

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

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given that on the dates below, as authorized by the provisions of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), and/

or the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), the Fish and Wildlife Service issued the requested permits subject to certain conditions set forth therein. For each permit for an endangered species, the Service found that (1) the application was filed in good faith, (2)

the granted permit would not operate to the disadvantage of the endangered species, and (3) the granted permit would be consistent with the purposes and policy set forth in Section 2 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended.

ENDANGERED SPECIES

Permit No.	Applicant	Receipt of application Federal Register notice	Permit issuance date
108865 .....	Kimberly A. Vinette Herrin, D.V.M. ....	71 FR 10701; March 2, 2006 .....	May 15, 2006.

ENDANGERED MARINE MAMMALS AND MARINE MAMMALS

Permit No.	Applicant	Receipt of application Federal Register notice	Permit issuance date
060373 .....	Hubbs-Sea World Research Institute ....	71 FR 16823; April 4, 2006 .....	May 23, 2006.
120037 .....	Christopher F. Azur .....	71 FR 16823; April 4, 2006 .....	June 6, 2006.
120039 .....	Francis H. Azur .....	71 FR 16823; April 4, 2006 .....	May 25, 2006.

Dated: June 9, 2006.

**Michael S. Moore,**

Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits,  
Division of Management Authority.  
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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 July 31, 2006.

**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.

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**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: Dr. Jeffrey Powell, Yale University, New Haven, CT, PRT-784934**

The applicant requests renewal of a permit to import samples collected from wild Galapagos tortoises (*Geochelone nigra*) for the purpose of scientific research. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a five-year period.

**Applicant: Zoological Society of San Diego, San Diego, California, PRT-124435**

The applicant requests a permit to export semen samples from a Northern white rhinoceros (*Ceratoterium simum cottoni*) to the Zoologicka Zahrada Dvur Kralove nad Labem in the Czech Republic for enhancement of the survival of the species.

**Applicant: Sterling G. Fligge, II, Granite Bay, CA, PRT-128031**

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 A. Wayne, Arlington, VA, PRT-126766**

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: George F. Gehrman, Powell, WY, PRT-127007**

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: Paul J. Ritz, Polacca, AZ, PRT-127651**

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: Thomas M. Baker, Bowling Green, KY, PRT-128023**

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: Michael T. Yeary, Pampano Beach, FL, PRT-126631**

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: Larry J. Kovach, Flagstaff, AZ, PRT-125221**

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: James D. Giles, Garland, TX, PRT-122437**

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: Kevin Keith aka Kevin Keith's Primal Instinct, Napa, CA, PRT-126707**

The applicant request a permit to export, re-export, and re-import one captive-born male mandrill (*Mandrillus sphinx*) 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.

Dated: June 16, 2006.

**Michael L. Carpenter,**

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Division of Management Authority.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

#### Notice of Availability of the Ukiah Proposed Resource Management Plan and Final Environmental Impact Statement; California

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA, 42 U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.*) and the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (FLPMA, 43 U.S.C. 1701 *et seq.*), the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) has prepared a proposed Resource Management Plan/Final Environmental Impact Statement (RMP/EIS) for the Ukiah Field Office.

**DATES:** The BLM Planning Regulations (43 CFR 1610.5-2) state that any person who participated in the planning process, and has an interest which is or may be adversely affected, may protest BLM's approval of a RMP. You must file a protest within 30 days of the date that the Environmental Protection Agency publishes their Notice of Availability in the **Federal Register**. Instructions for filing of protests are described in the Proposed RMP/Final EIS and in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section of this notice.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Eli llano, 2550 North State Street, Ukiah, CA 95482; (916) 978-4427; [ukiahrmp@ca.blm.gov](mailto:ukiahrmp@ca.blm.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The planning area covers approximately 270,000 surface acres and approximately 214,000 acres of additional subsurface mineral estate within the following California counties: Marin, Solano, Sonoma, Mendocino, Lake, Napa, Yolo, Colusa, and Glenn. The Ukiah RMP, when completed, will provide management guidance for use and protection of the resources managed by the Ukiah Field Office. The Ukiah Proposed RMP/Final EIS has been developed through a collaborative planning process, including numerous public meetings, workshops, and field trips held across the planning area and throughout the planning process. The Ukiah Draft RMP/Draft EIS was published for public comment on September 16, 2005. During the 90 day public comment period BLM received approximately 2,400 comments, which are responded to in the Proposed RMP/Final EIS. Public comments resulted in the addition of clarifying text, but did not significantly change proposed land use decisions. The primary issues addressed in the Proposed RMP/Final EIS include: Conflicts between motorized, mechanized, and non-motorized/non-mechanized recreationists; protection of sensitive natural and cultural resources from impacts due to increased recreational use and other land uses; provision of guidance for wind energy development; special management

areas; and addressing other planning issues raised during the scoping process.

Copies of the Ukiah Proposed RMP/Final EIS have been sent to affected Federal, State, and local government agencies and to interested parties. Copies of the Proposed RMP/Final EIS are available for public inspection at the BLM Ukiah Field Office, the BLM California State Office, and at the public library in Ukiah. Interested persons may also review the Proposed RMP/Final EIS on the Internet at <http://www.blm.gov/ca/ukiah/rmp>.

Instructions for filing a protest with the Director of the BLM regarding the Proposed Plan/Final EIS may be found at 43 CFR 1610.5-2. A protest may only raise those issues which were submitted for the record during the planning process. E-mail and faxed protests will not be accepted as valid protests unless the protesting party also provides the original letter by either regular or overnight mail postmarked by the close of the protest period. Under these conditions, BLM will consider the e-mail or faxed protest as an advance copy and it will receive full consideration. If you wish to provide BLM with such advance notification, please direct faxed protests to the attention of the BLM protest coordinator at 202-452-5112, and e-mails to [Brenda\\_Hudgens-Williams@blm.gov](mailto:Brenda_Hudgens-Williams@blm.gov).

Please direct the follow-up letter to the appropriate address provided below. The protest must contain:

- The name, mailing address, telephone number, and interest of the person filing the protest.
- A statement of the part or parts of the plan and the issue or issues being protested.
- A copy of all documents addressing the issue(s) that the protesting party submitted during the planning process or a statement of the date they were discussed for the record.
- A concise statement explaining why the protestor believes the State Director's decision is wrong.

All protests must be in writing and mailed to one of the following addresses:

*Regular Mail:* Director (210),  
Attention: Brenda Williams, P.O.  
Box 66538, Washington, DC 20035.  
*Overnight Mail:* Director (210),  
Attention: Brenda Williams, 1620 L  
Street, NW., Suite 1075,  
Washington, DC 20036.

Individual respondents may request confidentiality. If you wish to withhold your name or street address from public review or from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, you must