

biopsy of 10 cows with calves or yearlings (biopsy of calves/yearlings is not requested); (4) opportunistically collect biopsy samples from dead stranded whales and retrieve humpback whale carcasses for necropsy; (5) add Southeast Alaska, specifically Frederick Sound and Stephens Passage as research locations; and (6) in the requested Alaska locations, allow the take by harassment of up to 500 humpback whales annually, up to 100 of which may be biopsy sampled annually.

Concurrent with the publication of this notice in the Federal Register, NMFS is forwarding copies of this application to the Marine Mammal Commission and its Committee of Scientific Advisors.

Dated: May 13, 1996.

Ann D. Terbush,
Chief, Permits and Documentation Division,
Office of Protected Resources, National
Marine Fisheries Service.

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Marine Mammals; Permit No. 928 (P351E)

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Receipt of application for modification.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that North Gulf Oceanic Society, P.O. Box 15244, Homer, Alaska 99603, has requested a modification to permit No. 928.

DATES: Written comments must be received on or before June 14, 1996.

ADDRESSES: The modification request and related documents are available for review upon written request or by appointment in the following office(s):

Permits Division, Office of Protected Resources, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Room 13130, Silver Spring, MD 20910 (301/713-2289);

Director, Alaska Region, NMFS, P.O. Box 21668, Juneau, AK 99802-1668 (907/586-7221).

Written data or views, or requests for a public hearing on this request should be submitted to the Director, Office of Protected Resources, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Room 13130, Silver Spring, MD 20910. Those individuals requesting a hearing should set forth the specific reasons why a hearing on this particular modification request would be appropriate.

Concurrent with the publication of this notice in the Federal Register, NMFS is forwarding copies of this application to the Marine Mammal Commission and its Committee of Scientific Advisors.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The subject modification to permit no. 928, issued on July 18, 1994 (59 FR 37745) is requested under the authority of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), the Regulations Governing the Taking and Importing of Marine Mammals (50 CFR part 216), the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), and the regulations governing the taking, importing, and exporting of endangered fish and wildlife (50 CFR part 222).

Permit No. 928 authorizes the Permit Holder to harass during photo-identification studies up to 100 humpback whales (*Megaptera novaeangliae*) annually in Prince William Sound, Alaska and adjacent waters. Permit Holder now seeks authorization to: Increase the number of humpback whales authorized to be harassed during photo-identification activities to 400 annually; biopsy sample up to 50 of these animals annually, not to exceed 100 takes in four years; and to expand the research area to include all Alaska waters.

Dated: May 14, 1996.

Ann D. Terbush,
Chief, Permit and Documentation Division,
Office of Protected Resources, National
Marine Fisheries Service.

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COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

Advisory Committee on CFTC-State Cooperation; May 21, 1996 Public Meeting

AGENCY: Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

ACTION: Correction of time of meeting.

On May 9, 1996, the Commodity Futures Trading Commission published a notice in the Federal Register (61 FR 21163) announcing that the Commission's Advisory Committee on CFTC-State Cooperation will conduct a public meeting on May 21, 1996 that will begin at 9:00 a.m. and last until 12:00 noon. The time that this May 21, 1996 meeting will be held is from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the first floor hearing room (Room 1000) of the Commission's Washington, D.C.

headquarters, Three Lafayette Centre, 1155 21st Street NW., Washington, D.C.

Jean A. Webb,

Secretary of the Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Armed Forces Epidemiological Board (AFEB); Partially-Closed Meeting

AGENCY: Office of the Surgeon General.

ACTION: Notice of partially-closed meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of Public Law 92-463, The Federal Advisory Committee Act, this announces the forthcoming AFEB Meeting. The meeting will be held from 0800-1630, Thursday, June 27, 1996. The purpose of the meeting is to complete pending Board issues and to conduct an executive planning session of the Board and completion of pending issues. There will also be a classified update on biological defense. The meeting location will be at the Walter Reed Army Institute of Research, Washington, D.C., Building 40 Room 3092. This meeting will be partially closed to the public in accordance with Section 552b(c) of title 5, U.S.C. specifically subparagraph (1) thereof and title 5, U.S.C., appendix 1, subsection 10(d). The remainder of the meeting will be open to the public but limited by space accommodations. Any interested person may attend, appear before or file statements with the committee at the time and in the manner permitted by the committee.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: COL Vicky Fogelman, AFEB Executive Secretary, Armed Force Epidemiological Board, Skyline Six, 5109 Leesburg Pike, Room 667, Falls Church, Virginia 22041-3258, (703) 681-8012/3.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: None.

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Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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Army Science Board; Notice of Closed Meeting

In accordance with Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (P.L. 92-463), announcement is made of the following Committee Meeting:

Name of Committee: Army Science Board (ASB).