Responsible Official

Michael D. Lloyd, District Ranger, Black Hills National Forest, Hell Canyon Ranger District, 330 Mount Rushmore Road, Custer, South Dakota 57730.

Nature of Decision To Be Made

The decision to be made is whether or not to implement the proposed action or an alternative to the proposed action at this time.

Scoping Process

The Hell Canyon Ranger District has mailed letters with comprehensive scoping documents to landowners, local and tribal government representatives, permittees, and other interested or potentially affected parties and organizations. The scoping document with attached maps will be posted on the Black Hills National Forest Web site in July 2007. Comments submitted in response to this NOI will be most useful to the project planning team if received within 30 days from the date of this notice.

Comment Requested

This notice of intent is part of the scoping process which will guide the development of the EIS. Comments received will assist the planing team with identification of key issues to refine the proposal, create alternative proposals, and identify necessary project design features. Comments on the Draft EIS will be requested during the 45 day comment period following publication of the Notice of Availability in the **Federal Register** which is expected in January 2008.

Early Notice of Importance of Public Participation in Subsequent Environmental Review

A Draft EIS will be prepared for comment. The comment period on the draft environmental impact statement will be 45 days from the date the Environmental Protection Agency publishes the Notice of Availability in the **Federal Register**.

The Forest Service planning team would like to take this opportunity to give reviewers advanced notice of several court rulings related to public participation in the environmental review process: (1) Reviewers of draft environmental impact statements must structure their participation in the environmental review of the proposal so that it is meaningful and alters an agency to the reviewer's position and contentions. Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corp. v. NRDC, 435 U.S. 519, 553 (1978); (2) Environmental objections that could be raised at the draft environmental impact statement stage

but that are not raised until after completion of the final environmental impact statement may be waived or dismissed by the courts. City of Angoon v. Hodel, 803 F.2d 1016, 1022 (9th Cir. 1986) and Wisconsin Heritages, Inc. v. Harris, 490 F. Supp. 1334, 1338 (E.D. Wis. 1980). Because of these court rulings, parties interested in this proposed action must submit comments by the close of the 45 day comment period to assure that the Forest Service planning team can meaningfully consider and respond to them in the final environmental impact statement. To assist the Forest Service in identifying and considering issues and concerns on the proposed action, comments on the draft environmental impact statement should be as specific as possible. Please refer to specific pages or chapters of the draft statement. Comments may also address the adequacy of the draft environmental impact statement or the merits of the alternatives formulated and discussed within the statement. In addressing these points, reviewers may wish to refer to the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations for implementing the procedural provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act at 40 CFR 1503.3.

Comments received on this proposal, including names and addresses of those who comment, will be considered part of the public record and will be available for public inspection.

(Authority: 40 CFR 1501.7 and 1508.22; Forest Service Handbook 1909.15, Section 21)

Dated: July 18, 2007.

Craig Bobzien

Forest Supervisor, Black Hills National Forest. [FR Doc. 07–3621 Filed 7–24–07; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3410–11–M

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Notice of Southwest Idaho Resource Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA. **ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the authorities in the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463) and under the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106–393), the Boise and Payette National Forests' Southwest Idaho Resource Advisory Committee will conduct a business meeting, which is open to the public.

DATES: Wednesday, August 8, 2007, beginning at 10:30 a.m.

ADDRESSES: Idaho Counties Risk Management Program Building, 3100 South Vista Avenue, Boise, Idaho.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Agenda topics will include review and approval of project proposals, and is an open public forum.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Doug Gochnour, Designated Federal Officer, at 208–392–6681 or e-mail dgochnour@fs.fed.us.

Dated: July 17, 2007.

Richard A. Smith,

Forest Supervisor, Boise National Forest. [FR Doc. 07–3617 Filed 7–24–07; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE: 3410–11–M

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Sierra County, CA, Resource Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA. **ACTION:** Notice of Meeting.

SUMMARY: The Sierra County Resource Advisory Committee (RAC) will meet on August 9, 2007, in Sierraville, California. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss issues relating to implementing the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000 (Payments to States) as extended by Public Law 110–28 and the expenditure of Title II funds benefiting National Forest System lands on the Humboldt-Toiyabe, Plumas and Tahoe National Forests in Sierra County.

DATES: The meeting will be held Thursday, August 9, 2007 at 10 a.m. (If there is a need to cancel this meeting, a back-up is scheduled for Monday, August 13, 2007 at the same time/location.)

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Downieville Community Hall, Downieville, CA.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ann Westling, Committee Coordinator, USDA, Tahoe National Forest, 631 Coyote St., Nevada City, CA 95959, (530) 478–6205, e-mail: awestling@fs.fed.us.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Agenda items to be covered include: (1) Welcome and announcements; (2) status of previously approved projects; and (3) review of and decisions on new projects proposals for current year. The meeting is open to the public and the public will have an opportunity to comment at the meeting.

Dated: July 18, 2007.

Steven T. Eubanks,

Forest Supervisor.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Rural Business-Cooperative Service

Notice Inviting Applications for Biomass Research and Development; Correction

AGENCY: Rural Business-Cooperative

Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice; correction.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) published a document in the Federal Register of Monday, June 11, 2007, concerning the joint solicitation of applications for USDA and the Department of Energy (DOE) for financial assistance addressing research and development of biomass based products, bioenergy, biofuels, and related products. This document contained information regarding the grant amount in USDA funding.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lisa Siesennop, Business Programs, Loan and Grant Analyst, USDA Rural Development, STOP 3225, Room 6870, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20250–3225. Telephone: (202) 690–3810, Fax: (202) 720–6561.

Correction

In the **Federal Register** of June 11, 2007, FR Doc. 07–2865, on page 32060, in the first column, under Grant Amounts, correct the first sentence to read: Up to \$4 million in DOE funding and up to \$14 million in USDA funding is available for new awards under this Solicitation.

Dated: July 16, 2007.

Ben Anderson,

Acting Administrator, Rural Business-Cooperative Service.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Sunshine Act Notice

AGENCY: United States Commission on

Civil Rights.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, August 2,

2007; 6 p.m.

PLACE: Via Teleconference.

PUBLIC CALL IN NUMBER: 1–800–597–7623.

Meeting Agenda

I. Approval of Agenda.

II. Approval of Minutes of July 13, Meeting.

III. Announcements.

IV. Staff Director's Report.

V. Program Planning.

FY 2007 Statutory Report.

VI. Future Agenda Items.

VII. Adjourn.

CONTACT PERSON FOR FURTHER

INFORMATION: Manuel Alba, Press and Communications, (202) 376–8582.

Dated: July 23, 2007.

David Blackwood,

General Counsel.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 24-2007]

Foreign-Trade Zone 26—Atlanta, GA; Request for Manufacturing Authority; Perkins Shibaura Engines LLC (Diesel Engines)

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by Georgia Foreign-Trade Zone, Inc., grantee of FTZ 26, pursuant to Section 400.28(a)(2) of the Board's regulations (15 CFR part 400), requesting authority on behalf of Perkins Shibaura Engines LLC (Perkins Shibaura) to manufacture diesel engines under FTZ procedures within FTZ 26. It was formally filed on July 19, 2007.

The Perkins Shibaura facility (150 employees) is located at 325 Green Valley Road within the Green Valley Industrial Park (Site 6) in Griffin, Georgia. Under FTZ procedures, Perkins Shibaura would assemble up to 50,000 compact diesel engines (HTSUS 8408.90; 10-60 horsepower) for the U.S. market and export. Foreign components that would be used in the FTZ assembly activity include: Fuel/water pumps, injectors, crankshafts, camshafts, flywheels, pulleys, filters, motors, glowplugs, seals and o-rings, bearings and housings, tubes/pipes/hoses of rubber, belts, flanges, spring/lock washers, fasteners, fittings, cylinder heads, pumps, actuator motors, compressors, cooling fans, holders, air filters, gears, gearboxes, speed changers, torque converters, ball/roller screws, generators, ignition parts, electrical switches and connectors, process control instruments, paints, gaskets, sealants, stoppers/lids, labels, decals, articles of graphite or carbon, adaptors,

tubes, pipes, plugs, heat exchangers, brake rotors, governors, brackets, solenoids and actuators, electrical converters/transformers/inductors, printed circuit boards, sensors, senders, meters and gauges, instruments; and signaling equipment (duty rates: free—9.0%).

FTZ procedures would exempt
Perkins Shibaura from Customs duty
payments on the foreign components
used in export production. On
shipments to the U.S. market, Perkins
Shibaura could elect the finished engine
duty rate (free) for the foreign
components used in production when
the finished engines are entered for U.S.
consumption from the zone. The
application indicates that the company
would also realize duty deferral and
certain logistical/supply chain savings.

Public comment is invited from interested parties. Submissions (original and 3 copies) shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary at the following address: Office of the Executive Secretary, Room 2111, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230–0002. The closing period for receipt of comments is August 24, 2007.

A copy of the application will be available for public inspection at the Office of the Foreign-Trade Zones Board's Executive Secretary at the address listed above. For further information, contact Pierre Duy, examiner, at: pierre_duy@ita.doc.gov, or (202) 482–1378.

Dated: July 19, 2007.

Andrew McGilvray,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

A-570-916

Laminated Woven Sacks from the People's Republic of China: Initiation of Antidumping Duty Investigation

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 25, 2007.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Catherine Bertrand, AD/CVD Operations, Office 9, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–3207.