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Millicent Brown Wilson,

Records Management Branch Chief, Office of the Chief Administrative Officer, Mission Support, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

[Docket No. CISA–2023–0023]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Foundational Cybersecurity Assessment

AGENCY: Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA), Department of Homeland Security (DHS).

ACTION: 60-Day notice of information collection; request for comment; new collection (request for a new OMB Control Number 1670–NEW).

SUMMARY: CISA Cybersecurity Division (CSD) submits the following information for a new collection request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance.

DATES: Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until February 2, 2024. Submissions received after the deadline for receiving comments may not be considered.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by docket number CISA–2023–0023, by the following the instructions below for submitting comments via the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov>.

Instructions: All comments received must include the words “Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency” and docket number CISA–2023–0023 for this notice. All comments received will be posted without change to <http://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided. Comments submitted in response to this notice may be made available to the public through relevant websites. For this reason, please do not include in your comments information of a confidential nature, such as sensitive personal information or proprietary information. Please note that responses

to this public comment request containing any routine notice about the confidentiality of the communication will be treated as public comments that may be made available to the public notwithstanding the inclusion of the routine notice.

Docket: For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received, go to <http://www.regulations.gov>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the Foundational Cybersecurity Assessment is to guide State, Local, Territorial, and Tribal (SLTT) entities through the first 12–18 months of their cybersecurity plan development. The assessment contains 32 questions that are aligned to the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) Cybersecurity Framework and the Center for internet Security (CIS) CIS Critical Security Controls. Although not directly related, at least 20 of the questions on the Nationwide Cybersecurity Review (NCSR) will be covered by responses to the Foundational Cybersecurity Assessment, allowing it to serve as an excellent “assessment on-ramp” for entities who have not yet been able to tackle and complete the NCSR. The entity participating in the Foundational Cybersecurity Assessment is positioned to take the NCSR and continue their security maturity journey year-over-year following participation in the Foundational Cybersecurity Assessment. CISA is authorized to receive and analyze cyber threat indicators, defensive measures, cybersecurity risks, and incidents, and to use this information to make recommendations to federal and non-federal entities regarding protective and support measures to reduce cyber risk. See 6 U.S.C. 659(c)(1),(9); 652(e)(1)(C). The Foundational Assessment implements these authorities with respect to CISA’s analysis of and support to SLTT entities. This is a NEW information collection. OMB is particularly interested in comments that:

1. 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.

2. 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.

3. Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

4. 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.

Analysis

Agency: Department of Homeland Security, Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency.

Title of Collection: Foundational Cybersecurity Assessment.

OMB Control Number: 1670–NEW.

Frequency: Annually.

Affected Public: State, Local, Tribal, and Territorial entities.

Number of Respondents for Foundational Assessment: 100.

Estimated Time per Respondent Respondents for Foundational Assessment: 1 hour.

Total Burden Hours: 100.

Annualized Respondent Cost: \$7,541.

Total Annualized Respondent Out-of-Pocket Cost: \$0.

Total Annualized Government Cost: \$182,459.

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Chief Information Officer, Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, Department of Homeland Security.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

[Docket No. FWS–HQ–IA–2023–0225; FXIA1671090000–234–FF09A30000]

Foreign Endangered Species; Receipt of Permit Applications

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of permit applications; request for comments.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, invite the public to comment on applications to conduct certain activities with foreign species that are listed as endangered under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). With some exceptions, the ESA prohibits activities with listed species unless Federal authorization is issued that allows such activities. The ESA also requires that we invite public comment before issuing permits for any activity

otherwise prohibited by the ESA with respect to any endangered species.

DATES: We must receive comments by January 3, 2024.

ADDRESSES:

Obtaining Documents: The applications, supporting materials, and any comments and other materials that we receive will be available for public inspection at <https://www.regulations.gov> in Docket No. FWS-HQ-IA-2023-0225.

Submitting Comments: When submitting comments, please specify the name of the applicant and the permit number at the beginning of your comment. You may submit comments by one of the following methods:

- *Internet:* <https://www.regulations.gov>. Search for and submit comments on Docket No. FWS-HQ-IA-2023-0225.
- *U.S. Mail:* Public Comments Processing, Attn: Docket No. FWS-HQ-IA-2023-0225; U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Headquarters, MS: PRB/3W; 5275 Leesburg Pike; Falls Church, VA 22041-3803.

For more information, see Public Comment Procedures under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.**

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Timothy MacDonald, by phone at 703-358-2185 or via email at DMAFR@fws.gov. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point-of-contact in the United States.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Public Comment Procedures

A. How do I comment on submitted applications?

We invite the public and local, State, Tribal, and Federal agencies to comment on these applications. Before issuing any of the requested permits, we will take into consideration any information that we receive during the public comment period.

You may submit your comments and materials by one of the methods in **ADDRESSES.** We will not consider comments sent by email or to an address not in **ADDRESSES.** We will not consider or include in our administrative record comments we receive after the close of the comment period (see **DATES**).

When submitting comments, please specify the name of the applicant and the permit number at the beginning of

your comment. Provide sufficient information to allow us to authenticate any scientific or commercial data you include. The comments and recommendations that will be most useful and likely to influence agency decisions are: (1) Those supported by quantitative information or studies; and (2) those that include citations to, and analyses of, the applicable laws and regulations.

B. May I review comments submitted by others?

You may view and comment on others' public comments at <https://www.regulations.gov> unless our allowing so would violate the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a) or Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552).

C. Who will see my comments?

If you submit a comment at <https://www.regulations.gov>, your entire comment, including any personal identifying information, will be posted on the website. If you submit a hardcopy comment that includes personal identifying information, such as your address, phone number, or email address, you may request at the top of your document that we withhold this information from public review. However, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so. Moreover, all submissions from organizations or businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives or officials of organizations or businesses, will be made available for public disclosure in their entirety.

II. Background

To help us carry out our conservation responsibilities for affected species, and in consideration of section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (ESA; 16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), we invite public comments on permit applications before final action is taken. With some exceptions, the ESA prohibits certain activities with listed species unless Federal authorization is issued that allows such activities. Permits issued under section 10(a)(1)(A) of the ESA allow otherwise prohibited activities for scientific purposes or to enhance the propagation or survival of the affected species. Service regulations regarding prohibited activities with endangered species, captive-bred wildlife registrations, and permits for any activity otherwise prohibited by the ESA with respect to any endangered species are available in title 50 of the Code of Federal Regulations in part 17.

III. Permit Applications

We invite comments on the following applications.

Applicant: Gulf Breeze Zoo, Gulf Breeze, FL; Permit No. PER5267819

The applicant requests authorization to import six captive-born golden-headed lion tamarins (*Leontopithecus chrysomelas*) from the Nature Resource Network s.r.o. in the Czech Republic, for the purpose of enhancing the propagation or survival of the species. This notification is for a single import.

Applicant: Columbus Zoo and Aquarium, Powell, OH; Permit No. PER5300236

The applicant requests authorization to import a captive-born Asian elephant (*Elephas maximus*) from the African Lion Safari in Ontario, Canada, for the purpose of enhancing the propagation or survival of the species. This notification is for a single import.

IV. Next Steps

After the comment period closes, we will make decisions regarding permit issuance. If we issue permits to any of the applicants listed in this notice, we will publish a notice in the **Federal Register**. You may locate the notice announcing the permit issuance by searching <https://www.regulations.gov> for the permit number listed above in this document. For example, to find information about the potential issuance of Permit No. 12345A, you would go to [regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov) and search for "12345A".

V. Authority

We issue this notice under the authority of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), and its implementing regulations.

Timothy MacDonald,

Government Information Specialist, Branch of Permits, Division of Management Authority.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Geological Survey

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Agency Information Collection Activities; U.S. Geological Survey Bird Banding Permit Applications and Band Recovery Reports

AGENCY: U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior.