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Fire Prevention Orders Order No. CA-330-08-02

Fire Use and Prevention Restrictions

In compliance with **Title 43 Code of Federal Regulations, Section 9212.2** the following acts are prohibited on Public Lands within the Bureau of Land Management's King Range National Conservation Area beginning July 3, 2008 at 12:01 AM, and continuing until further notice:

1. It is illegal to build, maintain, attend, or use any open fire, campfire, charcoal barbeque or stove including the fire rings or stoves provided within designated developed recreation sites in the King Range National Conservation Area. Portable stoves using gas, jelled petroleum or pressurized liquid fuel are exempt from this restriction when accompanied by a valid "Camp Fire Permit".
2. It is illegal to operate an internal combustion engine except on a road or other designated trails. Chainsaws with functional spark arresters operated in accordance with activity levels specified in contract clauses are exempt from this restriction.
3. It is illegal to smoke, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, or at a designated developed recreation site, or other designated area.
4. It is illegal to possess, operate or use any motorized vehicle off established/maintained roads and trails on public lands.
5. It is illegal to use or possess any fireworks, including safe and sane on all public lands within the King Range National Conservation Area. The previously announced exemption for designated areas at Black Sands and Mattole beaches is rescinded.
6. It is illegal to discharge any ammunition with a steel jacket, steel core, armor piercing, tracer, exploding type projectile, or any other incendiary type ammunition or device (including but not limited to flares, signaling devices and Bullz-I and other exploding targets.)
7. It is illegal to violate any Federal, State, County, or Local law, regulation, or ordinance designed to support wildfire prevention.

Pursuant to **43 CFR 9212.2 (3)**, the following persons are exempt from this order:

1. Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act.
2. Any Federal, State, or local Officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

This order applies to all public lands within the boundaries of the King Range National Conservation Area, Bureau of Land Management. The public lands are located within the counties of Humboldt and Mendocino. For more information, please call the Arcata Field Office at 707-825-2300, or King Range Project Office at 707-986-5400.

Signed in Arcata, California, on the 2nd day of July, 2008.

Lynda Roush
Arcata Field Manager

Upon conviction, violators of these Fire Prevention Orders will be subject to a fine of not more than \$100,000 or imprisonment for not more than 12 months, or both (Title 43, C.F.R. 9212.4). In addition, the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection could hold violators liable for costs associated with resource damage.