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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

September 13, 1996.

The Department of Agriculture has submitted the following information collection requirement(s) to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. Comments regarding these information collections are best assured of having their full effect if received within 30 days of this notification. Comments should be addressed to: Desk Officer for Agriculture, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Washington, D.C. 20503 and to Department Clearance Officer, USDA, OCIO, Mail Stop 7602, Washington, D.C. 20250-7630. Copies of the submission(s) may be obtained by calling (202) 720-6204 or (202) 720-6746.

- Food and Consumer Service
Title: Integrated Quality Control Review Worksheet

Summary: Quality Control monitors the error rate in determining eligibility and benefit levels for qualified recipients. Form FCS 380 is the source document from which other reports are compiled by State officials and sent to the Food and Consumer Service. This integrated review schedule has been developed to assist when there are overlaps in the population served by Federal assistance programs

Need and Use of the Information: State agencies are required to perform Quality Control reviews for each of three Federal assistance programs: Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC), Medicaid and Food Stamps

Description of Respondents: Individuals or households; Federal Government; State, Local, or Tribal Government

Number of Respondents: 61,840
Frequency of Responses: Recordkeeping; Reporting: Weekly, Monthly
Total Burden Hours: 558,019

• Agricultural Marketing Service
Title: Cranberries Grown in the States of MA, RI, CT, NJ, WI, MI, MN, OR, WA, and Long Island in the State of New York, Marketing Order No. 929

Summary: The information collected establishes the cranberry marketing committee and provides production and disposition figures for management of the order
Need and Use of the Information: The information used to correlate the supply of cranberries available for sale in the various trade channels with the demand in those outlets
Description of Respondents: Business or other for-profit; Farms

Number of Respondents: 1,083
Frequency of Responses: Recordkeeping; Reporting: Quarterly; Monthly
Total Burden Hours: 874

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Deputy Departmental Clearance Officer.
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Forest Service

Tonto National Forest, AZ

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the schedule and agenda for a forthcoming public meeting on the proposed Forest Service withdrawal application to protect the foreground area's scenic values along State Highway 87 between Slate Creek and the Town of Payson, Arizona. This public meeting will provide the opportunity for public involvement in this proposed action as required by regulation. All comments will be considered when a final determination is made on whether this land should be withdrawn.

DATES: The public meeting will be held on October 17, 1996, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

ADDRESS: Tonto National Forest, Supervisor's Office, 2324 E. McDowell Road, Phoenix, Arizona 85006.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lisa Subcasky, Tonto National Forest, (602) 225-5200 or Rod Byers, Payson Ranger District, (520) 474-7900.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Notice of Proposed Withdrawal for State

Highway 87 which was published on February 6, 1995, (24 FR 7066) is hereby modified to allow for a public meeting as provided in 43 U.S.C. 1714 and 43 CFR Part 2310.3-1(2)v.

This meeting will be open to all interested persons who would like to comment in person or to submit written comments on this subject. All comments should be submitted to the Tonto National Forest, 2324 E. McDowell Road, Phoenix, Arizona 85006, by October 31, 1996.

Dated: September 10, 1996.

Judith A. Miller,

Acting Forest Supervisor.

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Steward Mining Operation, Umpqua National Forest, Douglas County, Oregon

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of intent to prepare an environmental impact statement.

SUMMARY: The Forest Service, USDA, will prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) for the purpose of approving a Plan of Operations to conduct mining operations in the City Creek Watershed. The EIS will document the environmental analyses and effects of a range of alternatives, including a no-action alternative. The EIS will analyze at least three alternatives: (1) The no action alternative; (2) the proposed action, as submitted by the operator; and (3) a modification to the proposed action, which includes appropriate mitigation measures. Under the 1872 mining law, the no-action alternative is not a viable alternative. It is required by the Council on Environmental Quality regulations and serves as a baseline to measure the environmental effects of other alternatives. Additional alternatives and/or revisions to the above alternatives will be evaluated in the EIS. This approval is in accordance with direction set forth in the Umpqua National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan (September 1990), as amended, which provides for mining operations within applicable standards, guidelines, and management prescriptions. The agency invites written comments on the scope of this project. In addition, the agency gives