

(*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.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Renewal of Approved Information Collection

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: 60-Day notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) invites public comments on, and plans to request approval to continue, the collection of information that enables the BLM to monitor compliance with timber export restrictions. The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has assigned control number 1004-0058 to this information collection.

DATES: Please submit comments on the proposed information collection by December 17, 2012.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted by mail, fax, or electronic mail.

Mail: U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, 1849 C Street NW., Room 2134LM, Attention: Jean Sonneman, Washington, DC 20240.

Fax: to Jean Sonneman at 202-245-0050.

Electronic mail: Jean_Sonneman@blm.gov.

Please indicate "Attn: 1004-0058" regardless of the form of your comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mike Bechdolt, at 202-912-7234. Persons who use a telecommunication device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339, to leave a message for Mr. Bechdolt.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: OMB regulations at 5 CFR 1320, which implement provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act, 44 U.S.C. 3501-3521, require that interested members of the public and affected agencies be given an opportunity to comment on information collection and recordkeeping activities (see 5 CFR 1320.8(d) and 1320.12(a)). This notice identifies an information collection that the BLM plans to submit to OMB for approval. The Paperwork Reduction Act provides that an agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. Until OMB approves a collection of information, you are not obligated to respond.

The BLM will request a 3-year term of approval for this information collection activity. Comments are invited on: (1) The need for the collection of information for the performance of the functions of the agency; (2) The accuracy of the agency's burden estimates; (3) Ways to enhance the

quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and (4) Ways to minimize the information collection burden on respondents, such as use of automated means of collection of the information. A summary of the public comments will accompany our submission of the information collection requests to OMB.

Before including your address, phone number, email 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.

The following information is provided for the information collection:

Title: Timber Export Reporting and Substitution Determination (43 CFR part 5420).

OMB Control Number: 1004-0058.

Abstract: This collection of information collection pertains to compliance of Federal timber purchases with timber export restrictions.

Forms:

- Form 5450-17, Export Determination; and
- Form 5460-17, Substitution Determination.

Frequency of Collection: On occasion.

Description of Respondents: Purchasers of Federal timber.

Estimated Annual Responses: 2.

Estimated Annual Burden Hours: 2.

The following table details the individual components and respective hour burdens of this information collection request:

| Type of response | Number of responses | Hours per response | Total hours (Column B × Column C) |
|---|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| A | B | C | D |
| Form 5450-17 Export Determination | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Form 5460-17 Substitution Determination | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Totals | 2 | | 2 |

Jean Sonneman,

Information Collection Clearance Officer, Bureau of Land Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management**

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Notice of Intent To Amend the Cascade Resource Management Plan (RMP) and the Kuna and Bruneau Management Framework Plans (MFP) for the Bruneau, Four Rivers Field Offices in Idaho and the Associated Environmental Assessment

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Intent.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 as amended (NEPA), and the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 as amended, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Boise District Office, Boise, Idaho, intends to prepare Resource Management Plan (RMP) and Management Framework Plan (MFP) amendments with an associated Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Bruneau and Four Rivers Field Offices and by this notice announcing the beginning of the scoping process to solicit public comments and identify issues. The amendments would clarify the subset of lands, designated as eligible or potentially eligible for disposal, that meet FLPMA's Section 203 sale criteria. The BLM Boise District Office will also analyze approximately 1,600 acres of public land, currently identified as Category I (retention), for reclassification as suitable for sale under FLPMA Section 203, exchange or Recreation and Public Purpose patent. This reclassification could result in a net benefit to BLM programs and aid in blocking up State and Federal management units. The BLM will apply Section 203 criteria to determine whether the parcels will be considered eligible for disposal through sale or through exchange or Recreation and Public Purposes (R&PP) Act conveyance or leases.

DATES: This notice initiates the public scoping process for the RMP and MFP amendments with associated EA. Comments on issues may be submitted in writing until November 19, 2012. In order to be included in the analysis, all comments must be received prior to the close of the 30-day scoping period or 30 days after the last public meeting, whichever is later. We will provide additional opportunities for public participation as appropriate.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments on issues and planning criteria related

to the Cascade RMP (1988), Bruneau MFP (1983), and Kuna MFP (1983) proposed amendments and associated EA by any of the following methods:

- *Web site:* <http://www.blm.gov/id/st/en/info/nepa.html>.
- *Email:* kmoore@blm.gov.
- *Fax:* (208) 384-3326.
- *Mail:* BLM Boise District Office,

Attn: Kelley Moore, 3948 Development Ave., Boise, ID 83705.

Documents pertinent to this proposal may be examined at the BLM's Boise District Office at 3894 Development Ave, Boise, ID 38705.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: and/or to have your name added to our mailing list, contact Kelley Moore, Realty Specialist, telephone: 208-384-3339; address: 3894 Development Ave, Boise, ID 38705; email: kmoore@blm.gov. Persons who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 to contact the above individual during normal business hours (8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.). The FIRS is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, to leave a message or question with the above individual. You will receive a reply during normal business hours.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This document provides notice that the BLM, Boise District Office, Boise, Idaho, intends to prepare RMP and MFP amendments with an associated EA to analyze proposed amendments to the 1983 Bruneau MFP, the 1983 Kuna MFP, and the 1988 Cascade RMP, announces the beginning of the scoping process, and seeks public input on issues and planning criteria. The planning areas are located in Ada, Adams, Boise, Canyon, Elmore, Gem, Valley, and Washington counties in Idaho and encompasses approximately 780,000 acres of public land. The purpose of the public scoping process is to determine relevant issues that will influence the scope of the environmental analysis, including alternatives, and guide the planning process.

Preliminary issues for the plan amendment areas have been identified by BLM personnel; Federal, State, and local agencies; and other stakeholders. The issues include:

(1) Identify lands currently designated as eligible or potentially eligible for disposal, that also meet FLPMA Section 203 sale criteria (43 U.S.C. 1713(a)). The land disposal classifications within each of the above land use plans fail to identify parcels of public land that have been evaluated for disposal by sale

under FLPMA Section 203. The quoted language from each of the plans would be clarified in these amendments so that public lands currently designated as "potentially eligible" for disposal are designated as either eligible through sale or not. The proposed amendments would not change the BLM's ability to dispose of those lands through exchange, R&PP Act leases or other means of conveyance, or to retain them; and

(2) Analyze the reclassification to "available for disposal," approximately 1,600 acres presently classified for "retention" in the Kuna MFP. Preliminary planning criteria are FLPMA's Section 203 sale criteria for the clarification parcels and BLM's planning handbook (H-1601-1) for the reclassification parcels. The clarification and reclassification would not have any on-the-ground impacts so no other preliminary planning criteria are being considered.

Disposal of BLM parcels considered suitable for conveyance by sale or other accepted methods may lead to economic benefits to the local community, while blocking up Federal and State management units in the area. Pursuant to Section 1505 of the Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009, Public Law 111-11, the proceeds from the sale of eligible parcels could allow BLM to acquire lands that are of higher social, cultural or environmental value, and/or could be more efficiently and economically managed. Any determination of the suitability of identified BLM parcels for disposal, however, would not remove the BLM's obligation to carry out a detailed environmental analysis prior to any proposed sale, exchange, issuance of an R&PP Act lease, or conveyance through any other means. Nor would it change BLM's authority to retain those lands under Federal management.

The public is invited to provide scoping comments on the above mentioned issues, as well as other issues that should be addressed in the preparation of the plan amendments. You may submit comments on issues and planning criteria in writing to the BLM at any public scoping meeting, or you may submit them to the BLM using one of the methods listed in the **ADDRESSES** section above. To be most helpful, you should submit comments by the close of the 30-day scoping period or within 30 days after the last public meeting, whichever is later.