

provisions of FACA. It reports to the Secretary of the Interior through the Trinity River Management Council and functions solely as an advisory body. The Working Group provides recommendations and advice to the Trinity Management Council on (1) the effectiveness of management actions in achieving restoration goals and alternative hypotheses for study, (2) the priority of restoration projects, (3) funding priorities, and (4) other program components.

The Secretary will appoint members who can effectively represent the varied interests associated with the Trinity River Restoration Program. Members will represent stakeholders, Federal and State agencies, and tribes. Members will be senior representatives of their respective constituent groups with knowledge of the Trinity River Restoration Program including the Adaptive Environmental Assessment and Management Program. The Secretary will appoint Working Group members based on nominations submitted by interested parties, including but not limited to Trinity County residents, recreational and commercial fishermen, commercial and recreational boaters, power utilities, water users, forestry, grazing/ranchers, public trust interests, tribal interests, and the general public.

The Working Group will meet at least two times per year. The Fish and Wildlife Service provides necessary support services to the Working Group. All Working Group meetings, as well as its subcommittee meetings, will be open to the public. A notice announcing each Working Group meeting will be published in the **Federal Register** at least 15 days before the date of the meeting. The public will have the opportunity to provide input at all meetings.

We expect the Working Group to continue for the duration of the Trinity River Restoration Program. Its continuation is, however, subject to biennial renewal.

Fifteen days after publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, we will file a copy of the Working Group's charter with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration; Committee on Environment and Public Works, United States Senate; Committee on Resources, United States House of Representatives; and the Library of Congress.

The Certification for renewal is published below.

Certification

I hereby certify that the Trinity River Adaptive Management Working Group is necessary and is in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed on the Department of the Interior by Public Laws 84-386 and 96-335 (Trinity River Stream Rectification Act), 98-541 and 104-143 (Trinity River Basin Fish and Wildlife Management Act of 1984, and 102-575 (The Central Valley Improvement Act). The Working Group will assist the Department of the Interior by providing advice and recommendations on all aspects of implementation of the Trinity River Restoration Program.

Dated: October 21, 2004.

Gale A. Norton,

Secretary of the Interior.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Issuance of Permits

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of issuance of permits for endangered species and marine mammals.

SUMMARY: The following permits were issued.

ADDRESSES: 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: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203; fax (703) 358-2281.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Division of Management Authority, telephone 703/358-2104.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that on the dates below, as authorized by the provisions of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*), and/or the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361, *et seq.*), the Fish and Wildlife Service issued the requested permits subject to certain conditions set forth therein. For each permit for an endangered species, the Service found that (1) the application was filed in good faith, (2) the granted permit would not operate to the disadvantage of the endangered species, and (3) the granted permit would be consistent with the purposes and policy set forth in Section 2 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended.

ENDANGERED SPECIES

| Permit No. | Applicant | Receipt of application Federal Register notice | Permit issuance date |
|--------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| 08754 | Sierra Endangered Cat Haven | 69 FR 51703, August 20, 2004 | October 7, 2004. |
| 090181 | Nashville Zoo | 69 FR 51702, August 20, 2004 | October 7, 2004. |
| 090035 | Wildlife Conservation Society | 69 FR 51702, August 20, 2004 | September 28, 2004. |
| 089828 | Cincinnati Zoo and Botanical Garden | 69 FR 51702, August 20, 2004 | September 28, 2004. |
| 088784 | Gibbon Conservation Center | 69 FR 51703, August 20, 2004 | October 7, 2004. |

ENDANGERED MARINE MAMMALS AND MARINE MAMMALS

| Permit No. | Applicant | Receipt of application Federal Register notice | Permit issuance date |
|--------------|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| 063561 | Florida Atlantic University | 68 FR 69418; December 12, 2003 | November 6, 2004. |
| 072586 | Boone and Crockett Club | 69 FR 13329; March 22, 2004 | June 22, 2004. |
| 078744 | Randall Davis | 69 FR13329; March 22, 2004 | November 6, 2004. |
| 081115 | Seward Association, dba Alaska Sealife Center. | 69 FR 3386; January 23, 2004 | September 7, 2004. |
| 088944 | National Museum of the American Indian | 69 FR 40965; July 7, 2004 | September 9, 2004. |

Dated: October 15, 2004.
Monica Farris,
*Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits,
 Division of Management Authority.*
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Issuance of Permits

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.
ACTION: Notice of issuance of permits for endangered species and/or marine mammals.

SUMMARY: The following permits were issued.
ADDRESSES: 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: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203; fax (703) 358-2281.
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Division of Management Authority, telephone (703) 358-2104.
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that on the dates below, as

authorized by the provisions of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*), and/or the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361, *et seq.*), the Fish and Wildlife Service issued the requested permits subject to certain conditions set forth therein. For each permit for an endangered species, the Service found that (1) the application was filed in good faith, (2) the granted permit would not operate to the disadvantage of the endangered species, and (3) the granted permit would be consistent with the purposes and policy set forth in Section 2 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended.

ENDANGERED SPECIES

| Permit No. | Applicant | Receipt of application Federal Register notice | Permit notice issuance date |
|--------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 085459 | Clyde Bros./Johnson Circus Corp. | 60 FR 47171; August 4, 2004 | October 1, 2004. |
| 087188 | University of Massachusetts | 69 FR 51702; August 20, 2004 | October 1, 2004. |
| 090528 | Douglas E. Owens | 69 FR 51702; August 20, 2004 | September 28, 2004. |

MARINE MAMMALS

| Permit No. | Applicant | Receipt of application Federal Register notice | Permit notice issuance date |
|--------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 090007 | Larry P. Carlson | 69 FR 47171; August 4, 2004 | September 20, 2004. |

Dated: October 8, 2004.
Michael S. Moore,
*Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits,
 Division of Management Authority.*
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Receipt of Applications for Permit

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.
ACTION: Notice of receipt of applications for permit.

SUMMARY: The public is invited to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with endangered species.

DATES: Written data, comments or requests must be received by November 29, 2004.

ADDRESSES: 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: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203; fax (703) 358-2281.
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Division of Management Authority, telephone (703) 358-2104.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Endangered Species

The public is invited to comment on the following applications 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.*). Written data, comments, or requests for copies of these complete applications should be submitted to the Director (address above).

PRT-045532

Applicant: National Marine Fisheries Service, Miami, FL.

The applicant requests an amendment and renewal of their permit to import and/or introduce from the sea, biological samples collected from wild Kemp's ridley sea turtle (*Lepidochelys*

kempii), hawksbill sea turtle (*Eretmochelys imbricata*), and leatherback sea turtle (*Dermochelys coriacea*) for the purpose of scientific research. The amendment request is for biopsy samples to be collected from incidentally captured live specimens and the renewal is for samples collected opportunistically from salvaged specimens. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a five-year period.

PRT-093944

Applicant: George R. Fusner, III, Brentwood, TN.

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

Dated: October 8, 2004.

Michael S. Moore,

*Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits,
 Division of Management Authority.*
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