain single copies of the FEIS from the Regional Director, Minerals Management Service, 949 East 36th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska 99503-4302, Attention: Public Affairs Office. You may request copies by telephone at (907) 271-6070; 1-800-764-2627; or via e-mail at akwebmaster@mms.gov.

**Note:** This FEIS is identical to that listed in the Corps of Engineers FR Notice, Vol. 64, No. 24, February 5, 1999, page 5789.

Copies of the FEIS are also available for inspection in the following public libraries:

Tuzzy Consortium Library, Barrow, Alaska  
 North Slope Borough Office, Barrow, Alaska  
 Barrow City Office, Barrow, Alaska  
 Alaska Eskimo Whaling Commission Office, Barrow, Alaska  
 Nuiqsut City Office, Nuiqsut, Alaska  
 Kaktovik City Office, Kaktovik, Alaska  
 Noel Wien Public Library, 1215 Cowels Street, Fairbanks, Alaska  
 Valdez Consortium Library, 200 Fairbanks Street, Valdez, Alaska  
 Juneau Public Library, 292 Marine Way, Juneau, Alaska  
 U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Office, Elmendorf AFB, Alaska  
 Z.J. Loussac Library, 3600 Denali Street, Anchorage, Alaska  
 Alaska Resources Library and Information Services, 3150 C Street, Suite 100, Anchorage, Alaska  
 Minerals Management Service, Resource Center, Room 330, 949 East 36th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska

Adoption of this FEIS constitutes the MMS Notice on the release and availability of an EIS for MMS's action to approve, disapprove, or require modification of a DPP for the Northstar development project. The MMS will take no action on the DPP for 30 days following the date of this notice. Under 30 CFR 250.204, MMS must approve, disapprove, or require modification of the DPP no later than 60 days after release of the FEIS.

**ACTION:** Availability of the Environmental Assessment (EA) and finding of no significant impact (FONSI) for the State-approved Oil Discharge Prevention and Contingency Plan.

**SUMMARY:** The Alaska OCS Region has also written an EA on the Oil Spill Response Plan for the Northstar Development Project on Beaufort Sea

Leases OCS Y-0179 and -0181. We have reviewed the Northstar Development and Production Plan (DPP), the FEIS, and the Draft and State-approved versions of the Oil Discharge Prevention and Contingency Plans (Response Plans). Our summary finding is based on the analysis and conclusion of the corresponding EA No. AK 99-01. Based on this assessment, we have concluded that the State-approved Response Plan would mitigate the significant oil-spill impacts listed in the FEIS and would not introduce new significant impacts requiring preparation of an EIS. Therefore, approval of the State-approved Response Plan as part of the DPP would not significantly (40 CFR 1508.27) affect the quality of the human environment.

Individual copies of EA No. AK 99-01 and FONSI can be obtained by contacting the Alaska OCS Region at the same address as indicated earlier in this notice, under **ADDRESSES**, for obtaining copies of the FEIS. A copy of EA No. AK 99-01 is available for inspection at the Minerals Management Service, Resource Center, Room 330, 949 East 36th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Mr. Paul Stang, Regional Supervisor, Leasing and Environment Division, Alaska OCS Region, Minerals Management Service, 949 East 36th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska 99508-4363, (907) 271-6045.

Dated: July 1, 1999.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### National Park Service

#### **Notice of Inventory Completion for Native American Human Remains and Associated Funerary Objects from Lincoln County, MT in the Possession of the Human Osteology Repository, Department of Anthropology, University of Wyoming, Laramie, WY**

**AGENCY:** National Park Service

**ACTION:** Notice

Notice is hereby given in accordance with provisions of the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA), 43 CFR 10.9, of the completion of an inventory of human remains and associated funerary objects from Lincoln County, MT in the possession of the Human Osteology Repository, Department of

Anthropology, University of Wyoming, Laramie, WY.

A detailed assessment of the human remains was made by the Human Osteology Repository professional staff in consultation with representatives of the Confederated Salish & Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation.

During the mid-1970s, human remains representing a minimum of six individuals were removed from private lands adjacent to the U.S.-Canadian border on the eastern banks of the Kootenai River, Lincoln County, MT by Mr. and Mrs. Ronald C. Morgan and Donald Morgan. During the mid-to-late 1970s, these human remains were donated by an unknown anthropology student to the Anthropology Department of the University of Wyoming. In 1994 and 1995, these six individuals were confirmed to be in the collections of the Human Osteology Repository. No known individuals were identified. The four associated funerary objects include a small historic glass button with four holes, an historic white glazed ceramic sherd, a soil sample, and a fragment of a white paste ceramic pipe stem.

Based on skeletal morphology and reported burial associations, these individuals have been identified as Native American. Based on the types of associated funerary objects, these burials are estimated to date to the mid to late-19th century. Cultural affiliation is assessed based on the location of the original interments within historically-defined Kootenai territory. The area of original interment is also located within the judicially established Indian Lands Claims area of the Kootenai.

Based on the above mentioned information, officials of the Human Osteology Repository, Department of Anthropology, University of Wyoming have determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (d)(1), the human remains listed above represent the physical remains of six individuals of Native American ancestry. Officials of the Human Osteology Repository, Department of Anthropology, University of Wyoming have also determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (d)(2), the four objects listed above are reasonably believed to have been placed with or near individual human remains at the time of death or later as part of the death rite or ceremony. Lastly, officials of the Human Osteology Repository, Department of Anthropology, University of Wyoming have determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (e), there is a relationship of shared group identity which can be reasonably traced between these Native American human remains and associated funerary objects and the

Confederated Salish & Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation.

This notice has been sent to officials of the Confederated Salish & Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation. Representatives of any other Indian tribe that believes itself to be culturally affiliated with these human remains and associated funerary objects should contact Rick L. Weathermon, NAGPRA Contact, University of Wyoming Department of Anthropology Human Osteology Repository, University of Wyoming, P.O. Box 3431, Laramie, WY 82071-3431; telephone: (307) 766-5136, before August 9, 1999. Repatriation of the human remains and associated funerary objects to the Confederated Salish & Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation may begin after that date if no additional claimants come forward.

Dated: June 29, 1999.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### National Park Service

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#### Availability of Draft Director's Order and Draft Reference Manual Concerning Risk Management/ Occupational Safety and Health Management Activities in the National Park Service

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Department of Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability.

**SUMMARY:** The National Park Service (NPS) is converting and updating its current system of internal instructions. When these documents contain new policy or procedural requirements that may affect parties outside the NPS, this information is being made available for public review and comment. Draft Director's Order #50B contains Risk Management Program requirements, policies and responsibilities, and Draft Reference Manual #50B provides additional detailed guidance to NPS personnel engaged in Risk Management/ Occupational Safety and Health management activities.

**DATES:** Written comments will be accepted through August 1, 1999.

**ADDRESSES:** Draft Director's Order #50B/ Draft Reference Manual #50B are available on the Internet at <http://www.nps.gov/refdesk/DOrders/>

index.htm. Requests for copies and written comments should be sent to Shirley Rowley, National Park Service, Risk Management Program Office, 14795 W. Alameda Parkway, Denver, Colorado 80228.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Shirley Rowley at (303) 969-2197.

Dated: June 24, 1999.

**Richard C. Powell,**

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## INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigations Nos. 701-TA-397-400 (Preliminary) and 731-TA-842-845 (Preliminary)]

### Certain Crude Petroleum Oil Products From Iraq, Mexico, Saudi Arabia, and Venezuela

**AGENCY:** United States International Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** Institution of countervailing duty and antidumping duty investigations and scheduling of preliminary phase investigations.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission hereby gives notice of the institution of investigations and commencement of preliminary phase countervailing duty investigations Nos. 701-TA-397-400 (Preliminary) and antidumping investigations Nos. 731-TA-842-845 (Preliminary) under sections 703(a) and 733(a), respectively, of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1671b(a) and 1673b(a)) (the Act) to determine whether there is a reasonable indication that an industry in the United States is materially injured or threatened with material injury, or the establishment of an industry in the United States is materially retarded, by reason of imports from Iraq, Mexico, Saudi Arabia, and Venezuela of crude petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals above or below 25 degrees A.P.I., as provided for in subheadings 2709.00.10 and 2709.00.20 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that are alleged to be subsidized by the Governments of Iraq, Mexico, Saudi Arabia, and Venezuela and to be sold in the United States at less than fair value. Unless the Department of Commerce extends the time for initiation pursuant to sections 702(c)(1)(B) or 732(c)(1)(B) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1671a(c)(1)(B) or 19 U.S.C. 1673a(c)(1)(B)), the Commission must reach preliminary determinations in these investigations in 45 days, or in

this case by August 13, 1999. The Commission's views are due at the Department of Commerce within five business days thereafter, or by August 20, 1999.

For further information concerning the conduct of these investigations and rules of general application, consult the Commission's rules of practice and procedure, part 201, subparts A through E (19 CFR part 201), and part 207, subparts A and B (19 CFR part 207).

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 29, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Fred Ruggles (202-205-3187), Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20436. Hearing-impaired persons can obtain information on this matter by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202-205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202-205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server (<http://www.usitc.gov>).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Background.*—These investigations are being instituted in response to a petition filed on June 29, 1999, by an incorporated consortium of independent domestic crude petroleum oil producers.

*Participation in the investigations and public service list.*—Persons (other than petitioners) wishing to participate in the investigations as parties must file an entry of appearance with the Secretary to the Commission, as provided in §§ 201.11 and 207.10 of the Commission's rules, not later than seven days after publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. Industrial users and (if the merchandise under investigation is sold at the retail level) representative consumer organizations have the right to appear as parties in these investigations. The Secretary will prepare a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to these investigations upon the expiration of the period for filing entries of appearance.

*Limited disclosure of business proprietary information (BPI) under an administrative protective order (APO) and BPI service list.*—Pursuant to § 207.7(a) of the Commission's rules, the Secretary will make BPI gathered in these investigations available to authorized applicants representing interested parties (as defined in 19 U.S.C. 1677(9)) who are parties to the