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TABLE 3-15. Federal coal leases, licenses, permits, preference right
                lease applications, and logical mining units,
                fiscal year 1996--continued
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| Case Type | Geographic <br> State | Total in effect as of September 30, 1996 |  |  | Actions |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Number |  | Accepted bonus bids |
|  |  | Number | Acres | Number | Acres | bonus bids |
| Pre-FCLAA leases /b/ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Montana | 10 | 24,153 |  |  |  |
|  | North Dakota | 7 | 7,556 |  |  |  |
|  | Utah | 69 | 68,553 |  |  |  |
|  | Washington | 1 | 280 |  |  |  |
|  | Wyoming | 44 | 85,281 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total |  | 131 | 185,823 | none | none | none |
| Preference right leases |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Alaska | 1 | 600 |  |  |  |
|  | Colorado | 34 | 53,479 |  |  |  |
|  | Montana | 2 | 3,916 |  |  |  |
|  | New Mexico | 8 | 14,972 |  |  |  |
|  | Oklahoma | 9 | 17,157 |  |  |  |
|  | Utah | 38 | 81,672 |  |  |  |
|  | Wyoming | 24 | 41,923 |  |  |  |
| ********* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total |  | 116 | 213,719 | none | none | N/A |
| Total coal leases |  | 389 | 589,255 | 3 | 8,069 | 12,324,900 |
| Exploration licenses |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Colorado | 5 | 65,508 | 1 | 24,679 |  |
|  | Montana | 1 | 1,508 |  |  |  |
|  | New Mexico | 1 | 2,616 |  |  |  |
|  | North Dakota | 2 | 1,317 |  |  |  |
|  | Oklahoma | 1 | 1,820 | 1 | 1,820 |  |
|  | Utah | 3 | 4,161 |  |  |  |
|  | Wyoming | 4 | 5,746 |  |  |  |
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| Total |  | 17 | 82,676 | 2 | 26,499 | N/A |
| Licenses to mine |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Alaska | 1 | 50 |  |  |  |
|  | Colorado | 1 | 10 |  |  |  |
|  | Montana | 1 | 20 |  |  |  |
|  | New Mexico | 2 | 12 |  |  |  |
| ********* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total |  | 5 | 92 | none | none | N/A |
| Preference right lease applications |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Alaska | 2 | 5,148 |  |  |  |
|  | Colorado | 2 | 5,582 |  |  |  |
|  | New Mexico | 14 | 29,067 |  |  |  |



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TABLE 3-15. Federal coal leases, licenses, permits, preference right
lease applications, and logical mining units,
fiscal year 1996--concluded
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| Case Type | Geographic State | Total in effect as of September 30, 1996 |  |  | Actions |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Number |  | Accepted |
|  |  | Number | Acres | Number | Acres | bonus bids |
| Logical mining units /c/ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Colorado | 12 | 85,340 |  |  |  |
|  | Montana | 4 | 47,969 | 1 | 24,174 |  |
|  | New Mexico | 2 | 18,558 |  |  |  |
|  | North Dakota | 4 | 19,191 |  |  |  |
|  | Oklahoma | 2 | 11,605 |  |  |  |
|  | Utah | 7 | 64,000 |  |  |  |
|  | Wyoming | 18 | 117,423 | 1 | 9,567 |  |
| ********* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total |  | 49 | 364,086 | 2 | 33,741 | N/A |

/a/ Includes new actions during the fiscal year as shown in the three righthand columns of this table. New actions show the number of leases, licenses, and permits authorized with effective dates during the fiscal year. For applications, the number of pending applications are shown. These include preference right lease applications that may have been rejected by the Bureau of Land Management but are, or were, under appeal to the Interior Board of Land Appeals. Only approved logical mining units are shown. New actions show only logical mining units that were approved during the fiscal year.
/b/ FCLAA is the Federal Coal Leasing Amendments Act. This case type includes competitive and noncompetitive coal leases issued prior to August 4, 1976.
/c/ The following amendment is presented for fiscal year 1995 logical mining units:

|  |  | Total in Septemb | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ffect as } \\ & \text { r } 30,199 \end{aligned}$ |  | Actio <br> during fis | l year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Case Type | Geographic State | Number | Acres | Number | Acres | Accepted bonus bids |
| Logical mining units |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Colorado | 12 | 85,340 | 1 | 2,708 |  |
|  | Montana | 3 | 23,795 | 1 | 540 |  |
|  | New Mexico | 2 | 18,558 |  |  |  |
|  | North Dakota | 4 | 19,191 | 1 | 240 |  |
|  | Oklahoma /*/ | 1 | 8,424 |  |  |  |
|  | Utah | 7 | 64,000 |  |  |  |
|  | Wyoming | 17 | 107,856 | 1 | 7,514 |  |
| ********** |  | ------ | ------- |  |  |  |
| Total |  | 46 | 327,164 | 4 | 11,002 | N/A |

/*/ One additional LMU containing 3,180 acres was on appeal before IBLA as of September 30, 1995. This LMU was terminated by the Bureau of Land Management (decisions issued on November 17, 1993, and December 29, 1994). IBLA decisions of March 20 and March 22, 1996, vacated the Bureau's decisions and reinstated the LMU.

N/A. Not applicable.
Source: Case Recordation System.

