

Dated: September 5, 2000.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### National Park Service

#### **Telecommunications Facilities; Construction and Operation: Lake Mead National Recreation Area, Clark County, NV**

**AGENCY:** Lake Mead National Recreation Area, NPS, DOI.

**ACTION:** Public notice.

**SUMMARY:** Public notice is hereby given that Lake Mead National Recreation Area has determined that an application by Pacific Bell Wireless of Nevada to co-locate on an existing communications tower in the River Mountains near the Southern Nevada Water Treatment Plant Surge Tanks is categorically excluded from the requirements of NEPA.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** Comments on the proposal will be accepted on or before October 18, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested parties should contact Superintendent, Lake Mead National Recreation Area, 601 Nevada Highway, Boulder City, Nevada 89005. Further information may be obtained by contacting Nancy Hendricks (702) 293-8949.

**SUPPLEMENTARY NOTICE:** The initial application made by Pacific Bell Wireless of Nevada requests permission to Co-locate on the existing tower in the River Mountains. The Superintendent will consider and evaluate all comments received before authorizing Pacific Bell Wireless to proceed with the permitting process.

Dated: September 8, 2000.

**Kent Turner,**

*Acting Superintendent, Lake Mead National Recreation Area.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Reclamation

#### **Bay-Delta Advisory Council's Ecosystem Roundtable Meeting and Ecosystem Roundtable Amendments Subcommittee Meeting**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of meetings.

**SUMMARY:** The Bay-Delta Advisory Council's (BDAC) Ecosystem Roundtable will meet on October 2, 2000 to discuss an initial recommendation for funding under the 2001 Ecosystem Restoration Program project selection process. The Amendments Subcommittee will also meet on October 2, 2000 to discuss proposed contract modifications for several ongoing ecosystem restoration projects. These meetings are open to the public. Interested persons may make oral statements to the Ecosystem Roundtable and Amendments Subcommittee or may file written statements for consideration.

**DATES:** The BDAC's Ecosystem Roundtable meeting will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Monday, October 2, 2000. The Ecosystem Roundtable Amendments Subcommittee meeting will be held from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Monday, October 2, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** The Ecosystem Roundtable and Amendments Subcommittee will meet at the Resources Building, Room XXXX, 1416 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Rebecca Fawver, CALFED Bay-Delta Program, at (916) 657-2666. If reasonable accommodation is needed due to a disability, please contact the Equal Employment Opportunity Office at (916) 653-6952 or TDD (916) 653-6934 at least one week prior to the meeting.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The San Francisco Bay/Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Estuary (Bay-Delta system) is a critically important part of California's natural environment and economy. In recognition of the serious problems facing the region and the complex resource management decisions that must be made, the state of California and the Federal government are working together to stabilize, protect, restore, and enhance the Bay-Delta system. The State and Federal agencies with management and regulatory responsibilities in the Bay-Delta system are working together as CALFED to provide policy direction and oversight for the process.

One area of Bay-Delta management includes the establishment of a joint State-Federal process to develop long-term solutions to problems in the Bay-Delta system related to fish and wildlife, water supply reliability, natural disasters, and water quality. The intent is to develop a comprehensive and balanced plan that addresses all of the resource problems. This effort, the CALFED Bay-Delta Program (Program), is being carried out under the policy

direction of CALFED. The Program is exploring and developing a long-term solution for a cooperative planning process that will determine the most appropriate strategy and actions necessary to improve water quality, restore health to the Bay-Delta ecosystem, provide for a variety of beneficial uses, and minimize Bay-Delta system vulnerability. A group of citizen advisors representing California's agricultural, environmental, urban, business, fishing, and other interests who have a stake in finding long-term solutions for the problems affecting the Bay-Delta system has been chartered under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA). The BDAC provides advice CALFED on the program mission, problems to be addressed, and objectives for the Program. BDAC provides a forum to help ensure public participation, and will review reports and other materials prepared by CALFED staff. BDAC has established a subcommittee called the Ecosystem Roundtable to provide input on annual workplans to implement ecosystem restoration projects and programs.

Minutes of the meeting will be maintained by the Program, Suite 1155, 1416 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and will be available for public inspection during regular business hours, Monday through Friday within 30 days following the meeting.

Dated: September 12, 2000.

**Kirk C. Rodgers,**

*Duty Regional Director, Mid-Pacific Region.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Drug Enforcement Administration

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#### **Controlled Substances: 2000 Aggregate Production Quota**

**AGENCY:** Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), Department of Justice.

**ACTION:** Notice of a proposed revision to the 2000 aggregate production quota for marihuana.

**SUMMARY:** This notice proposes a revised 2000 aggregate production quota for marihuana, a Schedule I controlled substance in the Controlled Substances Act (CSA).

**DATES:** Comments or objections should be received on or before October 3, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments or objections to the Deputy Administrator,

Drug Enforcement Administration, Washington, D.C. 20537, Attn: DEA Federal Register Representative (CCR).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Frank L. Sapienza, Chief, Drug and Chemical Evaluation Section, Drug Enforcement Administration, Washington, D.C. 20537, Telephone: (202) 307-7183.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 306 of the CSA (21 U.S.C. 826) requires that the Attorney General establish aggregate production quotas for each basic class of controlled substances listed in Schedules I and II each year. This responsibility has been delegated to the Administrator of the DEA by Section 0.100 of Title 28 of the Code of Federal Regulations. The Administrator, in turn, has redelegated this function to the Deputy Administrator of the DEA pursuant to Section 0.104 of Title 28 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

Until recently, there have been no DEA registrants with status as a bulk manufacturer of marihuana plant material. Therefore, the DEA had not previously established an aggregate production quota for marihuana greater than zero. However, on November 4, 1999, DEA granted a bulk manufacturing registration to an applicant who will cultivate marihuana for scientific, research, and development purposes. The nature of the cultivation process necessitates the sowing of seeds immediately in order to manufacture the controlled substance in calendar year 2000.

Therefore, under the authority vested in the Attorney General by Section 306 of the CSA (21 U.S.C. 826), delegated to the Administrator of the DEA by Section 0.100 of Title 28 of the Code of Federal Regulations, and redelegated to the Deputy Administrator pursuant to Section 0.104 of Title 28 of the Code of Federal Regulations, the Deputy Administrator hereby proposes the following revision to the 2000 aggregate production quota for the listed controlled substance, expressed in grams of manicured material (*i.e.* leaves, flowering tops, and seeds):

Basic class	Proposed revised 2000 aggregate production quota
Marihuana .....	350,000

All interested persons are invited to submit their comments and objections in writing regarding this proposal. If a person believes this issue warrants a hearing, the individual should so state and summarize the reasons for this belief.

In the event that comments or objections to this proposal raise one or more issues which the Deputy Administrator finds warrant a hearing, the Deputy Administrator shall order a public hearing by notice in the **Federal Register** in accordance with Section 1303.32 of 21 CFR, summarizing the issues to be heard and setting the time for the hearing.

The Office of Management and Budget has determined that notices of aggregate production quotas are not subject to centralized review under Executive Order 12866. This action has been analyzed in accordance with the principles and criteria contained in Executive Order 13132, and it has been determined that this matter does not have sufficient federalism implications to warrant the preparation of a Federalism Assessment.

The Deputy Administrator hereby certifies that this action will have no significant impact upon small entities whose interests must be considered under the Regulatory Flexibility Act, 5 U.S.C. 601 *et seq.* The establishment of aggregate production quotas for Schedules I and II controlled substances is mandated by law and by international treaty obligations. Aggregate production quotas apply to approximately 200 DEA registered bulk and dosage form manufacturers of Schedules I and II controlled substances. The quotas are necessary to provide for the estimated medical, scientific, research and industrial needs of the United States, for export requirements and the establishment and maintenance of reserve stocks. While aggregate production quotas are of primary importance to large manufacturers, their impact upon small entities is neither negative nor beneficial. Furthermore, this action involves only one basic class of controlled substance. Accordingly, the Deputy Administrator has determined that this action does not require a regulatory flexibility analysis.

Dated: September 6, 2000.

**Julio F. Mercado,**

*Deputy Administrator.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Federal Bureau of Investigation

#### Meeting of the Compact Council for the National Crime Prevention and Privacy Compact

**AGENCY:** Federal Bureau of Investigation, Justice.

**ACTION:** Meeting notice.

**SUMMARY:** The purpose of this notice is to announce a meeting of the Compact Council created by the National Crime Prevention and Privacy Compact Act of 1998 (Compact). Thus, far, the Federal government and eight states are parties to the Compact which governs the exchange of criminal history records for licensing, employment, and similar purposes. The Compact also provides a legal framework for the establishment of a cooperative Federal-state system to exchange such records.

Matters for discussions are expected to include: (1) Discussion of rules and procedures to gain compliance with Compact record screening requirements, (2) State audit/sanctions criteria, (3) Compact Council Sanctions Committee report, (4) Interpretations of the Compact requirement for fingerprints to accompany record requests for noncriminal justice purposes, (5) The Compact Council's authority over Public Law 92-544, and (6) Proposed amendments to the National Crime Protection Act.

The meeting will be open to the public on a first-come, first-seated basis. Any member of the public wishing to file a written statement with the Compact Council or wishing to address this session of the Compact Council should notify Mr. Emmet A. Rathbun at (304) 625-2720, at least 24 hours prior to the start of the session. The notification should contain the requestor's name and corporate designation, consumer affiliation, or government designation, along with a short statement describing the topic to be addressed, and the time needed for the presentation. Requestors will ordinarily be allowed up to 15 minutes to present a topic.

**DATES AND TIMES:** The Compact Council will meet in open session from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. on October 10-11, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will take place at the Omni Shoreham Hotel, 2500 Calvert Street, NW, Washington, DC, telephone (202) 234-0700.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Inquiries may be addressed to Mr. Emmet A. Rathbun, Unit Chief, Programs Development Section, CJIS Division, FBI, 1000 Custer Hollow Road, Clarksburg, West Virginia 26306-0147, telephone (304) 625-2720, facsimile (304) 625-5388.

Dated: September 7, 2000.

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*Section Chief, Programs Development Section, Federal Bureau of Investigation.*

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