

comment from the public on this draft plan.

DATES: Comments on the draft recovery plan must be received on or before November 13, 1995 to receive consideration by the Service.

ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to review the draft recovery plan may obtain a copy by contacting the State Supervisor, Nevada Ecological Services State Office, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 4600 Kietzke Lane, Building C-125, Reno, Nevada, 89502 (telephone: 702-784-5227), or the Assistant Regional Director, Ecological Services, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Eastside Federal Complex, 911 NE 11th Avenue, Portland, Oregon, 97232-4181 (telephone: 503-231-6241). Written comments and materials regarding the plan should be addressed to Mr. David L. Harlow, State Supervisor, at the above Reno, Nevada address. Comments and materials received are available on request for public inspection, by appointment, during normal business hours at the above Reno, Nevada address.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Stephanie Byers at the above Reno, Nevada address (telephone: 702-784-5227).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

Restoring endangered or threatened animals and plants to the point where they are again secure, self-sustaining members of their ecosystems is a primary goal of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's (Service) endangered species program. To help guide the recovery effort, the Service is working to prepare recovery plans for most of the listed species native to the United States. Recovery plans describe actions considered necessary for the conservation of the species, establish criteria for reclassification or delisting, and estimate time and cost for implementing the recovery measures needed.

The Endangered Species Act of 1973 (Act), as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*) requires the development of recovery plans for listed species unless such a plan would not promote the conservation of a particular species. Section 4(f) of the Act, as amended in 1988, requires that public notice and an opportunity for public review and comment be provided during recovery plan development. The Service will consider all information presented during a public comment period prior to approval of each new or revised recovery plan. The Service and other Federal agencies will also take these

comments into account in the course of implementing approved recovery plans.

Three native, endangered fish species are endemic to the Pahranaagat Valley in Lincoln County, Nevada. The Pahranaagat roundtail chub is found in only 12 km of the Pahranaagat River. The White River springfish is found only in the spring pool of Ash Spring. The Hiko White River springfish is found in the spring pools of Hiko and Crystal Springs. Populations of Pahranaagat roundtail chub vary between 150 to 250 adult fish. The White River springfish population is stable with approximately 7000 fish. The Hiko White River springfish population is critically low (<35) in Crystal Spring and more common (approximately 5500 fish) in Hiko Spring. The principle causes of decline for these species are habitat modification and nonnative fish introductions. Critical habitat has been designated for the two subspecies of springfish. Ninety-five percent of the habitats occupied by these species are on private lands. Recovery of this species will require removal and/or control of nonnative fishes, restoration and protection of occupied habitats, and protection of ground water sources.

Public Comments Solicited

The Service solicits written comments on the recovery plan described. All comments received by the date specified will be considered prior to approval of the plan.

Authority

The authority for this action is section 4(f) of the Endangered Species Act, 16 U.S.C. 1533(f).

Dated: September 1, 1995.

Michael J. Spear,
Regional Director.

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AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Housing Guaranty Program; Notice of Investment Opportunity

The U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) has authorized the guaranty of loans to the Republic of Indonesia ("Borrower") as part of USAID's development assistance program. The proceeds of this loan will be used to facilitate the delivery of urban environmental infrastructure for the benefit of low-income families in Indonesia. At this time, the Government of Indonesia has authorized USAID to request proposals from eligible lenders for a loan under this program of \$25

million U.S. Dollars (US\$25,000,000). The name and address of the Borrower's representatives to be contacted by interested U.S. lenders or investment bankers, the amount of the loan and project number are indicated below:

Government of Indonesia

Project No: 497-HG-002—Amount: US\$25,000,000

Housing Guaranty Loan Nos.: 497-HG-007 A01, 497-HG-008 A01

1. Attention: Mr. Darsjah, Director General of Budget Ministry of Finance, Jalan Lapangan Banten Timur No. 2, Jakarta, Indonesia; Telex No.: 45799 DJMLNIA or Telefax No.: 011-(62-21)-365859 or 374530 (preferred communication); Telephone Nos.: 011-(62-21)-3458289, 372758 or 3842234 or 3848294.

2. Attention: Mr. Paul Sutopo, Bank of Indonesia, Jalan M.H. Thamrin No. 2, Jakarta, Indonesia; Telex No.: 44200 BISIR IA or 46611 BISIR IA; Telefax No.: 011-(62-21)-3452892 (preferred communication); Telephone No.: 011-(62-21)-367972.

3. Attention: Mr. Ibrahim Zarkasi, Bank of Indonesia, One World Financial Center, 200 Liberty Street, 6th Floor, New York, N.Y. 10281, Telefax No.: 212/945-1316 (preferred communication); Telephone Nos.: 212/945-1310 or 1311.

Interested lenders should contact the Borrower as soon as possible and indicate their interest in providing financing for the Housing Guaranty Program. Interested lenders should submit their bids to the Borrower's representatives by *Tuesday, September 26, 1995, 12:00 noon Eastern Daylight Savings Time.*

Bids should be open for a period of 48 hours from the bid closing date. Copies of all bids should be simultaneously sent to the following:

Mr. Joel Kolker, Acting Director, Regional Housing and Urban Development Office, USAID/Jakarta, Box 4, APO AP 96520, c/o American Embassy, Jakarta, Indonesia, (Street address: J1 Medan Merdeka Selatan No. 5, Jakarta, Indonesia); Telex No.: 44218 AMEMB IA; Telefax No.: 011-(62-21)-380-6694 (preferred communication); Telephone No.: 011-(62-21)-360-360

Mr. Charles Billand, Assistant Director; Mr. Peter Prinie, Financial Advisor; Address: U.S. Agency for International Development, Office of Environment and Urban Programs, G/ ENV/UP, Room 409, SA-18, Washington, D.C. 20523-1822; Telex No.: 892703 AID WSA; Telefax Nos.: 703/875-4384 or 875-4639 (preferred

communication); Telephone Nos.: 703/875-4300 or 875-4510

For your information the Borrower is currently considering the following terms:

(1) *Amount*: U.S. \$25 million.

(2) *Term*: 30 years.

(3) *Grace Period*: Ten years grace on repayment of principal. (During grace period, semi-annual payments of interest only). If *variable* interest rate, repayment of principal to amortize in equal, semi-annual installments over the remaining 20-year life of the loan. If *fixed* interest rate, semi-annual level payments of principal and interest over the remaining 20-year life of the loan.

(4) *Interest Rate*: Alternatives of both fixed and variable rate loans are requested.

(a) *Fixed Interest Rate*: If rates are to be quoted based on a spread over an index, the lender should use as its index a long bond, specifically the 7⁵/₈% U.S. Treasury Bond due February 15, 2025. Such rate is to be set at the time of acceptance.

(b) *Variable Interest Rate*: To be based on the six-month British Bankers Association LIBOR, preferably with terms relating to Borrower's right to convert to fixed. The rate should be adjusted weekly.

(5) *Prepayment*:

(a) Offers should include any options for prepayment and mention prepayment premiums, if any.

(b) Only in an extraordinary event to assure compliance with statutes binding USAID, USAID reserves the right to accelerate the loan (it should be noted that since the inception of the USAID Housing Guaranty Program in 1962, USAID has not exercised its right of acceleration).

(6) *Fees*: Offers should specify the placement fees and other expenses, including USAID fees, Paying and Transfer Agent fees, and out of pocket expenses, etc. Lenders are requested to include all legal fees in their placement fee. Such fees and expenses shall be payable at closing from the proceeds of the loan. *All fees should be clearly specified in the offer.*

(7) *Closing Date*: Not to exceed 60 days from date of selection of lender.

Selection of investment bankers and/or lenders and the terms of the loan are initially subject to the individual discretion of the Borrower, and thereafter, subject to approval by USAID. Disbursements under the loan will be subject to certain conditions required of the Borrower by USAID as set forth in agreements between USAID and the Borrower.

The full repayment of the loans will be guaranteed by USAID. The USAID

guaranty will be backed by the full faith and credit of the United States of America and will be issued pursuant to authority in Section 222 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (the "Act").

Lenders eligible to receive the USAID guaranty are those specified in Section 238(c) of the Act. They are: (a) U.S. citizens; (2) domestic U.S. corporations, partnerships, or associations substantially beneficially owned by U.S. citizens; (3) foreign corporations whose share capital is at least 95 percent owned by U.S. citizens; and, (4) foreign partnerships or associations wholly owned by U.S. citizens.

To be eligible for the USAID guaranty, the loans must be repayable in full no later than the thirtieth anniversary of the disbursement of the principal amount thereof and the interest rates may be no higher than the maximum rate established from time to time by USAID.

Information as to the eligibility of investors and other aspects of the USAID housing guaranty program can be obtained from: Mr. Michael J. Lippe, Director, Office of Environment and Urban Programs, U.S. Agency for International Development, Room 409, SA-18, Washington, D.C. 20523-1822; Fax Nos: 703/875-4384 or 875-4639; Telephone: 703/875-4300.

Dated: September 7, 1995.

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INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

Notice of Meeting of National Grain Car Council

TIME AND DATES: 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 20, 1995.

PLACE: Hearing Room A, Interstate Commerce Commission, 12th and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C. 20423.

SUMMARY: The National Grain Car Council (NGCC) arose from a proceeding instituted by the ICC in *National Grain Car Supply—Conference of Interested Parties*, Ex Parte No. 519. The NGCC was formed as a working group to facilitate private-sector solutions to problems arising in the railroad transportation of grain. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the NGCC's future agenda and to elect permanent officers.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lars Etkorn, Telephone: (202) 927-6010, TDD: (202) 927-5721.

Vernon A. Williams,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

National Institute of Corrections

Task Force on Prison Construction Standardization and Techniques

ACTION: Notice of establishment of Task Force on Prison Construction Standardization and Techniques.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. app. 2 (1972), and 41 CFR 101-6.1001-6.1035 (1992), the Director, National Institute of Corrections (NIC), with the concurrence of the U.S. Attorney General, is establishing a Task Force on Prison Construction Standardization and Techniques (TFPCST) for the purpose of evaluating and recommending new construction technologies, techniques, and materials to reduce prison and jail construction costs at the federal, state, and local levels and make construction more efficient.

The Task Force is authorized by Public Law 103-322, Section 20406 of Subtitle D, the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994. The specific provisions of the Act state that the Task Force will: (1) establish and recommend standardized construction plans and techniques for prison and jail construction; (2) evaluate and recommend new construction technologies, techniques, and materials to reduce prison and jail construction costs at the federal, state, and local levels and make construction more efficient; (3) disseminate the information to state and local officials involved in prison and jail construction; (4) promote the implementation of cost-saving efforts at the federal, state, and local levels; (5) evaluate and advise on the results and effectiveness of such cost-saving efforts as adopted and disseminate information on the results; and (6) to the extent feasible, certify the effectiveness of these cost-saving efforts.

MEMBERSHIP: In accordance with the provisions of P.L. 103-322, Section 20406 of Subtitle D, this Task Force will be composed of federal, state, and local officials experienced in the design and construction of prison and jail facilities and an equal number of architects, engineers, and construction