exclusion information and is updated in both on-line searchable and downloadable formats. This information is updated on a regular basis. The OIG web site sorts the exclusion of individuals and entities by: (1) The legal basis for the exclusion, (2) the types of individuals and entities that have been excluded, and (3) the State where the excluded individual resided at the time they were excluded or the State where the entity was doing business. In addition, the entire exclusion file may be downloaded for persons who wish to set up their own database. Monthly updates are posted to the downloadable information on the web site.

H. Conclusion

In accordance with the expanded sanction authority provided in HIPAA and BBA, and with limited exceptions,4 an exclusion from Federal health care programs effectively precludes an excluded individual or entity from being employed by, or under contract with, any practitioner, provider or supplier to provide any items and services reimbursed by a Federal health care program. This broad prohibition applies whether the Federal reimbursement is based on itemized claims, cost reports, fee schedules or PPS. Furthermore, it should be recognized that an exclusion remains in effect until the individual or entity has been reinstated to participate in Federal health care programs in accordance with the procedures set forth at 42 CFR 1001.3001 through 1001.3005. Reinstatement does not occur automatically at the end of a term of exclusion, but rather, an excluded party must apply for reinstatement.

If you are an excluded individual or entity, or are considering hiring or contracting with an excluded individual or entity, and question whether or not the employment arrangement may violate the law, the OIG Advisory Opinion process is available to offer formal binding guidance on whether an employment or contractual arrangement may be in violation of the OIG's exclusion and CMP authorities. The process and procedure for submitting an advisory opinion request can be found at 42 CFR 1008, or on the OIG web site at www.hhs.gov/oig.

Dated: September 21, 1999.

June Gibbs Brown,

Inspector General.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Notice of Receipt of Application for Approval

The following applicant has applied for approval to conduct certain activities with birds that are protected in accordance with the Wild Bird Conservation Act of 1992. This notice is provided pursuant to Section 112(4) of the Wild Bird Conservation Act of 1992, 50 CFR 15.26(c).

Applicant: Jerry Jennings, on behalf of the Cooperative Breeding Program for Keel-billed toucan, Red-breasted toucan, Saffron toucanet, and Chestnut-eared aracari (CB006). The applicant wishes to amend the approved cooperative breeding program to include the Spotbilled toucanet (Selenidera maculirostris). The Toucan Preservation Center maintains responsibility for the oversight of the program.

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: (703/358–2095); FAX: (703/358–2298).

Dated: September 24, 1999.

Dr. Rosemarie Gnam,

Chief, Branch of Operations, Office of Management Authority. [FR Doc. 99–25398 Filed 9–29–99; 8:45 am]

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management,

[NM-070-1430-01; NMNM 97495]

Notice of Realty action—Recreation and Public Purpose (R&PP) Act Classification, New Mexico

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The following described public land in San Juan County, New Mexico have been examined and found suitable for classification for lease or conveyance to the City of Farmington under the provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes (R&PP) Act, as amended (43 U.S.C. 869 et seq.). City of Farmington proposes to use the land for a sports complex with adjoining trail system.

New Mexico Principal Meridian

T. 29 N., R. 13 W.,

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containing 7.95 acres, more or less.

COMMENT DATES: On or before November 15, 1999 interested parties may submit comments regarding the proposed conveyance or classification of the lands to the Bureau of Land Management at the following address. Any adverse comments will be reviewed by the Field Office Manager, Bureau of Land Management, 1235 La Plata Highway, Suite A, Farmington, New Mexico 87401 who may sustain, vacate, or modify this reality action. In the absence of any adverse comments, this realty action becomes the final determination of the Department of the Interior and effective November 30. 1999.

FURTHER INFORMATION: Information related to this action, including the environmental assessment, is available for review at the Bureau of Land Management, Farmington Field Office, 1235 La Plata Highway, Suite A, Farmington, NM 87401.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Upon publication of this notice in the Federal Register, the lands will be segregated from all other forms of appropriation under the public land laws, including the general mining laws, except for lease or conveyance under the R&PP Act and leasing under the mineral leasing laws. The segregative effect will terminate upon issuance of the patent to City of Farmington, or two (2) years from the date of this publication, whichever occurs first.

⁴ In certain instances, a State health care program may request a waiver of an exclusion if an individual or entity is the sole community physician or the sole source of essential specialized services in a community (42 CFR 1001.1801(b)).

The lease/patient, when issued, will be subject to the following terms, conditions and reservations:

- 1. Reservation to the United States of a right-of-way for ditches and canals in accordance with 43 U.S.C. 945.
- Reservation to the United States of all minerals.
- 3. All valid existing rights, e.g., rightsof-way and leases of record.
- 4. Provisions that if the patentee or its successor attempts to transfer title to or control over the land to another or the land is devoted to a use other than that for which the land was conveyed, without the consent of the Secretary of the Interior or his delegate, or prohibits or restricts, directly or indirectly, or permits its agents employees, contractors, or subcontractors, including without limitation, lessees, sublessees and permittees), to prohibit or restrict, directly or indirectly, the use of any part of the patented lands or any of the facilities whereon by any person because of such person's race, creed, color, or national origin, title shall revert to the United States.

The lands are not needed for Federal purposes. Lease or conveyance is consistent with current BLM land use planning and would be in the public interest.

Dated: September 24, 1999.

Lee Otteni,

Field Office Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[CO-100-1990-00]

Temporary Travel Restrictions

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior.

ACTION: Establishment of travel restrictions for the Irish Canyon and Lookout Mountain ACEC (Area of Critical Environmental Concern) areas of Moffat County, Colorado.

SUMMARY: This order closes certain public lands to motorized vehicle use in the Irish Canyon and Lookout Mountain ACEC in the Little Snake Field Office, Moffat County, Colorado. This order modifies the existing use "designated roads and trails" on 11,680 acres for the Irish Canyon ACEC and 6,500 acres for the Lookout Mountain ACEC. The existing restrictions now include an emergency limitation that prohibits the use of any motorized wheeled vehicles off existing roads and trails. This order

is issued under the authority of 43 CFR 8364.1 and 43 CFR 8341.2(a) as a temporary measure while the off-highway vehicle (OHV) management portion of the Little Snake Resource Area (Field Office) Resource Management Plan is reviewed and modified as needed to address public issues, concerns, and needs, as well as resource uses, development, impacts, and protection.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 1, 1999.
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John E. Husband, Field Manager, Little Snake Field Office, 455 Emerson Street, Craig, Colorado 81625 at (970) 826–5000.
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This order affects public lands in Moffat County, Colorado thus described:

(1) Irish Canyon ACEC

Public Lands within:

- T.11N., R.101W., Secs. 19, 29, 30, 32, and 33;
- T.10N., R.101W., Secs. 2 thru 5, 9 thru 11, 13 thru 16, 18, 22 thru 27, and 34 thru 36:
- T.10N., R.100W., Secs. 30 and 31; T.9N., R.101W., Secs. 1 thru 3, 11, and 12; T.9N., R.100W., Secs. 5 thru 8;

(2) Lookout Mountain ACEC

Public Lands within:

T.11N., R.98W., Secs. 19, 20, 29, and 30; T.11N., R.99W., Secs. 25, 26, 32 thru 36 T.10N., R.99W., Secs. 1 thru 7, 9, 10, 15, 16, and 18

This restriction order shall be effective October 1, 1999, and shall remain in effect until rescinded or modified by the Authorized Officer.

Current OHV use designations for public land in the area, established in the Little Snake Resource Area Management Plan, 1989, allow motorized vehicle use on designated road and trails year round. Increased OHV use in adjacent areas are impacting the Irish Canyon and Lookout Mountain ACECs. This is causing an unacceptable impact to natural resources and potentially to the significant cultural resources within the ACECs.

Given due consideration of concerns expressed by the public and the potential impacts of motorized vehicle use, a modification of existing OHV use designation is necessary to adequately protect natural resources and cultural resources on public land and ensure public safety. This modification is an emergency limitation that prohibits the use of motorized vehicles off existing roads and trails. These issues will be thoroughly addressed in upcoming activity planning for these two ACEC areas.

The ACEC area roads and trails affected by this order will be posted with appropriate regulatory signs. Maps of the roads and trails will be available at the Irish Canyon Interpretive site and in the Field Office at the address below.

Persons who are exempt from this restriction contained in this notice include:

- 1. Any Federal, State, or local Officers engaged in fire, emergency, and law enforcement activities.
- 2. BLM employees engaged in official duties.
- 3. Persons or agencies holding a special use permit or right-of-way for access to maintenance and operations of authorized facilities within the restricted area, for purposes related to access for maintenance and operation of said authorized facilities, and provided such motorized use is limited to the routes specifically identified in the special use permit or right-of-way.
- 4. Grazing permittee is authorized during the permitted grazing season for related motorized use to existing roads and trails. Grazing permittee is authorized in emergency situations, sick or injured animals, to recover the animal(s) with as little damage as possible to the area. Further, notify the Authorized Officer, within 10 working days, of such actions by phone and in a letter describing the location and reason for the action.

Penalties

Violations of this restriction order are punishable by fines not to exceed \$1,000 and/or imprisonment not to exceed 12 months.

Dated: September 24, 1999.

John E. Husband,

Field Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Reclamation

Bay-Delta Advisory Council's Ecosystem Roundtable Meeting

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation,

Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Meeting.

SUMMARY: The Bay-Delta Advisory Council's (BDAC) Ecosystem Roundtable will meet on October 13, 1999 to discuss potential projects for FY 2000 including additional 1999 watershed projects and other issues. This meeting is open to the public. Interested persons may make oral statements to the Ecosystem Roundtable or may file written statements for consideration.