

underserved mortgage market issues; and to improve the operation of the housing finance market.

Form Number: None.
Respondents: Business or other for-profit.

Frequency of Submission: On occasion.

| Reporting burden | Number of respondents | × | Frequency of response | × | Hours per response | = | Burden hours |
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| | 2 | | 43 | | 64.72 | | 5,632 |

Total Estimated Burden Hours: 5,632.
Status: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Contact: Janet A. Tasker, HUD, (202) 708-2224; Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., OMB, (202) 395-7316.

Dated April 16, 1999.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Endangered and Threatened Species Permit Applications

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of applications.

The following applicants have applied for permits 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.*).

Permit Number TE 010442

Applicant: Missouri Department of Conservation, NW Regional Office, St. Joseph, Missouri.

The applicant requests a permit to take (capture and hold for artificial propagation) Topeka shiners (*Notropis topeka*) from the Moniteau Creek watershed in Cooper and Moniteau Counties, Missouri. Take from the wild is proposed for the purpose of captive propagation and development of propagation techniques for Topeka shiner. Propagation will take place at the Blind Pony Fish Hatchery in Sweet Springs, Missouri. Proposed work is anticipated to result in the enhancement of survival of the species in the wild.

Permit Number TE 805269

Applicant: Dr. Dan Soluk, Center for Aquatic Ecology, Illinois Natural History Survey, Champaign, IL

The applicant requests an amendment to his existing endangered species permit for Hine's emerald dragonfly (*Somatochlora hineana*) to include collection (limited lethal take) of specimens for scientific research to

enhance survival of the species in the wild.

Written data or comments should be submitted to the Regional Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Ecological Services Operations (Attn: Ms. Lisa Mandell), 1 Federal Drive, Fort Snelling, Minnesota 55111-4056, and must be received within 30 days of the date of this publication.

Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to the following office within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Ecological Services Operations, 1 Federal Drive, Fort Snelling, Minnesota 55111-4056. Telephone: (612/713-5343); FAX: (612/713-5292).

Dated: April 15, 1999.

Lisa L. Mandell,

Acting Assistant Regional Director, Ecological Services, Region 3, Fort Snelling, Minnesota.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Notice of Receipt of Applications for Permit

The following applicants have applied 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.*):

PRT-008519

Applicant: Zoo Atlanta, Atlanta, GA

The applicant requests a permit to import one male and one female captive-born giant panda (*Ailuropoda melanoleuca*) from Chengdu, China, for scientific research and for the enhancement of the survival of the species through captive breeding.

PRT-009239

Applicant: University of California, Davis, CA

The applicant requests a permit to import hair and blood samples from wild and captive-held Orangutans

(*Pongo pygmaeus pygmaeus*) from Sarawak, Malaysia, for the enhancement of the species in the wild through scientific research and conservation.

PRT-010593

Applicant: Donald D. Schmitz, Tucson, AZ

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus dorcas*) 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.

PRT-010618

Applicant: Anthony N. Sciuillo, Wexford, PA

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus dorcas*) 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.

PRT-008873

Applicant: Duke University, Durham, NC

The applicant request a permit to import samples from wild Zanzibar red colobus monkey (*Procolobus kirki*) in Zanzibar, Tanzania for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through scientific research.

PRT-009445

Applicant: University of Georgia, Athens, GA

The applicant request a permit to import samples from various Psittaciformes held in captivity in various countries for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through scientific research.

PRT-007642

Applicant: Have Trunk Will Travel, Perris, CA

The applicant request a permit to re-import, re-export, and sale in foreign commerce one pre-convention Asian elephant (*Elephas maximus*) to African Lion Safari, Ontario, Canada, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through propagation.

PRT-797878, 009987, 009988

Applicant: Cat Dancers Ranch, Alachua, FL

The applicant requests a permit to re-export and re-import leopard (*Panthera*

pardus), tigers (*Panthera tigris*), and progeny of the animals currently held by the applicant and any animals acquired in the United States by the applicant to/from worldwide locations to enhance the survival of the species through conservation education. This notification covers activities conducted by the applicant over a three year period.

Written data or comments should be submitted to the Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203 and must be received by the Director within 30 days of the date of this publication.

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 to the following office within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203. Phone: (703/358-2104); FAX: (703/358-2281).

Dated: April 16, 1999.

Mary Ellen Amtower,
Acting Chief, Branch of Permits, Office of Management Authority.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Availability of an Environmental Assessment/Habitat Conservation Plan and Receipt of Application for an Incidental Take Permit for Golden-cheeked Warbler, Black-capped Vireo, Tooth Cave Pseudoscorpion, Kretschmarr Cave Mold Beetle, Bee Creek Cave Harvestman, Bone Cave Harvestman, Tooth Cave Spider, Tooth Cave Ground Beetle, and Species of Concern, Jollyville Plateau Salamander and Bifurcated Cave Amphipod, During the Construction and Operation of a Residential and Commercial Development on Portions (237 Acres) of the Approximately 550.3-Acre Grandview Hills Property, Austin, Travis County, Texas

SUMMARY: Tomen-Parke Associates, LTD, and Pulte Homes of Texas, L.P. (Applicants) have applied to the Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) for an incidental take permit pursuant to Section 10(a) of the Endangered Species

Act (Act). The Applicant has been assigned permit number PRT-815447. The requested permit, which is for a period of 30 years, would authorize the incidental take of the endangered golden-cheeked warbler (*Dendroica chrysoparia*), black-capped vireo (*Vireo atricapillus*), Tooth Cave pseudoscorpion (*Tartarocreagris texana*), Kretschmarr Cave mold beetle (*Texamauropis reddelli*), Bee Creek Cave harvestman (*Texella reddelli*), Bone Cave harvestman (*Texella reyesi*), Tooth Cave spider (*Neoleptoneta myopica*), Tooth Cave ground beetle (*Rhadine persephone*), and species of concern, Jollyville Plateau salamander (*Eurycea* sp.) and bifurcated cave amphipod (*Stygobromus bifurcatus*), during construction and operation of a residential and commercial development on portions of the approximately 550.3-acre Grandview Hills property, Austin, Travis County, Texas.

The Service has prepared the Environmental Assessment/Habitat Conservation Plan (EA/HCP) for the incidental take application. A determination of jeopardy to the species or a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) will not be made until at least 30 days from the date of publication of this notice. This notice is provided pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Act and National Environmental Policy Act regulations (40 CFR 1506.6).

DATES: Written comments on the application should be received on or before May 24, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to review the application may obtain a copy by writing to the Regional Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, P.O. Box 1306, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103. Persons wishing to review the EA/HCP may obtain a copy by contacting Sybil Vosler, Ecological Services Field Office, 10711 Burnet Road, Suite 200, Austin, Texas 78758 (512/490-0063).

Documents will be available for public inspection by written request, by appointment only, during normal business hours (8:00 to 4:30) at the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Austin, Texas. Written data or comments concerning the application and EA/HCP should be submitted to the Field Supervisor, Ecological Services Field Office, Austin, Texas at the above address. Please refer to permit number PRT-815447 when submitting comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sybil Vosler at the above Austin Ecological Services Field Office.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 9 of the Act prohibits the "taking" of

endangered species such as the golden-cheeked warbler. However, the Service, under limited circumstances, may issue permits to take endangered wildlife species incidental to, and not the purpose of, otherwise lawful activities. Regulations governing permits for endangered species are at 50 CFR 17.22.

APPLICANT: Tomen-Parke Associates, LTD, and Pulte Homes of Texas, L.P., plan to construct a residential and commercial development on a 550.3-acre tract and will preserve a minimum of 315 acres of golden-cheeked warbler and other endangered species habitat on-site. An additional 15.4 acres of black-capped vireo habitat will be restored adjacent to the property off-site. The construction will be located at the Grandview Hills property, located west of R.M. 620 and north of Bullick Hollow Road on the northwest side of the City of Austin, Travis County, TX. The preserved areas will be maintained in their natural state; title or conservation easement will be granted in perpetuity and held by a non-profit conservation organization or governmental agency approved by the Service. In addition, the Applicants will avoid impacts to the six listed karst invertebrates and two species of concern.

Alternatives to this action were rejected because increased development would result in greater levels of take of golden-cheeked warblers, black-capped vireos and karst invertebrates, and selling or not developing the subject property with federally listed species present was not economically practical or feasible.

Dated: April 8, 1999.

Charlie Sanchez, Jr.,
Regional Director, Region 2, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Submission of Paperwork Reduction Act Request to Office of Management and Budget

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces that the Information Collection Request for the Johnson-O'Malley Program Annual Report Form, OMB No. 1076-0096, has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for