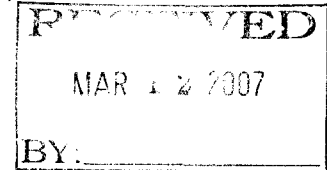


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Re: Clarification of Water Bodies in Recordable Disclaimer of Interest Application for Kulik Lake and an Unnamed Lake

Dear Mr. Lonnie:

The State has noticed several inconsistencies in its application for a Recordable Disclaimer of Interest for Kulik Lake and an Unnamed Lake. The inconsistencies in the application make it difficult to identify the water bodies for which the State requested a Recordable Disclaimer of Interest. The purpose of this letter is to clarify the water bodies included in the State's application.


The State's Recordable Disclaimer of Interested application, dated March 10, 2006, was intended to include the submerged lands encompassed by the ordinary high water line of Kulik Lake within the following townships and ranges in the Seward Meridian: Township 18 North, Range 63 West; Township 19 North, Range 63 West.

The application was also submitted for the submerged lands encompassed by the ordinary high water line of Unnamed Lake #2 within Sections 1-4, 9-12, 14-16 and 22-23, Township 18 North, Range 63 West, Seward Meridian.

A map highlighting the two lakes is enclosed and a legal description of the townships and ranges underlying the water bodies follows.

The original basis, reason, evidence of navigability and conclusion for the State's request remain unchanged from the original Recordable Disclaimer of Interest application submitted to BLM on March 10, 2006.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott Ogan", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Scott Ogan
Natural Resource Manager, PAAD

Enclosures

cc:

Callie Webber, Realty Specialist, Bureau of Land Management

Legal Description

Kulik Lake and Unnamed Lake #2 within the State of Alaska, more particularly described as follows:

Kulik Lake

All submerged lands encompassed by the ordinary high water line of Kulik Lake within the following townships and ranges in the Seward Meridian as determined from Alaska USGS 1:63,360 series topographic map Russian Mission C-5 (1952):

Township 18 North, Range 63 West;
Township 19 North, Range 63 West.

Unnamed Lake #2

All submerged lands encompassed by the ordinary high water line of the Unnamed Lake #2 within Sections 1-4, 9-12, 14-16 and 22-23, Township 18 North, Range 63 West, Seward Meridian as determined from Alaska USGS 1:63,360 series topographic map Russian Mission C-5 (1952).