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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 24, 2003.

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 (address above).

Applicant: James W. Bailey, Greenwood, South Carolina, PRT– 077730

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus dorcas*) 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: John W. Miller, Collierville, TN, PRT–078155.

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus dorcas*) 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: Dr. Duane Rumbaugh, Decatur, GA, PRT–077372.

The applicant requests a permit to export the carcass of one captive born female pygmy chimpanzee (*Pan paniscus*) to the Primate Research Institute of Kyoto University, Japan, for the purpose of scientific research.

Applicant: George Carden Circus International, Springfield, MO, PRT– 016016.

The applicant requests a permit to export one Asian elephant (*Elephas maximus*) born in captivity to worldwide locations for the purpose of enhancement of the species through conservation education. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a three-year period and the import of any potential progeny born while overseas.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Public Meeting, Upper Snake River Resource Advisory Council Meeting

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (FACA), the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Upper Snake River Resource Advisory Council (RAC), will meet as indicated below.

DATES: The meeting will be held November 19 and 20, 2003 at the BLM Pocatello Field Office, 4350 Cliffs Drive, in Idaho Falls, Idaho. The meeting will start November 19 at 10 a.m., with the public comment period beginning at approximately 1 p.m. The meeting will adjourn on November 20 at or before 5 p.m.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The 15-member Council advises the Secretary

of the Interior, through the Bureau of Land Management, on a variety of planning and management issues associated with public land management in the BLM Upper Snake River District (USRD), which covers south-central and southeast Idaho. At this meeting, topics we plan to discuss include:

Orientation for new members of the RAC.

Election of new RAC Officers for the 2003–2004 term.

The RAC's work plan for the coming year.

Updates on major planning projects in the USRD, including coordination of subgroups.

Updates on the Director's Sustaining Working Landscapes Initiative, and the RAC's feedback to the BLM State Director.

An update on the Idaho BLM's proposed organizational refinements.

Brief overviews on other BLM programs: Wild Horse and Burros, and Abandoned Mine Lands.

Other items of interest raised by the Council.

All meetings are open to the public. The public may present written comments to the Council. Each formal Council meeting will also have time allocated for hearing public comments. Depending on the number of persons wishing to comment and time available, the time for individual oral comments may be limited. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation, tour transportation or other reasonable accommodations, should contact the BLM as provided below.

The meetings for 2004 will also be set at this meeting, and the dates and times will be announced in a future **Federal Register** Notice and through local media.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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