Dated: May 14, 1993.

Stephanie Hargorve,

Associate District Manager.

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Realty Action; Direct Sale of Public Lands; Wyoming

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of realty action, direct sale of public lands in Crook County.

SUMMARY: The following public surface estate has been determined to be suitable for disposal by direct sale under section 203 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA) of 1976, (90 Stat. 2750; 43 U.S.C. 1713). The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is required to receive fair market value for the land sold and any bid for less than fair market value will be rejected. The BLM may accept or reject any and all offers, or withdraw any land or interest in the land for sale if the sale would not be consistent with FLPMA or other applicable law.

Sixth Principal Meridian

T. 57 N., R. 66 W.,
Sec. 33, lots 1, 2.

The above land aggregates 45.58 acres in Crook County.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Floyd Ewing, Area Manager, Bureau of Land Management, Newcastle Resource Area, 1101 Washington Blvd., Newcastle, Wyoming 82701, 307–746–4453.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This sale is consistent with Bureau of Land Management policies and the Newcastle Management Framework Plan. The purpose of this sale is to dispose of an isolated parcel of public land. The fair market values, planning document, and environmental assessment covering the proposed sale will be available for review at the Bureau of Land Management, Newcastle Resource Area, Newcastle, Wyoming.

The parcel will be offered by direct sale to the adjoining landowner. The adjoining landowner will be required to submit proof of adjoining land ownership before a bid can be accepted.

The publication of this Notice of Realty Action in the **Federal Register** shall segregate the above public lands from appropriation under the public land laws, including the mining laws. Any subsequent application shall not be accepted, shall not be considered as filed and shall be returned to the applicant if the Notice segregates the land from the use applied for in the application. The segregative effect of this Notice will terminate upon issuance of a conveyance document, 270 days, or when a cancellation Notice is published, whichever occurs first.

Sale Procedures

1. All bidders must be U.S. citizens, 18 years of age or older, corporations authorized to own real estate in the State of Wyoming, a state, state instrumentality or political subdivision authorized to hold property, or an entity legally capable of conveying and holding land or interests in Wyoming.

2. Sealed bidding is the only acceptable method of bidding. All bids must be received in the Newcastle Resource Area Office by 11 a.m., July 28, 1993, at which time the sealed bid envelopes will be opened and the high bid announced. The high bidder will be notified in writing within 30 days whether or not the BLM can accept the bid. The sealed bid envelope must be marked on the front lower left-hand corner with the words "Public Land Sale, (W–94502), Sale held July 28, 1993."

3. All sealed bids must be accompanied by a payment of not less than 10 percent of the total bid. Each bid and final payment must be accompanied by certified check, money order, bank draft, or cashier's check made payable to: Department of the Interior-BLM.

4. Failure to pay the remainder of the full bid price within 180 days of the sale will disqualify the apparent high bidder and the deposit shall be forfeited and disposed of as other receipts of the sale. If the apparent high bidder is disqualified, the next highest qualified bid will be honored or the land will be reoffered under competitive procedures. If two or more envelopes containing valid bids of the same amount are received, supplemented sealed bidding will be used to determine the high bid. Additional sealed bids will be submitted to resolve all ties.

5. If the parcel fails to sell, it will be reoffered for sale under competitive procedures. For reoffered land, bids must be received in the Newcastle Resource Area Office by 11 a.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month beginning August 25, 1993. Reoffered land will remain available for sale until sold or until the sale action is cancelled or terminated. Reappraisals of the parcel will be made periodically to reflect the current fair market value. If the fair market value of the parcel changes, the land will remain open for competitive bidding according to the procedures and conditions of this notice.

Patent Terms and Conditions

Any patent issued will be subject to all valid existing rights. Specific patent reservations include:

1. A right-of-way thereon for ditches or canals constructed by the authority of the United States pursuant to the Act of August 30, 1890 (43 U.S.C. 945).

2. All minerals will be reserved to the United States, together with the right to prospect for, mine, and remove the minerals. A more detailed description of this reservation, which will be incorporated into the patent document, is available for review at the BLM Newcastle Resource Area Office.

For a period of 45 days from the date of this notice published in the **Federal Register**, interested parties may submit comments to the BLM, District Manager, Casper District Office, 1701 East E Street, Casper, Wyoming 82601. Any adverse comments will be evaluated by the State Director, who may vacate or modify this realty action and issue a final determination. In the absence of any action by the State Director, this realty action will become final.

Dated: May 14, 1993.

Mike Karbs,

District Manager.

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Final Supplementary Rules for Certain Public Lands Managed by the Bureau of Land Management Within the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area, Las Vegas District, Nevada

May 11, 1993.

SUMMARY: These supplementary rules are necessary for the management of actions, activities, and public use on certain public lands which may have or are having adverse impacts on persons using public lands, on property, and on resources located on public lands located in, or acquired for inclusion within, the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area (NCA), Las Vegas District, in the State of Nevada. The supplementary rules consists of rules and legal definitions which support the rules.

The affected lands are located in the following areas:

Mount Diablo Meridian

T. 20 S., R. 57 E., Sec. 24, 25, and 36.

T. 20 S., R. 58 E., Sec. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17; Lots 1–4 and E½, E½W½ of Sec. 18; Lots 1–4 and E½, E½W½ of Sec. 19; Sec. 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29; Lots 1–4, E½, E½W½ of Sec. 30; Lots 1–4, E½, E½W½ of Sec. 31; Sec. 32, 33, 34, 35, 36.

T. 20 S., R. 59 E., Lots 1–4 and E½, E½W½ of Sec. 7; Sec. 8, 9; N½ of Sec. 16; Lots 1–12 of Sec. 17; Lots 1–4 and E½, E½W½, of Sec. 18; Lots 3–12 and E½ SW¼, SE¼ of Sec. 19; Lots 1–4 of Sec. 20; Lots 1–4 and E½, E½W½ of Sec. 30; Lots 1–4 and E½, E½W½, of Sec. 31; S½ (within) of Sec. 32.

T. 21 S., R. 57 E., Lots 1–4 and S½N½, S½, of Sec. 1; Sec. 12, 13, 24, 25, 36.

T. 21 S., R. 58 E., Lots 2, 3, 4 and SW¼NE¼, W½SE¼NE¼, S½NW¼, SW¼, W½NE¼SE¼, SE¼NE¼SE¼, W½SE¼, SE¼SE¼, of Sec 1; Lots 1–4, S½N½, S½ of Sec. 2; Lots 1–4, S½N½, S½ of Sec. 3; Lots 1–4, S½N½, S½ of Sec. 4; Lots 1–4, S½N½, S½ of Sec. 5; Lots 1–7, S½NE¼, SE¼NW¼, E½SW¼, SE¼ of Sec. 6; Lots 1–4, E½, E½ of Sec. 7; Sec. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15; N½N½, SE¼NE¼, SW¼NW¼, S½ of Sec. 16; Sec. 17; Lots 1–4, E½, E½W½ of Sec. 18; Lots 1–4, E½, E½W½ of Sec. 19; Sec. 20, 21, 22, 23; E½NE¼, E½W½NE¼, NW¼NW¼NE¼, N½NW¼, SW¼NW¼, N½SE¼NW¼, SW¼SE¼NW¼, W½SW¼, W½SE¼SW¼, E½NE¼SE¼, NE¼SW¼SE¼; SE¼SE¼ of Sec. 24; W½NW¼NE¼, SE¼NW¼NE¼, SW¼NE¼, W½, W½E½SE¼, W½SE¼ of Sec. 25; Sec. 26, 27, 28, 29; Lots 1–4, E½, E½W½ of Sec. 30; Lots 1–4, E½, E½W½ of Sec. 31; Sec. 32, 33; N½, SW¼, N½SE¼, SW¼SE¼ of Sec. 34; E½, NW¼ of Sec. 35; W½E½NE¼, W½NE¼, W½, N½SE¼, SW¼SE¼, W½SE¼SE¼ of Sec. 36.

T. 21 S., R. 59 E., S½NW¼ of Sec. 3; Lots 3, 4 (within), Lots 5–8 and S½NW¼, SW¼, of Sec. 4; Lots 1–4 and S½N½, S½, of Sec. 5; Lots 1, 2, 7 and S½NE¼, S½SE¼SE¼NW¼, N½NW¼NE¼SW¼, S½S½NE¼SW¼, SE¼SW¼, E½SE¼, S½NE¼SW¼SE¼, N½NW¼SW¼SE¼ of Sec. 6; Lots 1–4, E½, E½W½ of Sec. 7; Sec. 8, 9; Lots 15–18 of Sec. 10; Lots 3, 4 and N½NW¼, of Sec. 16; Lots 1–7 and N½N½ of Sec. 17; Lots 5–17 and N½NE¼, NE¼NW¼, of Sec. 18; Lots 1–4 and E½, E½W½ of Sec. 19.

T. 22 S., R. 58 E., Lots 1–4 and S½N½, N½SE¼, SE¼SE¼ of Sec. 1; Lots 1–3 and S½N½, N½SW¼, NW¼SE¼ of Sec. 2; Lots 3, 4 and SW¼NW¼, S½SW¼, SE¼ of Sec. 3; Lots 1–4 and S½N½, S½ of Sec. 4; Lots 1–4 and S½N½, S½ of Sec. 5; Lots 1, 2, 7–13, S½NE¼, SE¼SW¼, SE¼ of Sec. 6; Lots 1–4, E½, and E½W½ of Sec. 7; Sec. 8, 9, 10; Lots 1–4 and N½, SW¼ of Sec. 11; Lots 1–6 and E½, SE¼SW¼ of Sec. 12; Lots 1, 2 and E½, E½W½, W½NW¼ of Sec. 13; Lots 1–10 and W½NW¼, SW¼ of Sec. 14; Sec. 15, 16, 17; Lots 1–4 and E½, E½W½ of Sec. 18; NE¼ of Sec. 20; Sec. 21, 22; Lots 1–8 and S½ of Sec. 23; Lots 1–4 and N½, SW¼ of Sec. 24; Lots 1–5 and SW¼NE¼, W½W½, SE¼NW¼, E½SW¼, W½SE¼, SE¼SE¼, of Sec. 25; Lots 1, 2 and N½, SW¼, E½SE¼ of Sec. 26; Sec. 27, 28; Lots 1–6 and N½NE¼, W½ of Sec. 33; Lots 1–13 and W½NE¼, NE¼NW¼ of Sec. 34; Lots 1–11, and E½E½, NW¼SE¼ of Sec. 35; Sec. 36.

T. 22 S., R. 59 E., Lot 4 (within), Lots 5, 6, 7 and SE¼NW¼ (within), E½SW¼, NW¼SE¼ (within), SW¼SE¼, SE¼ SE¼ (within) of Sec. 6; Lots 1–4 and N½NE¼, N½SW¼NE¼, E½NW¼, E½SW¼, S½NE¼SW¼SE¼, W½SW¼SE¼, SE¼SW¼SE¼, SE¼SE¼ of Sec. 7; W½NW¼, SW¼, SW¼SE¼ of Sec. 8; W½NE¼, NW¼ of Sec. 17; Lots 1, 2 and NE¼, E½NW¼ of Sec. 18.

T. 23 S., R. 58 E., Lots 1–4 and S½N½, S½ of Sec. 1; Lots 1–4 and S½N½, S½ of Sec. 2; Lots 1–4 and S½N½, S½ of Sec. 3; Lots 1–4 and S½N½, S½ of Sec. 4; Sec. 9, 10, 11, 12.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 21, 1993.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Randy August, Bureau of Land Management, Las Vegas District Office, P.O. Box 26569, Las Vegas, Nevada 89126, Telephone: 702–647–5000.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Nevada State Director of the Bureau of Land Management is establishing these supplementary rules which are necessary for the protection of persons, property and public lands and resources within the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area (NCA), lands acquired for inclusion in the Red Rock Canyon NCA, and all lands that may be incorporated into Red Rock Canyon NCA, in the Las Vegas District, as provided for in 43 CFR 8365.1–6. Violations of these rules are punishable by a fine not to exceed $1,000.00 or imprisonment not to exceed 12 months, or both, as provided for under the Federal Land Policy Management Act (Pub. L. 94–579) as amended by 18 U.S.C. 3571(b)(5).

Some of the supplementary rules make reference to "designated" roads, "designated" fruits, nuts, plants, or berries, "designated" trials, and so on. Those designations are currently being developed as part of the resource management planning process for the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area. Those designations may not become final until after these supplementary rules take effect.

These supplementary rules were published in the Federal Register as proposed rules on December 13, 1991 (56 FR 65085). Nine comments were received. Three of the comments were general in nature either in favor of or opposed to the rules, without specifically addressing them. The remaining six comments were specifically focused on individual rules.

Several commenters made proposals that were either beyond the scope of the proposed rules, or exceeded the Bureau's statutory authority. An example is a proposal to ban trapping within the National Conservation Area, which exceeds the Bureau's statutory authority. Two commenters opposed the proposed rule allowing designation of a target shooting area, and that proposal was dropped; several commenters opposed the proposed rule on disposal of human waste, which was modified to allow burial of waste instead of requiring that it be removed; lengthy comments on protection of rock art, which resulted in modification of the proposed rules to close all areas within fifty feet of any rock art to climbing; and minor drafting, spelling, and organizational changes to make the rules clearer. The proposed rule requiring registration for overnight climbs is deleted, as is the proposed rule that all pets must be on a leash or under physical control at all times.

Rules for Non-commercial Soliciting, Public Assemblies or Meetings, Sale or Distribution of Printed Material, Spray Paint and technical aspects of vehicle use after hours were added in response to comments and for further clarification.

Supplementary Rules, Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area

Section 1.0 Definitions and Administrative Provisions

1.1 Definitions

The following definitions shall apply to all regulations in 43 CFR part 8360, unless modified within a specific part or regulation:

"Abandonment" means the voluntary relinquishment of control of property for longer than a period specified with no intent to retain possession.

"Accident" means the collision, intentional or unintentional, of a vehicle with another vehicle, bicycle, pedestrian, structure, sign, or fixed object.

"Administrative activities" means those activities conducted under the authority of the Bureau of Land Management for the purpose of safeguarding persons or property, implementing management plans and policies developed in accordance and consistent with the regulations in this chapter, or repairing or maintaining government facilities.

"Bicycle" means every device, other than wheelchairs, propelled solely by human power upon which a person or persons may ride on land, having one, two, or more wheels.

"Camping" means the erecting of a tent or shelter or natural or synthetic material, preparing a sleeping bag or other bedding material for use, or parking of a motor vehicle, motor home or trailer for the apparent purpose of overnight occupancy.

"Cultural resource" means material remains of past human life or activities that are of significant cultural interest and are at least 50 years of age. This term includes, but shall not be limited to, objects made or used by humans, such as pottery, basketry, rock art, bottles, weapons, weapon projectiles, tools, structures or portions of structures, or any portion or piece of the foregoing items, and the physical site, location, or context in which they are found, or human skeletal materials or graves.

"Designated road" means a road or roads identified on a map of designated roads which will be maintained and available for public inspection at the Las Vegas District Office, Bureau of Land Management, and at the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area Vistor Center, and which are also posted as designated roads through the posting of appropriate signs or markers. Any road with any signed or physical barrier, including posts, branches, or rocks, is not a designated road.

"Designated trails" means a trail or trails identified on a map of designated trails which will be maintained and available for public inspection at the Las Vegas District Office, Bureau of Land Management, and at the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area Visitor Center, as well as any trail or route designated for a specific use by the posting of appropriate signs.

"Firearm" means a loaded or unloaded pistol, rifle, shotgun or other weapon which is designed to, or may be readily converted to, expel a projectile by the ignition of a propellant.

"Handling", as applied to wild horses and burros, means the intentional touching, feeling, or moving of a wild horse or burro.

"Hunting" means taking or attempting to take wildlife, except trapping.

"Motor vehicle" means every vehicle that is self-propelled by a non-living power source, including any vehicle that is propelled by electric power, but not operated upon rails or upon water.

"Operator" means a person who operates, drives, controls, or otherwise has charged of a mechanical mode of transportation or any other mechanical equipment.

"Paleontological" means pertaining to ancient life forms, and includes but is not limited to fossilized remains of plant and animal life.

"Permit" means a written authorization, from an authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management, to engage in uses or activities that are otherwise prohibited, restricted, or regulated.

"Person" means an individual, firm, corporation, society, association, partnership, or private or public body.

"Pet" means a dog, cat or any animal that has been domesticated.

"Picnic area" means any area set aside or designated for picnic use by either the posting of appropriate signs, or by the provision of picnic tables.

"Possession" means exercising direct physical control or dominion, with or without ownership, over property, or archaeological, cultural or natural resources.

"Property" means both real and personal property.

"Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area" means all lands owned by the United States and included within, acquired for inclusion within, or which are later incorporated within, the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area. This includes lands owned by the United States, but managed by the Nevada Division of State Parks or another organization or agency, pursuant to a cooperative management agreement. See Pub. L. 101–621, entitled "Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area Establishment Act of 1990."

"Rock art" means images and symbols engraved into, pecked into, scratched upon, painted upon, or otherwise marked into or on geological features by past residents of or visitors to Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area, and which are at least one hundred years old, including but not limited to petroglyphs, pictographs, and inscriptions.

"Smoking" means the carrying or possession of lighted cigarettes, cigars or pipes, or the intentional and direct inhalation of smoke from these objects.

"Take" or "taking" means to pursue, hunt, harass, harm, shoot, trap, net, capture, collect, kill, wound, or attempt to do any of the above.

"Traffic" means pedestrians, ridden or herded animals, vehicles, and other conveyances, either singly or together while using any road, trail, street or other thoroughfare for purposes of travel.

"Traffic control device" means any sign, painted roadway marking, or other device or means for controlling or directing vehicle traffic.

"Trap" means a snare, trap, mesh, wire or other implement, object or mechanical device designed to entrap or kill animals other than fish.

"Trapping" means taking or attempting to take wildlife with a trap.

"Unattended" means failure to exercise direct control over property.

"Unloaded," as applied to weapons and firearms, means that:

(1) There is no unexpended shell, cartridge, or projectile in any chamber or cylinder of a firearm or in a clip or magazine inserted in or attached to a firearm;

(2) A muzzle-loading weapon does not contain gun power in the pan, or the percussion cap is not in place; and

(3) Bows, crossbows, spear guns or any implement capable of discharging a missile or similar device by means of a loading or discharging mechanism, when that loading or discharging mechanism is not charged or drawn.

"Vehicle" means every device in, upon, or by which a person or property is or may be transported or drawn on land, except devices used exclusively upon stationary rails or track.

"Weapon" means a firearm, compressed gas or spring-powered pistol or rifle, bow and arrow, crossbow, blowgun, spearguns, slingshot, irritant gas device, explosive device, or any other implement designed to discharge missiles or projectiles; hand-thrown spear, edged weapons, nun-chucks, clubs, billy-clubs, and any device modified for use or designed for use as a striking instrument; and includes any weapon the possession of which is prohibited under Nevada law.

"Wildlife" means any member of the animal kingdom and includes a part, product, egg or offspring thereof, or the dead body or part thereof, except fish.

1.2 Permits

(a) An authorized officer may issue a permit to authorize an otherwise prohibited or restricted activity. Such permits may contain reasonable restrictions necessary to preserve and protect public lands and their resources, and to minimize interference with and inconvenience to other visitors to Red

Rock Canyon National Conservation Area.

(b) Violation of the terms and conditions of a permit is prohibited.

Section 2.0 Vehicle Operations and Traffic Safety

2.1 Unsafe Operation

The following are prohibited:

(a) Failing to maintain that degree of control of a vehicle necessary to avoid danger to persons, property or wildlife.

(b) Operating a motor vehicle in a manner which unnecessarily causes its tires to squeal, skid, or break free of the road surface.

(c) Operating a vehicle without due care or at a speed greater than that which is reasonable and prudent considering wildlife, pedestrians, traffic, weather, road and light conditions and road character.

2.2 Towing or Moving Vehicles

(a) No person shall tow or move a vehicle that has been involved in an accident without first notifying an authorized officer, unless the position of the vehicle constitutes a hazard or prior notification is not practicable, in which case notification shall be made before the vehicle is removed from Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area.

(b) Failure to notify an authorized officer as required in the preceding subsection is prohibited.

2.3 Weight, Width, and Length Limitations

(a) The following restrictions are hereby established for the Red Rock Canyon Scenic Loop Drive:

(1) No vehicle, or vehicle and trailer combination, may be operated which exceeds thirty-five thousand (35,000) pounds gross vehicle weight.

(2) No vehicle may be operated which exceeds eight feet in width.

(3) No vehicle, towing any trailer, may be operated when the length of the trailer exceeds 35 feet.

(b) Operating a vehicle on the Red Rock Canyon Scenic Loop Drive, when that vehicle exceeds any of the weight, width, or length restrictions listed above, is prohibited.

(c) Exemptions. The weight, width, and length restrictions listed in this section do not apply to vehicles used by any federal, state, county, or local government agency, or to privately owned vehicles performing work for any such agency.

2.4 State Laws Applicable

(a) Unless specifically addressed by regulations set forth in 43 CFR, the laws of the State of Nevada shall govern the use and operation of vehicles. Such State laws which are now or may later be in effect are hereby adopted and made a part of the regulations in this part.

(b) Violating a provision of State law is prohibited.

2.5 Obstructing Traffic

The following are prohibited:

(a) Stopping, parking, or leaving any vehicle, whether attended or unattended, upon the paved, graded, or maintained surface of a road, so as to leave less than ten (10) feet of the width of the same traffic lane for the free or unobstructed movement of other vehicles is prohibited, except in the event of accident or other conditions beyond the immediate control of the operator, or as otherwise directed by an authorized person.

(b) Causing or permitting a vehicle under one's control to obstruct traffic by driving so slowly as to interfere with the normal flow of traffic, or in any other manner, is prohibited.

2.6 Bicycles

Except when specifically allowed by permit, the following are prohibited:

(a) The use of bicycles except on paved roads and parking areas, other roads or routes designated for motor vehicles, and on routes or trails designated for bicycle use. Such designations may be by the posting of signs or may be identified on a map which shall be available at the Las Vegas District Office and the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area Visitor Center.

(b) Possessing a bicycle in a wilderness area established by Federal statute.

(c) On roads, riding a bicycle other than on the right side of the roadway.

(d) On roads, riding a bicycle abreast of a bicycle being ridden on the right side of the roadway.

2.7 Travel and Parking Off Designated Roads

(a) Minor disturbance. Operating, or parking, a motor vehicle off of but less then 20 feet from a designated road or parking area is classified as a minor disturbance to natural features. Such disturbance of natural features is prohibited.

(b) Major disturbance. Operating, or parking, a motor vehicle 20 feet or further from a designated road or parking area is classified as a major disturbance to natural features. Such disturbance of natural features is prohibited.

2.8 Maintaining Vehicles

Lubricating or repairing any vehicle, except repairs necessitated by emergency, is prohibited.

2.9 Traffic Control Device

Failure to comply with the directions of a traffic control device is prohibited unless directed otherwise by an authorized person.

This section is applicable to persons using bicycles.

Section 3.0 Public Use and Recreation

3.1 Fireworks and Explosives

(a) The possession or use of fireworks is prohibited, except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit.

(b) The possession or use of explosives and blasting agents is prohibited, except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit. This section shall not apply to explosives carried aboard vehicles being driven through Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area on State Highway 159 or State Highway 160, provided that the persons possessing or transporting such explosives are in compliance with all other applicable state and federal laws, rules, and regulations controlling the possession and transportation of explosives.

3.2 Weapons

(a) The following are prohibited within Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area:

(1) Possession of a loaded weapon, except as authorized under subsection (b), following.

(2) Intentional discharge of any weapon, except as authorized under subsection (b), following.

(3) Possession of an unregistered firearm, when registration of the firearm is required by either the State of Nevada or Clark County.

(b) The possession of loaded weapons, and their use, is allowed when the possessor is at the time of possession involved in hunting within Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area in accordance with state law, and in compliance with the restrictions contained in section 3.4(b) of these Supplementary Rules.

3.2 Trapping

(a) Trapping is allowed in accordance with state law, except within areas closed to trapping. Trapping in violation of state law is prohibited.

(b) The following areas are closed to trapping:

(1) those portions of Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area north of State Highway 160, on the east side of

the Spring Mountain range, and which are located below the elevation of 5,000 feet.

(2) all areas within one mile of any designated hiking trail, or of any trail designated for the use of horses and pack animals. Such designations will be identified on a map which will be made available for public inspection at the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area Visitor Center, and at the Las Vegas District Office of the Bureau of Land Management.

(c) Trapping, in an area designated as closed to trapping, is prohibited.

3.4 Hunting

(a) Hunting is allowed in accordance with state law, except within areas designated as closed to hunting. Hunting in violation of state law is prohibited.

(b) For purposes of public safety, the following area is designated as closed to hunting:

(1) those areas of Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area north of State Highway 160, on the east side of the Spring Mountain range, and which are located below the elevation of 5,000 feet; except that hunting for bighorn sheep, in accordance with state law, is allowed below the elevation of 5,000 feet in the following two areas:

Mount Diablo Meridian

R. 58 E., T. 20 S. N½ of Section 36
R. 59 E., T. 20 S., NW¼ of Section 31

3.5 Fires

The following are prohibited:

(a) Lighting, tending, or maintaining any fire, except in a stove or grill provided for such purpose; or, within designated camping areas, in a fire ring provided for such purpose by the Bureau of Land Management. This prohibition does not apply to camp stoves, such as portable gasoline stoves or charcoal grills, brought by visitors for the purpose of cooking.

(b) Throwing or discarding lighted or smoldering material in a manner that threatens, causes damage to, or results in the burning of property or resources.

3.6 Glass Containers

The possession of glass containers, except within vehicles, designated camping areas, and designated picnic areas, is prohibited.

3.7 Human Waste

(a) Human fecal matter, including paper or other items contaminated with human fecal matter, may be deposited or disposed of only in restrooms, toilets, or other facilities designed or designated for the disposal of human fecal matter; or, where such facilities are not provided or available, shall either be removed from Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area or be buried at least six inches below ground level. Human fecal matter may not be buried within 200 feet of any water source or supply.

(b) Depositing or disposing of human fecal matter within Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area, except in accordance with subsection (a) above, is prohibited.

3.8 Preservation of Natural and Cultural Resources

(a)(1) An authorized person may designate fruits, nuts, seeds, plants, berries, and similar plant materials which may be collected for personal use within Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area. Such designations may, if appropriate, specify a maximum amount that may be collected for personal use. Collection of plant materials in excess of the designated maximum is prohibited.

(2) Collection of plant materials, other than those designated under (a)(1) above, is prohibited; except that the District Manager may authorize collections other than those in (a)(1) above through the issuance of a permit; and except for removal, collection, and/or transplantation of plants and plant materials for official purposes such as landscaping and trail maintenance and construction.

(b) The following are prohibited:

(1) Possessing, destroying, taking, injuring, defacing, removing, harassing, or disturbing from its natural state living or dead wildlife, or the parts or products thereof, such as antlers or nests, except when incident to hunting conducted in accordance with state law.

(2) Introducing wildlife, fish, or plants, including their reproductive bodies, into Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area, except when authorized by the District Manager for administrative activities, or pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit.

(3) Digging for, removing, destroying, damaging, disturbing, or possessing artifacts, rock art, or other cultural resources, or using any device for detecting metal, except when allowed by permit.

(4) Feeding, attempting to feed, riding, attempting to ride, handling, or otherwise harassing or disturbing wild horses or burros, except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit.

(5) Collecting wood or other plant material for use in a campfire or for any other purpose, except pursuant to subsection (a)(1), above.

(6) Tossing, throwing, or rolling rocks or other items inside caves or caverns, into valleys or canyons, or down hillsides or mountainsides.

(7) Possessing, destroying, defacing, digging, or removing rocks, cave formations or parts thereof, or fossilized or non-fossilized paleontological specimens.

(8) Applying chalk to, making a rubbing of, making a casting of, painting upon, or making a latex or other mold of, any rock art.

3.9 Pets

(a) The following are prohibited:

(1) Allowing a pet to make noise that is unreasonable considering location, time of day or night, and impact on public land users.

(2) At developed sites including campgrounds, picnic areas, parking areas, and visitor centers, failing to remove waste deposited by a pet.

(3) Allowing a pet, other than a seeing-eye dog, hearing-ear dog, or other animal specifically trained to assist a handicapped person, to enter buildings operated by the Bureau of Land Management.

(4) Leaving a pet unattended and tied to an object.

(b) Pets or feral animals that are running-at-large and observed in the act of killing, injuring, or molesting humans, livestock, or wildlife may be destroyed by an authorized person if necessary for public safety or the protection of livestock or wildlife.

(c) Pets running-at-large may be impounded, and may be turned over to Clark County Animal Control or to another appropriate organization which will accept, care for, and dispose of such pets. The owner of such pets may be charged reasonable fees for kennel or boarding costs, feed, veterinary care, and transportation.

(d) This section does not apply to dogs used by authorized Federal, State, and local law enforcement officers in the performance of their official duties.

3.10 Horses and Pack Animals

Except when authorized by permit, and except for horses and pack animals used for administrative activities or for the official business of any governmental entity or agency, the following are prohibited:

(a) The use of horses or pack animals in picnic areas, or on trails other than those designated as open to horses and pack animals. Such designations will be identified on a map which will be available for public inspection at the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area Visitor Center and at the Las Vegas District Office.

(b) The use of horses or pack animals on a paved road, except:

(1) Where such travel is necessary to cross the road.

(2) When the road has been closed to motor vehicles.

(c) Free-trailing or loose-herding of horses or pack animals on trails or cross-country.

(d) Allowing horses or pack animals to proceed in excess of a slow walk when passing in the immediate vicinity of persons on foot or bicycle.

(e) Obstructing a trail while horses or pack animals are passing; or making any unreasonable noise or gesture with the intent of, or recklessly creating a risk thereof, frightening, stampeding, spooking, or otherwise interfering with a user's control over his horses or pack animals.

(f) At developed sites including campgrounds, picnic areas, paved parking areas, and visitor centers, failing to remove waste deposited by horses and pack animals.

3.11 Alcoholic Beverages

(a)(1) The use and possession of alcoholic beverages within Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area is allowed in accordance with the provisions of this section.

(2) The following are prohibited:

(i) The sale or gift of an alcoholic beverage to a person under 21 years of age.

(ii) The possession of an alcoholic beverage by a person under 21 years of age.

(b)(1) The District Manager may close all or a portion of public buildings, or structures, parking lots, picnic areas, overlooks, walkways, commemorative areas, historic areas, or archaeological sites within Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area to the consumption of alcoholic beverages when it is determined that:

(i) The consumption of alcohol would be inappropriate considering other uses of the location and the purpose for which it is maintained or established; or

(ii) Incidents of aberrant behavior related to the consumption of alcohol are of such magnitude that diligent attempts to enforce applicable regulations do not alleviate the problem.

(2) Such closures may be either by publication of the closure in the Federal Register, by the posting of appropriate signs, or both.

(3) Failure to abide by such a closure is prohibited.

(c) Presence in Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area when under the influence of alcohol or a controlled substance to a degree that may endanger oneself or another person, or damage property or public land resources, is prohibited.

3.12 Disorderly Conduct

A person commits disorderly conduct when, with intent to cause public alarm, nuisance, jeopardy or violence, or knowingly or recklessly creating a risk thereof, such person commits any of the following prohibited acts:

(a) Engages in fighting or threatening, or in violent behavior.

(b) Uses language, an utterance or gesture, or engages in a display or act that is obscene, physically threatening or menacing, or done in a manner that is likely to inflict injury or incite an immediate breach of the peace.

3.13 Smoking

(a)(1) The District Manager may designate areas of Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area, or all or a portion of a building, structure or facility as closed to smoking when necessary to protect public land resources, reduce the risk of fire, or prevent conflicts among visitor use activities. Such closures may be either by publication of the closure in the Federal Register by the posting of appropriate signs, or both.

(2) Smoking in an area or location so designated is prohibited.

(b) Smoking is prohibited within all caves and caverns.

3.14 Property

(a) The following are prohibited:

(1) Abandoning property.

(2) Leaving property unattended for more than 24 hours in a day use area, or 72 hours in other areas, unless the owner of the property by permit or registration is specifically authorized a longer period of time.

(3) Failing to turn in found property to an authorized person as soon as practicable.

(b) Impoundment of property. (1) Property left unattended in excess of the time limits in subsection (a)(2), above, may be impounded by an authorized person.

(2) Unattended property that interferes with visitor safety, orderly management of Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area, or presents a threat to public land resources may be impounded by an authorized person at any time.

(3) The owner of record is responsible and liable for charges to the person who has removed, stored, or otherwise disposed of property impounded to this section.

(c) Disposition of property. Unattended property impounded pursuant to this section shall be deemed to be abandoned unless claimed by the owner or an authorized representative thereof within 60 days, and shall be disposed of in accordance with applicable regulations.

3.15 Aircraft and Air Delivery

Delivering or retrieving a person or object by parachute, helicopter, ultralight aircraft, hang glider, balloon, or other airborne means, except in emergencies involving public safety or serious property loss, or pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit, is prohibited. The provisions of this section shall not be applicable to official business of the Federal government, or emergency rescues or rescue training in accordance with the direction of the District Manager, or to landings due to circumstances beyond the control of the operator.

3.16 Camping

(a) Camping is prohibited within Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area, except: at elevations 5,000 feet above sea level and higher; within the designated camping areas at Oak Creek and Black Velvet Canyon; or within such additional or substitute areas as may be designated in a General Management Plan or Resource Management Plan for the National Conservation Area and posted by appropriate signs.

(b) By the posting of appropriate signs at the entrance to any campground, the District Manager may establish special conditions or rules for camping within any campground. Violation or such conditions or rules is prohibited.

(c) The following are prohibited:

(1) Digging or leveling the ground at a campsite.

(2) The installation of permanent camping facilities.

(3) Failing to obtain a permit, when required.

(4) Violation of the terms and conditions of any camping permit.

(5) In designated campgrounds, creating or sustaining unreasonable noise between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.

(6) Except within designated campgrounds, camping within 200 feet of any natural or man-made water source.

3.17 Misappropriation of Property

The following are prohibited:

(a) Obtaining or exercising unlawful possession over the property of another with the purpose to deprive the owner of the property.

(b) Acquiring or possessing the property of another, with knowledge or reason to believe that the property is stolen.

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3.18 Tampering and Vandalism

The following are prohibited:

(a) Tampering or attempting to tamper with property or real property, or moving, manipulating, or setting in motion any of the parts thereof, except when such property is under one's lawful control or possession.

(b) Destroying, injuring, defacing, or damaging property or real property.

3.19 Climbing

The following are prohibited:

(a) Climbing on, or within fifty feet of, any rock art.

(b) Touching or contacting any rock art, or allowing climbing equipment, including but not limited to ropes, slings, or packs, to fall upon, rest against, or otherwise come in contact with any rock art.

(c) Using climber's chalk, drilling bolts, or inserting or applying pitons, chocks, or any other anchoring device, within fifty feet of any rock art.

3.20 Closures

(a)(1) The existing limited closures of the Red Rock Canyon Scenic Loop Drive and the use areas associated with it, of the La Madre Spring area, and of the Red Spring Picnic Area, remain in effect. These areas will continue to be limited to daytime use only, with the exact hours of closure posted at the entrance to these areas.

(2) The existing limited closure of the Red Rock Canyon Scenic Loop Drive is modified as follows: From one-half-hour before sunrise until the posted opening hour, pedestrians and bicyclists may enter and use the Scenic Loop Drive and the use areas associated with it. Motor vehicles will remain prohibited, except for administrative purposes or by permit or registration.

(b) The area known as the Cave, located at T. 21S, R. 58E, section 13, and accessible by trail from State Highway 159, is limited to daytime use only. The exact hours of closure will be posted at the entrance to the area.

(c) The area known as Brownstone Canyon, located at T. 20S, R. 58E, sections 23, 24, 25, and 26, is limited to public use as follows:

(1) Daytime use only is permitted, with the exact hours of closure posted at the entrance to Brownstone Canyon.

(2) Vehicles, other than authorized vehicles, are prohibited from travelling into Brownstone Canyon beyond the fenced and/or signed barrier. For a vehicle to be authorized, it must be entering Brownstone Canyon in the performance of the official business of a federal, state, county, or local government agency or organization; or it must have registered and/or been issued a permit by the Bureau of Land Management. Such permits or registration can be obtained at the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area Visitor Center, or at the Las Vegas District Office of the Bureau of Land Management.

3.21 Non-Commercial Soliciting

(a) Non-commercial soliciting is defined as requesting or demanding gifts, money, goods, or services. Non-commercial soliciting is prohibited, unless a permit to allow non-commercial soliciting has been issued by the Manager, Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area.

(b) An application for such a permit shall set forth the name of the applicant and organization (if any), the date, time, duration, nature, and location where the non-commercial solicitation is proposed to take place, the number of participants, the equipment and facilities to be used, and any other information required by the permit application form.

(c) The Manager shall, without unreasonable delay, issue a permit on proper application unless:

(1) A prior application for a permit for the same time and place has been made that has been or will be granted and the activities authorized by that permit do not reasonably allow multiple occupancy of that particular area; or

(2) It reasonably appears that the non-commercial solicitation will present a clear and present danger to the public health or safety; or

(3) The number of persons engaged in the non-commercial solicitation exceeds the number that can reasonably be accommodated in the particular location applied for, considering such issues as damage to public lands resources or facilities, impairment of the National Conservation Area's atmosphere of peace and tranquility, interference with program activities, or impairment of public use of facilities; or

(4) The location applied for has not been designated as available for the purpose of non-commercial solicitation; or

(5) The activity would constitute a violation of an applicable law or regulation.

(d) If a permit is denied, the applicant shall be so informed in writing, with the reason(s) for the denial set forth.

(e) The Manager shall designate on a map, that shall be available at the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area visitor center and at the Las Vegas District Office, the locations that are available for the purpose of non-commercial soliciting. Locations may be designated as not available only if the non-commercial solicitation would:

(1) Cause injury or damage to public lands resources; or

(2) Unreasonably impair the atmosphere of peace and tranquility maintained in wilderness, natural, historic, or similar protected areas or zones; or

(3) Unreasonably interfere with interpretive, visitor service, or other programs or administrative activities of the Bureau of Land Management; or

(4) Substantially impair the operations of public use facilities or services of cooperating associations, concessionaires, or contractors; or

(5) Present a clear and present danger to the public health and safety.

(f) The permit may contain such conditions as are reasonably consistent with protection and use of the National Conservation Area for the purposes for which it was established. It may also contain reasonable limitations on the equipment used and the time and area within which the non-commercial solicitation is allowed.

(g) No permit shall be issued for a period in excess of 14 consecutive days, provided that permits may be extended for like periods, upon a new application, unless another applicant has requested use of the same location and multiple occupancy of that location is not reasonably possible.

(h) A permit may be suspended or revoked under any of those conditions, as listed in paragraph (c) of this section, that constitute grounds for denial of a permit, or for violation of the terms and conditions of the permit. Such a suspension or revocation shall be made in writing, with the reason(s) for suspension or revocation clearly set forth, except under emergency circumstances, when an immediate verbal suspension or revocation may be made followed by written confirmation within 72 hours.

(i) For any person engaged in non-commercial solicitation, the following are prohibited:

(1) Violating the terms or conditions of a permit.

(2) Obstructing or impeding pedestrians or vehicles; harassing public lands users or visitors with physical contact or persistent demands; or misrepresenting the purposes or affiliations of those engaged in the non-commercial solicitation.

3.22 Public Assemblies or Meetings

(a) Public assemblies, meetings, gatherings, demonstrations, parades and other public expressions of views are allowed within the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area, provided a

permit therefor has been issued by the Manager of the National Conservation Area. Conducting a public assembly, meeting, gathering, demonstration, parade or other public expression of views without a permit is prohibited.

(b) An application for such a permit shall set forth the name of the applicant and organization (if any); the date, time, duration, nature, and place of the proposed event; an estimate of the number of persons expected to attend; a statement of equipment and facilities to be used; and any other information required by the permit application form.

(c) The Manager shall, without unreasonable delay, issue a permit on proper application unless:

(1) A prior application for a permit for the same time and place has been made that has been or will be granted and the activities authorized by that permit do not reasonably allow multiple occupancy of that particular area; or

(2) It reasonably appears that the event will present a clear and present danger to the public health or safety; or

(3) The event is of such nature or duration that it cannot reasonably be accommodated in the particular location applied for, considering such issues as damage to public lands resources or facilities, impairment of the Naticnal Conservation Area's atmosphere of peace and tranquility, interference with program activities, or impairment of public use of facilities.

(d) If a permit is denied, the applicant shall be so informed in writing, with the reason(s) for the denial set forth.

(e) The Manager shall designate on a map, that shall be available at the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area visitor center and at the Las Vegas District Office, any locations that are closed or restricted for public assemblies. Locations may be designated as not available only if such activities would:

(1) Cause injury or damage to public lands resources; or

(2) Unreasonably impair the atmosphere of peace and tranquility maintained in wilderness, natural, historic, or similar protected areas or zones; or

(3) Unreasonably interfere with interpretive, visitor service, or other programs or administrative activities of the Bureau of Land Management; or

(4) Substantially impair the operations of public use facilities or services of cooperating associations, concessionaires, or contractors; or

(5) Present a clear and present danger to the public health and safety.

(f) The permit may contain such conditions as are reasonably consistent with protection and use of the National Conservation Area for the purposes for which it was established. It may also contain reasonable limitations on the equipment used and the time and area within which the event is allowed.

(g) No permit shall be issued for a period in excess of 7 days, provided that permits may be extended for like periods, upon a new application, unless another applicant has requested use of the same location and multiple occupancy of that location is not reasonably possible.

(h) A permit may be suspended or revoked under any of those conditions, as listed in paragraph (c) of this section, that constitute grounds for denial of a permit, or for violation of the terms and conditions of the permit. Such a suspension or revocation shall be made in writing, with the reason(s) for suspension or revocation clearly set forth, except under emergency circumstances, when an immediate verbal suspension or revocation may be made followed by written confirmation within 72 hours.

(i) For any person engaged in activities covered under a permit issued pursuant to this section, the following are prohibited:

(1) Violating the terms or conditions of a permit.

(2) Obstructing or impeding pedestrians or vehicles, or harassing public lands users or visitors with physical contact or persistent demands.

3.23 Sale or Distribution of Printed Matter

(a) The sale or distribution of printed matter is allowed within the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area, provided that a permit to do so has been issued by the Manager of the National Conservation Area, and provided further that the printed matter is not solely or principally commercial advertising. Selling or distributing printed matter without a permit is prohibited.

(b) An application for such a permit shall set forth the name of the applicant and organization (if any), the date, time, duration, nature, and location of the proposed sale or distribution, the number of participants, the equipment and facilities to be used, and any other information required by the permit application form.

(c) The Manager shall, without unreasonable delay, issue a permit on proper application unless:

(1) A prior application for a permit for the same time and place has been made that has been or will be granted and the activities authorized by that permit do not reasonably allow multiple occupancy of that particular area; or

(2) It reasonably appears that the sale or distribution will present a clear and present danger to the public health or safety; or

(3) The number of persons engaged in the sale or distribution exceeds the number that can reasonably be accommodated in the particular location applied for, considering such issues as damage to public lands resources or facilities, impairment of the National Conservation Area's atmosphere of peace and tranquility, interference with program activities, or impairment of public use of facilities; or

(4) The location applied for has not been designated as available for the sale or distribution of printed matter; or

(5) The activity would constitute a violation of an applicable law or regulation.

(d) If a permit is denied, the applicant shall be so informed in writing, with the reason(s) for the denial set forth.

(e) The Manager shall designate on a map, that shall be available at the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area visitor center and at the Las Vegas District Office, the locations that are available for the sale or distribution of printed matter. Locations may be designated as not available only if the sale or distribution of printed matter would:

(1) Cause injury or damage to public lands resources; or

(2) Unreasonably impair the atmosphere of peace and tranquility maintained in wilderness, natural, historic, or similar protected areas or zones; or

(3) Unreasonably interfere with interpretive, visitor service, or other programs or administrative activities of the Bureau of Land Management; or

(4) Substantially impair the operations of public use facilities or services of cooperating associations, concessionaires, or contractors; or

(5) Present a clear and present danger to the public health and safety.

(f) The permit may contain such conditions as are reasonably consistent with protection and use of the National Conservation Area for the purposes for which it was established. It may also contain reasonable limitations on the equipment used and the time and area within which the sale and distribution of printed matter is allowed.

(g) No permit shall be issued for a period in excess of 14 consecutive days, provided that permits may be extended for like periods, upon a new application, unless another applicant has requested use of the same location and multiple occupancy of that location is not reasonably possible.

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(h) A permit may be suspended or revoked under any of those conditions, as listed in paragraph (c) of this section, that constitute grounds for denial of a permit, or for violation of the terms and conditions of the permit. Such a suspension or revocation shall be made in writing, with the reason(s) for suspension or revocation clearly set forth, except under emergency circumstances, when an immediate verbal suspension or revocation may be made followed by written confirmation within 72 hours.

(i) For any person engaged in the sale or distribution of printed matter, the following are prohibited:

(1) Violating the terms or conditions of a permit.

(2) Obstructing or impeding pedestrians or vehicles; harassing public lands users or visitors with physical contact or persistent demands; misrepresenting the purposes or affiliations of those engaged in the sale or distribution of printed matter; or misrepresenting whether the printed matter is available without cost or donation.

(j) The provisions of this section do not apply to any group or organization that has entered into a cooperative agreement with the Bureau of Land Management to further the management of the Red Rock Canyon National Conservation.

3.24 Spray Paint

The following are prohibited:

(a) The use of spray paint within Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area, except for:

(1) administrative activities of the Bureau of Land Management or another federal agency; or

(2) the official business of any state, county, or local governmental entity; or

(3) the necessary performance of work related to the maintenance or construction of any authorized improvements or facilities on public lands.

(b) The possession of spray paint within Red Rock Canyon National Conservation Area, except when such containers of spray paint are located:

(1) in the trunk of a motor vehicle; or

(2) if a motor vehicle is not equipped with a trunk, in some other portion of the motor vehicle designed for the storage of luggage and not normally occupied by or readily accessible to the operator or passengers.

3.25 Persons Entering the Scenic Loop Drive at Willow Springs

(a) Any vehicle, which has traversed the road from Lovell Canyon to Willow Springs, may enter the Red Rock Canyon Scenic Loop Drive. When such entry is made after the posted closing time of the Scenic Loop Drive, the operator of the vehicle must proceed immediately to the exit of the Scenic Loop Drive, while obeying the one-way traffic requirement.

(b) For any person who enters the Red Rock Canyon Scenic Loop Drive at Willow Springs after the posted closing time, the following are prohibited:

(1) Failing to immediately proceed to the exit of, and to immediately exit from, the Scenic Loop Drive in accordance with the one-way traffic pattern.

(2) Remaining within the Scenic Loop Drive longer than is necessary to travel from Willow Springs to the exit.

3.26 Authorization for After-Hours Vehicle Parking

(a) Vehicles parked on the Scenic Loop Drive at times other than the posted open hours must either have registered with the Bureau of Land Management, or must have obtained a permit, for such parking. Leaving vehicles parked on the Scenic Loop Drive after the posted closing hour, without a valid permit or registration, is prohibited.

(b) Permits, or registration, may be obtained at either the Las Vegas District Office or at the Red Rock Canyon NCA Visitor Center during normal business hours. Such authorization to park after hours on the Scenic Loop Drive expires when the operator of the vehicle returns to the parking area.

(c) Persons returning to a properly permitted or registered vehicle after the posted closing time of the Scenic Loop Drive must immediately exit the Scenic Loop Drive in accordance with the one-way traffic pattern. The following are prohibited:

(1) Failing to immediately proceed to the exit of, and to immediately exit from, the Scenic Loop Drive in accordance with the one-way traffic pattern.

(2) Remaining within the Scenic Loop Drive longer than is necessary to travel to the exit.

Billy Templeton,

State Director, Nevada.

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Filing of Plats of Survey; Idaho

The plat of survey of the following described land was officially filed in the Idaho State Office, Bureau of Land Management, Boise, Idaho, effective 9 a.m., May 14, 1993.

The plat representing the dependent resurvey of portions of the west boundary and subdivisional lines, and the subdivision of section 30, the survey of the meanders of the 1989-1992 left bank of the Snake River in section 29, and the survey of a portion of the center line of the new U.S. Highway 26 and the old U.S. Highway 26 in section 30, Township 2 North, Range 43 East, Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group No. 785, was accepted May 6, 1993.

This survey was executed to meet certain administrative needs of the Bureau of Land Management.

All inquiries concerning the survey of the above-described land must be sent to the Chief, Branch of Cadastral Survey, Idaho State Office, Bureau of Land Management, 3380 Americana Terrace, Boise, Idaho 83706.

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Geological Survey

National Earthquake Prediction Evaluation Council; Public Meeting

Pursuant to Public Law 92-463, effective January 5, 1973, notice is hereby given that an open meeting will be held beginning at 8:30 a.m. (local time) on Thursday, June 3, 1993, and continuing through Friday, June 4, 1993. The National Earthquake Prediction Evaluation Council will meet at the Hyatt Dulles Hotel in Herndon, Virginia.

(1) *Purpose.* To discuss current earthquake hazard potential in California, Pacific Northwest, Hawaii, and other areas.

(2) *Membership.* The Council is chaired by Dr. Thomas V. McEvilly and is composed of scientists from academic and government institutions.

(3) *Agenda.* Review status of the ad hoc working groups on Parkfield prediction experiment, Landers—Phase II, Cascadia subduction zone, and seismic issues on the East Coast and Hawaii.

For more detailed information about the meeting, please call Dr. Robert L. Wesson, Chief, Office of Earthquakes, Volcanoes, and Engineering, Reston, Virginia, 22092, (703) 648-6714.

Dated: May 17, 1993.

Dallas L. Peck,

Director, U.S. Geological Survey.

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