

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management**

[NM-017-1430-01/G-010-G7-0200; NMNM 95806]

Emergency Closure of Access to Andrews Ranch Ruin, Chacoan Protection Site in McKinley County, New Mexico**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.**ACTION:** Notice of emergency closure of access.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that T. 14 N., R. 11 W., sec. 33, NMPM, is closed to all forms of access except as specifically authorized by the Bureau of Land Management. This area includes unusually significant cultural resources, which are potentially crucial to the understanding of the Chacoan Cultural System.

The purpose of this road closure is to prevent unnecessary degradation of resources, undue environmental damage and to ensure resource protection on public lands. The emergency access closure is in accordance with the provisions of 43 CFR 8364.1. This designation remains in effect until further notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Joe Jaramillo, Realty Specialist at Bureau of Land Management, Rio Puerco Resource Area, 435 Montano NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87107, (505) 761-8779.

Dated: October 22, 1996.

Michael R. Ford,
District Manager.

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[MT-923-1610-00]

Montana/Dakotas Standards for Rangeland Health and Guidelines for Livestock Grazing Management Draft Environmental Impact Statement; Public Meetings Information**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.**ACTION:** Amendment to notice of availability.

SUMMARY: A Notice was published in the Federal Register on October 11, 1996, announcing the availability of a draft environmental impact statement (EIS) on regional standards for rangeland health and guidelines for livestock grazing management on BLM-administered lands east of the Continental Divide in Montana, North

Dakota, and South Dakota. The comment period for this draft EIS is from October 11, 1996, to January 13, 1997. This notice supplements and, in some cases, changes the information on public meetings provided in the earlier notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dan Lechefsky, Project Manager, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Montana State Office, P.O. Box 36800, Billings, Montana 59107-6800, or 406-255-2919.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Public meetings will be held in Montana and South Dakota, to exchange information with the public about the standards and guidelines draft EIS. The following information updates the times, dates and locations of those meetings.

Butte BLM District—Open houses will be held from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at each of the following locations. The public may come at any time during the open house: December 9, 1996, Helena National Forest Supervisor's Office, Conference Room, 2880 Skyway Drive, Helena, Montana; December 10, 1996, Bozeman Ranger District, Gallatin National Forest, Conference Room, 3710 Fallon Street, Bozeman, Montana; December 16, 1996, Dillon Resource Area Office, Conference room, 1005 Selway Drive, Dillon, Montana; December 17, 1996, Butte District and Headwaters Resource Area Office, Conference Room, 106 North Parkmont, Butte, Montana; December 18, 1996, Ennis Town Hall, Ennis, Montana.

Miles City BLM District—The Miles City District is holding public meetings in the following locations: December 2, 1996, Miles Community College, Room 106, 4 p.m. to 8 p.m., Miles City, Montana; December 3, 1996, Roundup, location and time to be announced through local media; December 4, Montana State University-Billings, Education Building, Room 102, 7 p.m. to 10 p.m., Billings, Montana; December 9, 1996, Department of Agriculture Building, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., Terry, Montana; December 10, 1996, VFW Hall, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m., Jordan, Montana; December 11, 1996, Ridgeway Community Hall, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., between Hammond and Ekalaka, Montana.

Dakota District—The meeting in the Dakotas District will be an open house format; the public can come at any time during the open house: December 4, 1996, First Western Bank, Community Room, 41 5th Avenue, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., Belle Fourche, South Dakota.

Lewistown District—The meetings in the Lewistown District will be an open house format; the public may come at

any time during the open house: November 18, 1996, Valley Resource Area Office, Route Number 1, 4 p.m. to 7 p.m., Glasgow, Montana; November 19, 1996, Phillips Resource Area Office, 501 South Second Street East, 4 p.m. to 7 p.m., Malta, Montana; November 20, 1996, Havre Resource Area Office, West Second Street, 4 p.m. to 7 p.m., Havre, Montana; November 21, 1996, Lewistown District and Judith Resource Area Office, Airport Road, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Lewistown, Montana; November 21, 1996, Great Falls Resource Area Office, 812 14th Street North, 4 p.m. to 7 p.m., Great Falls, Montana.

Dated: October 25, 1996.

Thomas P. Lonnie,

Deputy State Director, Division of Resources.

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Minerals Management Service (MMS)**Minerals Management Advisory Board, Outer Continental Shelf, Scientific Committee; Announcement of Plenary Session**

This Notice is issued in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, 5 U.S.C., Appendix I, and the Office of Management and Budget Circular A-63, Revised.

The Minerals Management Advisory Board OCS SC will meet in plenary session on Wednesday, November 20, and will meet in subcommittee meetings on Thursday, November 21, 1996, at the Washington Dulles Airport Hilton, 13869 Park Center Road, Herndon, Virginia 20170, telephone (703) 478-2900.

The OCS SC is an outside group of scientists which advises the Director, MMS, on the feasibility, appropriateness, and scientific merit of the MMS' OCS Environmental Studies Program (ESP) as related to information needed for informed OCS decisionmaking.

Below is a schedule of meetings that will occur.

The Committee will meet in plenary session on Wednesday November 20, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Discussion will focus on:

- Committee Business and Resolutions.
- Environmental Studies Program Status Review.
- MMS Goals and Objectives.

The SC will meet in subcommittees on Thursday, November 21, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., to review regional and headquarter's strategic plans.

The meetings are open to the public. Approximately 30 visitors can be accommodated on a first-come-first-served basis at the plenary session.

A copy of the agenda may be requested from the MMS by writing Ms. Phyllis Clark at the address below. Other inquiries concerning the OCS SC meeting should be addressed to Dr. Ken Turgeon, Executive Secretary to the OCS Scientific Committee, Minerals Management Service, 381 Elden Street, Mail Stop 4310, Herndon, Virginia 20170-4817. He may be reached by telephone at (703) 787-1717, and by electronic mail at Ken/Turgeon@SMTP.MMS.GOV.

Dated: October 10, 1996.

Thomas A. Readinger,

Acting Associate Director for Offshore Minerals Management.

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Bureau of Reclamation

Review of Existing Coordinated Long-Range Operating Criteria for Colorado River Reservoirs

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: The 1970 Criteria for Coordinated Long-Range Operation of Colorado River Reservoirs (Criteria), promulgated pursuant to Public Law 90-537, were published in the Federal Register on June 10, 1970. The Criteria provided for the coordinated long-range operation of the reservoirs constructed and operated under the authority of the Colorado River Storage Project Act, the Boulder Canyon Project Act, and the Boulder Canyon Project Adjustment Act for the purposes of complying with and carrying out the provisions of the Colorado River Compact, the Upper Colorado River Basin Compact, and the Mexican Water Treaty.

The 1970 Criteria specified that a formal review take place at least once every five years with participation by such Colorado River Basin state representatives as each Governor may designate, and other parties and agencies as the Secretary of the Interior may deem appropriate. Public law 90-537 allows the Secretary, as a result of actual operating experience or unforeseen circumstances, to modify the Criteria to better accomplish the purposes of the two basin compacts and the Mexican Water Treaty. The Commissioner of Reclamation is the authorized agent of the Secretary for the

purpose of conducting and coordinating this review.

Reclamation will be conducting public meetings for this review in November and December of 1996. At that time, members of the Reclamation review team will be available to listen to and discuss ideas, issues, and concerns, and to answer any questions about the Criteria review. The various public viewpoints expressed during the review process will be considered in determining if a change to the Criteria is warranted. In addition to the public meetings, written comments on issues will be accepted until January 1, 1997.

DATES AND LOCATIONS: Public meetings will be held at the following times and locations.

Phoenix, Arizona—Monday, November 18, 1996, at 10 a.m. at the La Quinta Inn, 2510 West Greenway Road (via Black Canyon Freeway), Phoenix, Arizona.

Denver, Colorado—Monday, December 2, 1996, at 1 p.m. at the Red Lion Hotel, 3203 Quebec Street, Denver, Colorado.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Bruce Moore, Bureau of Reclamation, 125 South State Street, Room 6107, Salt Lake City, Utah 84138-1102, telephone (801) 524-5415, or Jayne Harkins, Bureau of Reclamation, P.O. Box 61470, Boulder City, Nevada 89005, telephone (702) 293-8190.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This will be the fifth review of the Criteria conducted since their initial promulgation in 1970. The Criteria and a Notice asking for written comments were published in the Federal Register on August 20, 1996. Previous reviews of the Criteria were initiated in 1975, 1980, 1985, and 1990. They resulted in no changes to the operating Criteria.

Dated: October 28, 1996.

Eluid L. Martinez,

Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 337-TA-372]

Certain Neodymium-Iron-Boron Magnets, Magnet Alloys, and Articles Containing Same; Enforcement Proceeding

Notice is hereby given that the prehearing conference in this matter will commence at 8:30 a.m. on November 4, 1996, in Courtroom B (Room 111), U.S. International Trade

Commission Building, 500 E St. S.W., Washington, D.C., and the hearing will commence immediately thereafter.

The Secretary shall publish this notice in the Federal Register.

Issued: October 28, 1996.

Paul J. Luckern,

Administrative Law Judge.

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[Inv. No. 337-TA-387]

Notice of Commission Decision Not to Review an Initial Determination

In the Matter of: Certain Self-Powered Fiber Optic Modems.

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Commission has determined not to review an initial determination (ID) (Order No. 14) issued by the presiding administrative law judge (ALJ) on September 25, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Cynthia P. Johnson, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, telephone 202-205-3098.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This patent-based section 337 investigation was instituted by the Commission on April 25, 1996, on behalf of Patton Electronics Co. of Gaithersburg, Maryland. The complaint alleges violations of section 337 based on the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain self-powered fiber optic modems that allegedly infringe claims 1, 2, 3, 7, and 8 of U.S. Letters Patent 4,161,650, (the 650 patent) and that there exists an industry in the United States as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337. The notice of investigation named RAD Data Communications, Ltd., of Tel Aviv, Israel and RAD Data Communications, Inc., (collectively "RAD") of Mahwah, New Jersey as respondents. The target date for completion of the investigation is May 1, 1997.

On August 20, 1996, RAD moved for summary determination on the basis that its accused modems did not infringe, either literally or under the doctrine of equivalents, or contribute to the infringement of the asserted claims of the 650 patent.

On September 25, 1996, the presiding ALJ issued an ID (Order No. 14) granting in part RAD's motion, finding that the the accused devices did not literally