SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department is submitting the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

This Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

Title of Proposal: Compliance Inspection Report and Mortgagee's Assurance of Completion.

OMB Control Number, if applicable: 2502–0189.

Description of the need for the information and proposed use: This is a request for extension of a currently approved collection. Form HUD-92051, Compliance Inspection Report, is the document on which the property inspector or appraiser prepares his or her findings. The form provides categories for the inspector or appraiser to report the status of repair requirements on proposed construction cases. This report becomes a part of the case file and a copy is provided to the lender. Form HUD-92300, Mortgagee's Assurance of Completion, is completed by the mortgagee and assures HUD that the items set forth in the inspection report will be completed by the required date stated.

Agency form numbers, if applicable: HUD-92051 and HUD-92300.

Estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response: The number of burden hours is 154,667. The number of respondents is 37,440, the number of responses is 623,060, the frequency of response is on occasion, and the burden hour per response varies from 6 to 15 minutes.

Status of the proposed information collection: This is an extension of a currently approved collection.

**Authority:** The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C., Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: September 26, 2007.

#### Frank L. Davis.

General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Housing-Deputy Federal Housing Commissioner.

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## **DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

#### Fish and Wildlife Service

# **Receipt of Applications for Permit**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of receipt of applications for permit.

**SUMMARY:** The public is invited to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with endangered species.

**DATES:** Written data, comments or requests must be received by November 5, 2007.

ADDRESSES: Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice to: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203; fax 703/358–2281.

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Division of Management Authority, telephone 703/358–2104.

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

# **Endangered Species**

The public is invited to comment on the following applications for a permit to conduct certain activities with endangered species. This notice is provided pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*). Written data, comments, or requests for copies of these complete applications should be submitted to the Director (ADDRESSES above).

Applicant: Roberto Garza Delgado, Houston, TX, PRT–163044.

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa,

for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

Applicant: Dirk Arthur dba Stage Magic Inc, Las Vegas, NV, PRT-152105, 152106, 152108, 152110, 152111, 152112, 160974, 162725, and 162714.

The applicant requests the issuance of permits for the re-export and re-import of five captive-born tigers (Panthera tigris), and the export and re-import of three captive born Bengal tigers (Panthera tigris tigris) and one captiveborn leopard (Panthera pardus), to and from worldwide locations for the purpose of enhancement of the species through conservation education. The permit numbers and animals are as follows: Tigers (the following were previously issued under permit 704301: 152105, Snow Magic; 152106, Bianca; 152108, Shabba; 152110, Sabrina; 152111, T.J.); Bengal tigers (160974, Kellar; 162714, Thurston; 162725, Ivory); and leopard (152112, Zorro). This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a threeyear period and the import of any potential progeny born while overseas. Applicant: Feld Entertainment, Inc., Vienna, VA, PRT–149514.

The applicant requests the issuance of permits for the import and re-export of 12 captive-born tigers (*Panthera tigris*), from and to Germany for the purpose of

enhancement of the species through conservation education. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a threeyear period and re-export of any potential progeny born within the United States.

Dated: September 7, 2007.

#### Lisa J. Lierheimer,

Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits, Division of Management Authority. [FR Doc. E7–19597 Filed 10–3–07; 8:45 am]

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

# Fish and Wildlife Service

# **Receipt of Applications for Permit**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of receipt of applications for permit.

**SUMMARY:** The public is invited to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with endangered species.

**DATES:** Written data, comments or requests must be received by November 5, 2007.

ADDRESSES: Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice to: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203; fax 703/358–2281.

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Division of Management Authority, telephone 703/358–2104.

# SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

# **Endangered Species**

The public is invited to comment on the following applications for a permit to conduct certain activities with endangered species. This notice is provided pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.). Written data, comments, or requests for copies of these complete applications should be submitted to the Director (ADDRESSES above).

Applicant: Stephen Barnes, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL, PRT–162128.

The applicant requests a permit to import biological samples from cheetah (*Acinonyx jubatus*) from the Wellington Zoo, Wellington, New Zealand for the purpose of enhancement of the species through scientific research. This notification covers activities conducted by the applicant for a five-year period.

*Applicant:* James E. Smith, Lakeland, FL, PRT–160847.

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

*Applicant:* Mark E. Hopmann, League City, TX, PRT–161817.

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

Dated: August 31, 2007.

# Michael L. Carpenter,

Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits, Division of Management Authority. [FR Doc. E7–19598 Filed 10–3–07; 8:45 am]

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# **DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

# Fish and Wildlife Service

# **Endangered and Threatened Species Permit Applications**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of receipt of applications.

**SUMMARY:** The following applicants have applied for scientific research permits to conduct certain activities with endangered species pursuant to section 10(a)(1)(A) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended.

**DATES:** To ensure consideration, written comments must be received on or before November 5, 2007.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be submitted to the Chief, Endangered Species Division, Ecological Services, P.O. Box 1306, Room 4102, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103. Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act. Documents will be available for public inspection, by appointment only, during normal business hours at the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 500 Gold Ave., SW Room 4102, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Please refer to the respective permit number for each application when submitting comments.

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Chief, Endangered Species Division, P.O. Box 1306, Room 4102, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103, (505) 248–6920.

# SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

# **Public Availability of Comments**

Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

## Permit TE-153351

Applicant: WASS Gerke & Associates, Scottsdale, Arizona.

Applicant requests a permit for research and recovery purposes to conduct presence/absence surveys for the Southwestern willow flycatcher (*Empidonax traillii extimus*) and the Yuma clapper rail (*Rallus longirostris yumanensis*) within Arizona.

#### Permit TE-161542

Applicant: Arizona Public Service (APS)—Four Corners Power Plant, Fruitland, New Mexico.

Applicant requests a permit for research and recovery purposes to conduct presence/absence surveys for the Southwestern willow flycatcher (*Empidonax traillii extimus*) and the Yuma clapper rail (*Rallus longirostris yumanensis*) within Arizona.

#### Permit TE-776123

Applicant: Texas A & M University at Galveston, Galveston, Texas.

Applicant requests a permit for research and recovery purposes to conduct research, surveys, and retrieval of stranded leatherback sea turtles (*Dermochelys coriacea*) within coastal Texas.

# Permit No. TE-161391

Applicant: Edwards, Shannon, San Antonio, Texas.

Applicant requests a new permit to conduct presence/absence surveys for the golden-cheeked warbler (*Dendroica chryoparia*) and black capped-vireo (*Vireo atricapilla*) for research and recovery purposes in central and west central Texas.

# Permit No. TE-819477

Applicant: John Taschek, Taschek Environmental Consulting, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Applicant requests an amendment to an existing permit to add presence/ absence surveys for black-footed ferret (Mustela nigripes), interior least tern (Sterna antillarum), northern aplomado falcon (Falco femoralis septentrionalis), Colorado pikeminnow (Ptychocheilus lucius), Gila chub (Gila intermedia), Gila topminnow (Poeciliopsis occidentalis), razorback sucker (Xvrauchen texanus), and Rio Grande silvery minnow (Hybognathus amarus); presence/absence surveys and collection of Holy Ghost ipomopsis (Ipomopsis sanctispiritus), Knowlton cactus (Pediocactus knowltonii), Kuenzler hedgehog cactus (Echinocereus fendleri var. kuenzleri), Mancos milk-vetch (Astragalus humillimus), Sacramento prickly poppy (Argemone pleiacantha ssp. pinnatisecta), Sneed pincushion cactus (Corvphantha sneedii var. sneedii), and Todsen's pennyroyal (Hedeoma todsenii); and capture and handling of Mexican spotted owl (Strix occidentalis lucida) within Arizona and New Mexico.

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.