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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Extension of Currently Approved Information Collection for Wilderness Administration

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of intent; request for comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Forest Service announces its intent to request an extension of a currently approved information collection, under OMB Number 0596-0019, for the agency's wilderness management program. Respondents are National Forest System visitors, who are asked to describe their intended use of the land and estimated duration of use. The data is collected through direct visitor contact by agency personnel during issuance of Visitor Permit Form FS-2300-30 and at unstaffed locations, such as trailheads, by visitors completing Visitor Registration Form FS-2300-32. The information is used by the agency to ensure that use of lands managed by the Forest Service is in the public interest and is compatible with the mission of the agency. Data gathered in this information collection is not available from other sources.

DATES: Comments must be received in writing on or before June 24, 1996.

ADDRESSES: All comments should be addressed to: Director, Recreation, Heritage & Wilderness Resources (2320), Forest Service, USDA, P.O. Box 96090, Washington, D.C. 20090-6090.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gerald Stokes, Recreation Heritage and Wilderness Resources Staff, (202) 205-0925.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Description of Information Collection

The following describes the information collection to be extended:

Title: Wilderness Administration.

OMB Number: 0596-0019.

Expiration Date of Approval: July 31, 1996.

Type of Request: Extension of a previously approved information collection.

Estimate of Burden: The information requirements for visitors during the application for a visitor permit or for registration to use National Forest System lands varies according to the intended use and expected duration of the use. Two forms have been established to collect the information. The estimated average for each specific form is as follows:

Form FS-2300-30—Visitor Permit: .10 hours.

Form FS-2300-32—Visitor Registration: .05 hour.

Type of Respondents: Individuals and groups requesting use of National Forest System lands.

Estimated Number of Respondents:

Form FS-2300-30: 75,000 respondents.

Form FS-2300-32: 210,000 respondents.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 1.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents:

Form FS-2300-30: 7,500 hours.

Form FS-2300-32: 10,500 hours.

The agency invites comments on the following: (a) 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; (b) 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; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including the use of automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Use of Comments

All comments received in response to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: April 18, 1996.

Sterling J. Wilcox,

Acting Deputy Chief, National Forest System.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Export Trade Certificate of Review

AGENCY: International Trade Administration, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Initiation of Process to Revoke Export Trade Certificate of Review No. 94-00005.

SUMMARY: The Secretary of Commerce issued an export trade certificate of review to William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange). Because this certificate holder has failed to file an annual report as required by law, the Department is initiating proceedings to revoke the certificate. This notice summarizes the notification letter sent to William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: W. Dawn Busby, Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs, International Trade Administration, (202) 482-5131. This is not a toll-free number.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Title III of the Export Trading Company Act of 1982 ("the Act") [15 U.S.C. 4011-21] authorizes the Secretary of Commerce to issue export trade certificates of review. The regulations implementing Title III ["the Regulations"] are found at 15 CFR part 325. Pursuant to this authority, a certificate of review was issued on November 10, 1994 to William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange).

A certificate holder is required by law (Section 308 of the Act, 15 U.S.C. 4018) to submit to the Department of Commerce annual reports that update financial and other information relating to business activities covered by its certificate. The annual report is due within 45 days after the anniversary date of the issuance of the certificate of review [Sections 325.14 (a) and (b) of the Regulations]. Failure to submit a complete annual report may be the basis for revocation. [Sections 325.10(a) and 325.14(c) of the Regulations].

The Department of Commerce sent to William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export

Exchange) on October 31, 1995, a letter containing annual report questions with a reminder that its annual report was due on December 25, 1995. Additional reminders were sent on February 9, 1996, and on March 4, 1996. The Department has received no written response to any of these letters.

On April 18, 1996, and in accordance with Section 325.10 (c)[1] of the Regulations, a letter was sent by certified mail to notify William E. Elliott (d/b/a Export Exchange) that the Department was formally initiating the process to revoke its certificate. The letter stated that this action is being taken because of the certificate holder's failure to file an annual report.

In accordance with Section 325.10(c)(2) of the Regulations, each certificate holder has thirty days from the day after its receipt of the notification letter in which to respond. The certificate holder is deemed to have received this letter as of the date on which this notice is published in the Federal Register. For good cause shown, the Department of Commerce can, at its discretion, grant a thirty-day extension for a response.

If the certificate holder decides to respond, it must specifically address the Department's statement in the notification letter that it has failed to file an annual report. It should state in detail why the facts, conduct, or circumstances described in the notification letter are not true, or if they are, why they do not warrant revoking the certificate. If the certificate holder does not respond within the specified period, it will be considered an admission of the statements contained in the notification letter (Section 325.10(c)[2] of the Regulations).

If the answer demonstrates that the material facts are in dispute, the Department of Commerce and the Department of Justice shall, upon request, meet informally with the certificate holder. Either Department may require the certificate holder to provide the documents or information that are necessary to support its contentions (Section 325.10(c)[3] of the Regulations).

The Department shall publish a notice in the Federal Register of the revocation or modification or a decision not to revoke or modify (Section 325.10(c)[4] of the Regulations). If there is a determination to revoke a certificate, any person aggrieved by such final decision may appeal to an appropriate U.S. district court within 30 days from the date on which the Department's final determination is published in the Federal Register (Sections 325.10(c)(4) and 325.11 of the Regulations).

Dated: April 18, 1996.

W. Dawn Busby,

Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs.

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Antidumping Duties; Countervailing Duties

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Extension of deadline to file public comments on proposed antidumping and countervailing duty regulations and announcement of public hearing.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) is extending the deadline to file public comments on the proposed antidumping and countervailing duties regulations containing changes resulting from the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (the URAA). The deadline for filing comments on the proposed regulations is now May 15, 1996. A public hearing will be held on June 7, 1996.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION: On February 27, 1996, the Department published proposed antidumping and countervailing duty regulations (61 FR 7308). We requested written comments from the public, to be submitted by April 29, 1996. We have now extended the deadline for filing written comments to May 15, 1996.

PROPOSED REGULATIONS: The proposed regulations are available on the Internet at the following address:

HTTP://WWW.ITA.DOC.GOV/
IMPORT_ADMIN/RECORDS/

In addition, the proposed regulations are available to the public on 3.5" diskettes, with specific instructions for accessing compressed data, at cost, and paper copies available for reading and photocopying in Room B-099 of the Central Records Unit. Any questions concerning file formatting, document conversion, access on Internet, or other file requirements should be addressed to Andrew Lee Beller, Director of Central Records, (202) 482-1248.

FORMAT AND NUMBER OF COPIES: To simplify the processing and distribution of the public comments pertaining to the Department's proposed regulations, parties are encouraged to submit documents in electronic form accompanied by an original and three paper copies. All documents filed in electronic form must be on DOS formatted 3.5" diskettes, and must be prepared in either WordPerfect format

or a format that the WordPerfect program can convert and import into WordPerfect. If possible, the Department would appreciate the documents being filed in either ASCII format or WordPerfect 5.1, and containing generic codes. The Department would also appreciate the use of descriptive file names.

HEARING: A public hearing on the proposed regulations will be held at 10:00 on June 7, 1996, in Room 4830 of the Herbert C. Hoover Building at Pennsylvania Avenue and 14th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. In order to participate in the hearing, parties must submit a written request to the Department no later than May 17, 1996. Written requests should detail the topics parties wish to discuss at the hearing. The Department will accommodate as many requesting parties as time permits.

ADDRESSES: Address written comments and requests to participate in the public hearing to Susan G. Esserman, Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, Central Records Unit, Room B-099, U.S. Department of Commerce, Pennsylvania Avenue and 14th Street NW., Washington, D.C. 20230. Comments on the proposed regulations should be addressed: Attention: Proposed Regulations Comments. Each person submitting a comment should include his or her name, address, and give reasons for any recommendation. Requests to participate in the hearing should be addressed: Attention: Request to participate in hearing on proposed regulations. Each person submitting a request should include his or her name, address, and phone number.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Penelope Naas at (202) 482-3534.

Dated: April 18, 1996.

Susan G. Esserman,

Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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COMMISSION ON IMMIGRATION REFORM

Public Hearing in Houston, Texas

AGENCY: U.S. Commission on Immigration Reform.

ACTION: Announcement of Commission public hearing.

This notice announces a public hearing to be held by the U.S. Commission on Immigration Reform in Houston, Texas on May 2, 1996. The Commission, created by Section 141 of the Immigration Act of 1990, is