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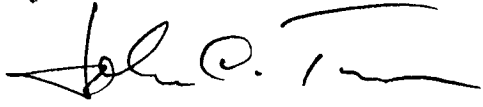
To: District Rangers and Center Director

TERMINATION OF ORDERS  
BLACK HILLS NATIONAL FOREST

Pursuant to Title 36 CFR 261.50(a) and/or (b), the prohibitions listed below and applicable to the Black Hills National Forest are hereby terminated. Post a copy of this Termination Order in your Special order notebooks with each individual, rescinded order.

NAME OF ORDER	DATE SIGNED	SIGNED BY
Travel and Chainsaw Restrictions	August 28, 2000	John C. Twiss

Done at Custer, South Dakota, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of Sept., 2000.



JOHN C. TWISS  
Forest Supervisor  
Enclosure

Cc:  
SSAC (Supervisory Special Agent in Charge)  
SLEO (Supervisory Law Enforcement Officer)  
FS Secretary  
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**Mallroom R2 Black Hills**  
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Subject: 1010 Restriction Orders (Send to Box Elder Job Corps)

Please make sure your District Rangers and all Staffs see the attached information - It also needs to be routed to your front desk folks  
Fran, I'm sending this to you because I'm not sure how the Job Corps official mail is now transmitted to units

Attached are Termination Order BHNF 52-00, Restriction Order BHNF-00-053-2000 and Public Notice updated 9/1/00

The Termination Order needs to be attached to your file and binder copies of Restriction Order 052 Restriction Order #053 needs to be placed in your binder and files, and posted in your public notice areas in the field and office

The Public Notice needs to be placed in your binder and files, and posted in your public notice areas in the field and office

1010\_Termination-RestrictionOrder#052\_Travel,Chainsaw\_2000\_Sept1.doc

1010\_RestrictionOrder#053\_Travel,Chainsaw,Fire\_2000\_Sept1.doc

1010\_Public Notice\_2000\_0901.aw

This is no change in the Forest policy, but the following Regional Order came out allowing campfires in campgrounds and the Forest's new order continues the ban on campfires in campgrounds as well as the restrictions for travel and chainsaw operations - Please post the Regional documents in your Orders book and files, and post the Restriction Order in your public notice areas in the field and the office

Termination of Order 00-02.doc

Regional Fire Order Number 00-03.doc

Call Sharon Kyhl or Marci at the SO with any questions you might have

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**Special Restriction**  
**TRAVEL and CHAINSAW RESTRICTIONS**  
**USDA - FOREST SERVICE**  
**BLACK HILLS NATIONAL FOREST**

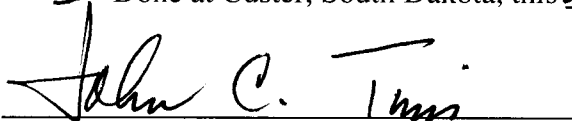
Pursuant to 36 CFR, Section 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited within the Black Hills National Forest, until rescinded.

- (1) To possess or use a vehicle off forest development roads. 36 CFR 261.56
  - a. All motorized vehicles including motorcycles and all terrain vehicles are restricted to improved roads, which are paved, graveled and free of vegetation.
- (2) Operating an internal combustion engine, to wit: chainsaw  
36CFR 261.52 (h)

Pursuant to 36 CFR, Section 261.50(e), the following are EXEMPT from the order:

- (1) Any person(s) or group with a permit or written permission specifically authorizing this prohibited act.
- (2) Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.
- (3) Any person(s) under contract (excluding fuel wood permittees) with the USFS in activities such as timber sale operations, timber sale improvement, fuels reduction work, road maintenance, road construction and reconstruction, and road decommissioning may operate chainsaws between the hours of 9 p.m. and 10 a.m. Other mechanized equipment such as log skidders, dozers and loaders may operate until noon. If operations legally occur, crews must remain on site for two hours after operations have ceased to patrol for fire.

Done at Custer, South Dakota, this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2000.



JOHN C. TWISS  
Forest Supervisor

Violations of this prohibition are punishable by imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, a fine of not more than \$5,000 or both. *Title 16, United States Code, Section 551, Title 18, United States Code, Section 3571.*

### Management Objectives

The Black Hills National Forest is in a very volatile wildfire situation. Firefighting resources are extremely limited, and the reduction of any additional fire starts is critical. The restrictions afforded by this prohibition should help reduce the chances for any person-caused fires.