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Data collection instrument	Estimated number of respondents	Responses per respondent	Average burden hour per response*	Total annual burden hours
Total	790	1,802.0

*For ease of understanding, burden hours are also provided in actual minutes.

There are no Capital Costs, Operating Costs and/or Maintenance Costs to report for this information collection.

Request for Comments

Your written comments and/or suggestions are invited on one or more of the following points: (a) whether the information collection activity is necessary to carry out an agency function and whether the IHS processes the information collected in a useful and timely fashion; (b) the accuracy of the public burden estimate (this is the amount of time needed for individual respondents to provide the requested information) and the methodology and assumptions used to determine the estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information being collected; and (d) ways to minimize the public burden through the use of automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Send Comments and Requests for Further Information: Send your written comments and requests for more information on the proposed project or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instructions to: Mr. Lance Hodahkwon, Sr., IHS Reports Clearance Officer, 12300 Twinbrook Parkway, Suite 450, Rockville, MD 20852-1601, or call non-toll free (301) 443-0461 fax (301) 443-1522, or send your E-mail requests, comments, and return address to: lhodahkw@smtp.ihs.gov.

Comment Due Date: Comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect of received on or before May 30, 1997.

Dated: February 10, 1997.

Michael H. Trujillo,

Assistant Surgeon General Director.

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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 permit applications.

SUMMARY: The following applicants have applied for a scientific research permit to conduct certain activities with endangered species pursuant to section 10(a)(1)(A) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*).

Permit No. 796284

Applicant: Christopher Rogers, Sacramento, California.

The applicant requests an amendment of his permit to take (harass by survey) the California freshwater shrimp (*Syncaris pacifica*) in Marin, Napa, Sonoma, Mendocino, Lake, and Humboldt Counties, California in conjunction with presence or absence surveys for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

Permit No. 826370

Applicant: Dr. Thomas Dowling, Tempe, Arizona.

The applicant requests a permit to take (harass by capture and release; collect tissue samples) the White River spinedace (*Lepidomeda albibvallis*) at the Kirch Wildlife Management Area, Nevada in conjunction with genetic research for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

Permit No. 797999

Applicant: Merkel and Associates, Inc., San Diego, California.

The applicant requests an amendment of his permit to take (harass by survey, capture and release, collect and sacrifice voucher specimens) the Riverside fairy shrimp (*Streptocephalus woottoni*) in conjunction with presence or absence surveys in vernal pools in San Diego, Orange, Riverside, and Los Angeles Counties, California for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

Permit No. 781084

Applicant: Anita Hayworth, Encinitas, California.

The applicant requests an amendment of her permit to take (harass by survey, capture and release, collect and sacrifice voucher specimens) the Riverside fairy shrimp (*Streptocephalus woottoni*) and San Diego fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta sandiegonensis*) in conjunction with

presence or absence surveys in vernal pools throughout the species range in California for the purpose of enhancing their survival.

Permit No. 826197

Applicant: Terrance Healy, Redding, California.

The applicant requests a permit to take (harass by survey) the Shasta (=placid) crayfish (*Pacifastacus fortis*) while conducting presence and absence surveys, and controlling co-occurring crustaceans in Shasta County, California for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

Permit No. 826198

Applicant: Neil Manji, Redding, California.

The applicant requests a permit to take (harass by survey) the Shasta (=placid) crayfish (*Pacifastacus fortis*) while conducting presence and absence surveys, and controlling co-occurring crustaceans in Shasta County, California for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

Permit No. 826602

Applicant: John Axtel, Minden, Nevada.

The applicant requests a permit to purchase, in interstate commerce, several pairs of captive-bred masked bobwhite quail (*Colinus virginianus*) from Jim Young of Fairhope, Alaska for the purpose of enhancing its propagation and survival.

Permit No. 777965

Applicant: LSA Associates, Inc., Irvine, California.

The applicant requests an amendment to his permit to take (harass by survey) the southwestern willow flycatcher (*Empidonax traillii extimus*) in southern California in conjunction with presence or absence surveys for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

Permit No. 826506

Applicant: EA Engineering, Science & Technology, Inc., Lafayette, California.

The applicant requests a permit to take (harass by survey, locate and monitor nests) the southwestern willow flycatcher (*Empidonax traillii extimus*) in San Bernardino County, California in

conjunction with population studies for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

Permit No. 826200

Applicant: California Department of Parks and Recreation, Pescadero, California.

The applicant requests a permit to take (harass by survey) the San Francisco garter snake (*Thamnophis sirtalis tetrataenia*) in San Mateo County, California in conjunction with population monitoring studies for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

Permit No. 826515

Applicant: Maile Neele, Riverside, California.

The applicant requests a permit to remove and reduce to possession specimens of *Astragalus albens*, *Eriogonum ovalifolium* var. *vineum*, *Lesquerella kingii* ssp. *bernardina*, and *Oxytheca parishii* ssp. *goodmaniana* from Federal lands in San Bernardino County, California in conjunction with genetic research for the purpose of enhancing their propagation and survival.

Permit No. 826511

Applicant: Barry Roth, San Francisco, California.

The applicant requests a permit to take (harass by survey, capture and release) the Morro shoulderband snail (= banded dune) (*Helminthoglypta walkeriana*) in San Luis Obispo County, California in conjunction with presence and absence surveys and ecological studies for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

Permit No. 790136

Applicant: Daniel E. Varland, Hoquiam, Washington.

The applicant requests an amendment to his permit to extend the time period allotted to take (capture, band, and release) the peregrine falcon (*Falco peregrinus*) to include May 15 to August 10, in the area south of the east-west line delineated by the mouth of Conner Creek, Washington in conjunction with scientific research for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

Permit No. 811615

Applicant: Cynthia Jones, Huntington Beach, California.

The applicant requests an amendment of her permit to take (harass by survey, capture and release, collect and sacrifice voucher specimens) the Conservancy fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta conservatio*), longhorn fairy shrimp (*Branchinecta longiantenna*), vernal pool tadpole shrimp (*Lepidurus packardii*), San Diego fairy shrimp (*Brachinecta*

sandiegensis), and Riverside fairy shrimp (*Streptocephalus woottoni*) and to take (locate and monitor nests) the least Bell's vireo (*Vireo bellii pusillus*) throughout the range of these species in California in conjunction with presence or absence surveys and population monitoring for the purpose of enhancing their survival.

Permit No. 826513

Applicant: U.S. Geological Survey, San Simeon, California

The applicant requests a permit to take (capture, mark, release) the blunt-nosed leopard lizard (*Gambelia silus*) and Tipton kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys nitratoides nitratoides*) and take (capture, mark, radio-tag, and release) the giant kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys ingens*) in Kern, San Luis Obispo, and Tulare Counties, California in conjunction with ecological research for the purpose of enhancing their survival.

Permit No. 826600

Applicant: Michael G. Hadfield, Honolulu, Hawaii.

The applicant requests a permit to take (capture, measure, mark collect tissue samples, relocate, release, and captive breed the Oahu tree snails (*Achatinella* spp.) in Oahu County, Hawaii in conjunction with ecological and life history studies for the purpose of enhancing their survival. Most of these activities (capture, measure, mark, collect tissue samples, release, and captive breed Oahu tree snails) have been previously authorized under subpermit HADFMG-6.

Permit No. 797234

Applicant: LSA, Riverside, California.

The applicant requests an amendment to his permit to take (harass by survey) the Tipton kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys nitratoides nitratoides*), giant kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys ingens*), and Fresno kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys nitratoides exilis*) in the San Joaquin Valley, California in conjunction with presence and absence surveys for the purpose of enhancing their survival.

Permit No. 799486

Applicant: Janet A. Randall, San Francisco, California

The applicant requests a permit to take (harass by disturbance) the giant kangaroo rat (*Dipodomys ingens*) in Merced, Fresno, Monterey, San Luis Obispo, Kings, Kern, and Santa Barbara Counties, California in conjunction with behavioral studies and scientific research for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

Permit No. 783010

Applicant: California Department of Transportation, Santa Ana, California.

The applicant requests an amendment of their permit to extend the area authorized to take (harass by survey, locate and monitor nests) the southwestern willow flycatcher (*Empidonax traillii extimus*), and to take (locate and monitor nests) the least Bell's vireo (*Vireo bellii pusillus*) to include San Diego, Los Angeles, Riverside, San Bernardino, and Orange Counties, California in conjunction with population monitoring for the purpose of enhancing their survival.

DATES: Written comments on these permit applications must be received by April 30, 1997.

ADDRESS: Written data or comments should be submitted to the Chief, Division of Consultation and Conservation Planning, Ecological Services, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 911 N.E. 11th Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97232-4181; FAX: 503-231-6243. Please refer to the respective permit number for each application when submitting comments. All comments, including names and addresses, received will become part of the official administrative record and may be made available to the public.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: 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 within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice to the address above; telephone: 503-231-2063. Please refer to the respective permit number for each application when requesting copies of documents.

Dated: March 20, 1997.

Thomas J. Dwyer,

Regional Director, Region 1, Portland, Oregon.
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Klamath River Basin Fisheries Task Force; Meeting

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. 1), this notice announces a meeting of the Klamath River Basin Fisheries Task Force, established under the authority of the Klamath River Fishery Resources Restoration Act (16