

period of 30 days. In addition, the Service has determined that the HCP meets the criteria for a "Low Effect" HCP and has determined that it qualifies for a Categorical Exclusion. This NEPA determination is available for review by interested parties. All comments received, including commentors names and addresses, will become part of the Service's Administrative Record and may be made available to the public.

**DATES:** Written comments on the Habitat Conservation Plan/Incidental Take Permit Application and the Service's NEPA Determination must be received on or before October 4, 1999.

**ADDRESSES:** Persons wishing to review the application and associated documents may obtain copies by writing to the Regional HCP/NEPA Coordinator, Fish and Wildlife Service, 1 Federal Drive, Fort Snelling, Minnesota 55111-4056. Documents will be available for public inspection by appointment only, during normal business hours (8:00-4:30), at the US Fish and Wildlife Service, 1 Federal Drive, Fort Snelling, Minnesota, (612-713-5350) and at the US Fish and Wildlife Service, 620 South Walker Street, Bloomington, Indiana (812-334-4261). Written comments should be submitted to the Regional HCP/NEPA Coordinator at the address listed above or via FAX at 612-713-5292. Please refer to permit number TE 016724 when submitting comments.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:** Ms. Lisa Mandell, Regional HCP/NEPA Coordinator, at (612) 713-5350.

Dated: August 27, 1999.

**Charles M. Wooley,**  
*Assistant Regional Director, Ecological Services, Region 3, Fort Snelling, Minnesota.*  
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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### Notice of Intent To Prepare Environmental Assessments of Environmental Impact Statements for Permit Applications To Incidentally Take the Preble's Meadow Jumping Mouse in Boulder, Douglas, Elbert, El Paso, and Jefferson Counties, Colorado; Correction

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice; correction.

**SUMMARY:** The Fish and Wildlife Service published a document in the **Federal Register** of August 26, 1999; the document contained one incorrect date. In notice document 99-21891 beginning

on page 46703 in the issue of Thursday, August 26, 1999, make the following corrections:

On page 46704, Item number 3 under the Public Participation Section, insert the following date correction: "3. October 5, 1999, 7:00 p.m., Elbert County—County Courthouse, 215 Comanche Street, Kiowa, Colorado 80117."

Dated: August 26, 1999.

**Mary L. Gessner,**  
*Acting Regional Director, Denver, Colorado.*  
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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Indian Affairs

#### Land Acquisitions; Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians of Michigan

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of final agency determination to take land into trust under 25 CFR part 151.

**SUMMARY:** The Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs made a final agency determination to acquire approximately 5 acres, more or less, of land into trust for the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians of Michigan on August 27, 1999. This notice is published in the exercise of authority delegated by the Secretary of the Interior to the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs by 209 DM 8.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nancy J. Pierskalla, Indian Gaming Management Staff Office, Bureau of Indian Affairs, MS 2070-MIB, 1849 C Street, NW, Washington, DC 20240, telephone (202) 219-4066.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice is published to comply with the requirement of 25 CFR 151.12(b) that notice be given to the public of the Secretary's decision to acquire land in trust at least 30 days prior to signatory acceptance of the land into trust. The purpose of the 30-day waiting period in 25 CFR 151.12(b) is to afford interested parties the opportunity to seek judicial review of final administrative decisions to take land in trust for Indian tribes and individual Indians before transfer of title to the property occurs. On August 27, 1999, the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs decided to accept approximately 5 acres, more or less, of land into trust for the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians pursuant to Section 1300k-4(b) and (d) of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians and Little River Band of Ottawa

Indians Act, Public Law 103-324, 25 U.S.C. 1300k—1300k-7(1994). The Secretary shall acquire title in the name of the United States in trust for the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians for the following parcel of land described below no sooner than 30 days after the date of this notice. A parcel of land containing 5 acres, more or less, situated near the City of Petoskey, in Emmet County, Michigan, and is more particularly described as follows:

commencing at the South ¼ corner of Section 7, Township 34 North, Range 5 West; thence North 01°02'30" East 133.03 feet to a T-iron stake which is the Point of Beginning; thence West 425.07 feet to a T-iron stake; thence North 05°08'30" East 120.16 feet to a T-iron stake; thence North 03°06'30" East 408.43 feet to a T-iron stake; thence South 89°54'30" East 401.67 feet to a T-iron stake; thence South 01°02'30" West 526.91 feet to the Point of Beginning; being a part of the Southeast ¼ of the Southwest ¼ of said Section 7 in the Township of Bear Creek, Emmet County, Michigan.

Subject to all easements, restrictions, covenants, reservations, responsibilities and requirements of record.

Dated: August 27, 1999.

**Kevin Gover,**  
*Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.*  
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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Immigration and Naturalization Service

[INS No. 2010-99; AG Order No. 2252-99]

RIN 1115-AE 26

#### Extension of Designation of Montserrat Under Temporary Protected Status Program

**AGENCY:** Immigration and Naturalization Service, Justice.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice extends the Attorney General's designation of Montserrat under the Temporary Protected Status (TPS) program until August 27, 2000. Eligible nationals of Montserrat (or aliens having no nationality who last habitually resided in Montserrat) may re-register for TPS and an extension of employment authorization. Re-registration is limited to persons who registered for the initial period of TPS, which ended on August 27, 1998, or who registered after that date under the late initial registration provision. Persons who are eligible for late initial registration may register for TPS during this extension.

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** The extension of the TPS designation for Montserrat is effective August 28, 1999, and will remain in effect until August 27, 2000. The 30-day re-registration period begins September 2, 1999 and will remain in effect until October 4, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Michael Valverde, Residence and Status Service Branch, Adjudications, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Room 3214, 425 I Street, NW, Washington, DC 20536, telephone (202) 514-4754.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**What Authority Does the Attorney General Have To Extend the Designation of Montserrat Under the TPS Program?**

Section 244(b)(3)(A) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (Act) states that at least 60 days before the end of an extension or a designation, the Attorney General must review conditions in the foreign state for which the designation is in effect. 8 U.S.C. 1254a(b)(3)(A). If the Attorney General

determines that the foreign state continues to meet the conditions for designation, the period of designation is extended, pursuant to section 244(b)(3)(C) of the Act. 8 U.S.C. 1254(b)(3)(C). Through such an extension, TPS is available only to persons who have been continuously physically present and have continuously resided in the United States from the effective date of the initial designation, in this case, since August 28, 1997.

**Why Did the Attorney General Decide To Extend the TPS Designation for Montserrat?**

On August 28, 1997, the Attorney General initially designated Montserrat for TPS for a period of 12 months. 62 FR 45685. Since that date, the Departments of State and Justice have annually reviewed conditions within Montserrat. Based on this year's review, the Attorney General finds that extraordinary and temporary conditions that would prevent aliens who are nationals of Montserrat (and aliens

having no nationality who last resided in Montserrat) from returning to Montserrat in safety persist and that permitting such aliens to remain temporarily in the United States is not contrary to the national interest. 8 U.S.C. 1254a(b)(1)(C).

On the basis of these findings, an extension of the TPS designation for Montserrat is warranted. 8 U.S.C. 1254a(b)(3)(C).

**If I Currently Have TPS How Do I Register for an Extension?**

Persons previously granted TPS under the Montserrat program may apply for an extension by filing a Form I-821, Application for Temporary Protected Status, without the fee, during the re-registration period that begins September 2, 1999 and ends October 4, 1999. Additionally, you must file a Form I-765, Application for Employment Authorization. See the chart below to determine whether you must submit the one-hundred dollar (\$100) filing fee with the Form I-765.

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You are applying for employment authorization through August 27, 2000.	You must complete and file the Form I-765, Application for Employment Authorization, with the one-hundred dollar (\$100) fee.
You already have employment authorization or do not require employment authorization.	You must complete and file the Form I-765, Application for Employment Authorization, with no fee.
You are applying for employment authorization and are requesting a fee waiver.	You must complete and file Form I-765, with a fee waiver request and affidavit (and any other information), in accordance with 8 CFR 244.20.

To re-register for TPS, you also must include two identification photographs (1½"×1½").

**Is Late Registration Possible?**

Yes. In addition to timely re-registration, late initial registration is possible for some persons from Montserrat under 8 CFR 244.2(f)(2). The requirements for late initial registration specify that an applicant for late initial registration must:

- (1) Be a national of Montserrat (or an alien having no nationality who last habitually resided on Montserrat);
- (2) Have been continuously physically present in the United States since August 28, 1997;
- (3) Have continuously resided in the United States since August 22, 1997; and
- (4) be admissible as an immigrant, except as otherwise provided in section 244(c) of the Act, and not ineligible under section 244(c)(2)(B) of the Act. 8 CFR 244.2(f)(2).

Additionally, the applicant must be able to demonstrate that, during the initial registration period from August

28, 1997, through August 27, 1998, he or she:

- (1) Was in valid immigrant or nonimmigrant status, or had been granted voluntary departure status or any relief from removal;
- (2) Had an application for change of status, adjustment of status, asylum, voluntary departure, or any relief from removal pending or subject to further review or appeal;
- (3) Was a parolee or has a pending request for parole; or
- (4) Was the spouse or child of an alien currently eligible to be a TPS registrant. Id.

An applicant for late initial registration must register no later than sixty (60) days from the expiration or termination of the qualifying condition. Id.

**Where Should I File for an Extension of TPS?**

Persons seeking to register for an extension of TPS must submit an application and accompanying materials to the Immigration and Naturalization

Service local office that has jurisdiction over the applicant's place of residence.

**When Can I File for an Extension of TPS?**

The 30-day re-registration period begins September 2, 1999 and will remain in effect until October 4, 1999.

**How Does an Application for TPS Affect My Application for Asylum or Other Immigration Benefits?**

An application for TPS does not preclude or affect an application for asylum or any other immigration benefit. A national of Montserrat (or alien having no nationality who last habitually resided in Montserrat) who is otherwise eligible for TPS and has applied for or plans to apply for asylum, but who has not yet been granted asylum or withholding of removal, may also apply for TPS. Denial of an application for asylum or any other immigration benefit does not affect an applicant's ability to register for TPS, although the grounds of denial may also be grounds of denial for TPS. For example, a person who has been

convicted of an aggravated felony is not eligible for asylum or TPS.

**Does This Extension Allow Nationals of Montserrat (or Aliens Having No Nationality Who Last Habitually Resided in Montserrat) Who Entered the United States After August 28, 1997, To File for TPS?**

No. This is a notice of an extension of the TPS designation for Montserrat. It is not a notice of redesignation of Montserrat under the TPS program. An extension of TPS does not change the required dates of continuous physical presence and residence in the United States, and does not expand the TPS program to include nationals of Montserrat (or aliens having no nationality who last habitually resided in Montserrat) who arrived in the United States after the date of the initial designation, in this case, August 28, 1997.

**Notice of Extension of Designation of Montserrat Under the TPS Program**

By the authority vested in me as Attorney General under sections 244(b)(3)(A) and (C) of the Act, I have consulted with the appropriate agencies of the Government concerning whether the conditions under which Montserrat was initially designated for TPS continue to exist. As a result, I determine that the conditions for the initial designation of TPS for Montserrat continue to be met. 8 U.S.C. 1254a(b)(3)(A), (C). Accordingly, I order as follows:

(1) The designation of Montserrat under section 244(b) of the Act is extended for an additional 12-month period from August 28, 1999, until August 27, 2000. 8 U.S.C. 1254a(b)(3)(C).

(2) I estimate that there are approximately 300 nationals of Montserrat (or aliens having no nationality who last habitually resided in Montserrat) who have been granted TPS and who are eligible for re-registration.

(3) In order to be eligible for TPS during the period from August 28, 1999, through August 27, 2000, a national of Montserrat (or alien having no nationality who last habitually resided in Montserrat) who received a grant of TPS during the initial period of designation from August 28, 1997, until August 27, 1998, must re-register for TPS by filing a new Application for Temporary Protected Status, Form I-821, along with an Application for Employment Authorization, Form I-765, within the 30-day period beginning September 2, 1999 and ending on

October 4, 1999. Late re-registration will be allowed pursuant to 8 CFR 244.17(c).

(4) Pursuant to section 244(b)(3)(A) of the Act, the Attorney General will review, at least 60 days before August 27, 2000, the designation of Montserrat under the TPS program to determine whether the conditions for designation continue to be met. 8 U.S.C. 1254a(b)(3)(A). Notice of that determination, including the reasons underlying it, will be published in the **Federal Register**.

(5) Information concerning the TPS program for nationals of Montserrat (or aliens having no nationality who last habitually resided in Montserrat) will be available at local Service offices upon publication of this notice.

Dated: August 26, 1999.

**Janet Reno,**

*Attorney General.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**Office of the Secretary**

**Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

August 27, 1999.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has submitted the following public information collection requests (ICRs) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). A copy of each individual ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Department of Labor, Departmental Clearance Officer, Ira Mills (202) 219-5096 ext. 143) or by E-Mail to Mills-Ira@dol.gov.

Comments should be sent to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for BLS, DM, ESA, ETA, MSHA, OSHA, PWBA, or VETS, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503 (202) 395-7316, within 30 days from the date of this publication in the **Federal Register**.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information,

including the validity of the methodology, and assumptions used;

- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses.

*Agency:* Employment Standards Administration.

*Title:* Housing Terms and Conditions.

*OMB Number:* 1215-0146.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Affected Public:* Farms; Individuals or households; business or other for-profit.

*Number of Respondents:* 1,300.

*Estimated Time Per Respondent:* 30 minutes.

*Total Burden Hours:* 650.

*Total Annualized capital/startup costs:* \$0.

*Total annual costs (operating/maintaining systems or purchasing services):* \$0.

*Description:* The Migrant and Seasonal Agricultural Worker Protection Act requires any farm labor contractor, agricultural employer, or agricultural association providing housing to post or present, in writing form, to each migrant agricultural worker the terms and conditions, if any, of occupancy.

**Ira L. Mills,**

*Departmental Clearance Officer.*

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