

**FIRE RESTRICTION
BLACK HILLS NATIONAL FOREST**

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 551, and 36 CFR, Sec 261.50(a), the following acts are prohibited on all National Forest System lands, roads and trails administered by the Black Hills National Forest (the "Restricted Area"). The Restricted Area is within the National Forest Boundary depicted on the Black Hills National Forest Visitors Map, hereby incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A.

PROHIBITIONS:

1. Building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, campfire, or a coal or wood stove fire. 36 CFR 261.52(a)

Petroleum fueled stoves, lanterns, or heating devices may be used, provided such devices meet the fire underwriters specifications for safety.

Charcoal grills may be used within designated picnic areas or campgrounds.

2. Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, a developed recreation site or while stopped in an area at least three feet in diameter that is barren or cleared of all flammable materials. 36 CFR 261.52(d)
3. Operating or using any internal or external combustion engine without a spark arresting device properly installed, maintained and in effective working order meeting either:
 - USDA Forest Service Standard 5100-1a (as amended); or
 - Appropriate Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE) recommended practice J335 (b) and J350 (a). 36 CFR 261.52(j) and 43 CFR 9212.1(h)
4. Welding, or operating an acetylene or other torch with open flame. 36 CFR 261.52(i)

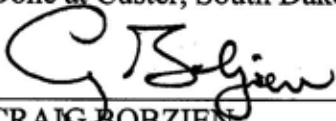
EXEMPTIONS:

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e) the following persons are exempt from this order:

Persons with a Forest Service permit issued after the date of this Order specifically authorizing the prohibited act or omission.

This order becomes effective at 12:00 AM on July 31, 2006, and will remain in force until rescinded.

Done at Custer, South Dakota this 29th day of July, 2006.



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Black Hills National Forest

Violation of this prohibition is punishable as a Class B misdemeanor, by a fine of not more that \$5,000.00 for an individual, or \$10,000.00 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or both. [16 U.S.C. 551, 18 U.S.C. 3571 (b)(6)].