

In 1985, human remains representing one individual were recovered along the Pendleton-John Day Highway on the north bank of Granite Creek, Umatilla County, OR by an Oregon Department of Transportation construction crew. No known individual was identified. No associated funerary objects are present.

Based on skeletal morphology and archeological context, the individuals from the two sites above have been identified as Native American. Historical documents, ethnographic sources, and oral history indicate that Umatilla people have occupied this north-eastern area of Oregon surrounding these two sites since precontact times. The Umatilla are one of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Reservation.

Based on the above mentioned information, officials of the Oregon State Museum of Anthropology have determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (d)(1), the human remains listed above represent the physical remains of ten individuals of Native American ancestry. Officials of the Oregon State Museum of Anthropology have also determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (d)(2), the three objects listed above are reasonably believed to have been placed with or near individual human remains at the time of death or later as part of the death rite or ceremony. Lastly, officials of the Oregon State Museum of Anthropology have determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (e), there is a relationship of shared group identity which can be reasonably traced between these Native American human remains and associated funerary objects and the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Reservation.

This notice has been sent to officials of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Reservation. Representatives of any other Indian tribe that believes itself to be culturally affiliated with these human remains and associated funerary objects should contact C. Melvin Aikens, Oregon State Museum of Anthropology, 1224 University of Oregon, Eugene, OR 97403-1224; telephone: (541) 346-5115, before December 17, 1998. Repatriation of the human remains and associated funerary objects to the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Reservation may begin after that date if no additional claimants come forward.

Dated: November 4, 1998.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Notice of Intent to Repatriate a Cultural Item from the Island of O'ahu, HI in the Possession of the Milwaukee Public Museum, Milwaukee, WI

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

Notice is hereby given under the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, 43 CFR 10.10 (a)(3), of the intent to repatriate a cultural item in the possession of the Milwaukee Public Museum, Milwaukee, WI which meets the definition of "unassociated funerary object" under Section 2 of the Act.

The cultural item is a round basalt game stone known as an ulumaika.

Prior to 1913, Mr. M.B. Wengler excavated the ulumaika from a grave in the suburbs of Honolulu on the Island of O'ahu, HI. Also prior to 1913, Mr. Wengler sold or traded this ulumaika to Mr. William H. Ellsworth of Milwaukee, WI. In 1913, Mr. Ellsworth donated this ulumaika to the Milwaukee Public Museum.

Based on known Native Hawaiian tradition and practices, this cultural item is consistent with Native Hawaiian funerary objects. Collections documentation and consultation evidence presented by Hui Malama I Na Kupuna O Hawai'i Nei support the conclusion that this cultural item was placed with human remains.

Officials of the Milwaukee Public Museum have determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (d)(2)(ii), this cultural item is reasonably believed to have been placed with or near individual human remains at the time of death or later as part of the death rite or ceremony and is believed, by a preponderance of the evidence, to have been removed from a specific burial site of an Native American individual. Officials of the Milwaukee Public Museum have also determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (e), there is a relationship of shared group identity which can be reasonably traced between this item and Hui Malama I Na Kupuna O Hawai'i Nei.

This notice has been sent to officials of the Hui Malama I Na Kupuna O Hawai'i Nei and the Office of Hawaiian Affairs. Representatives of any other Indian tribe that believes itself to be culturally affiliated with this object should contact Ann McMullen, Ph.D., Curator of North American Ethnology, Milwaukee Public Museum, 800 West Wells Street, Milwaukee, WI 53233; telephone: (414) 278-2786; fax: (414)

278-6100 before December 17, 1998. Repatriation of this object to Hui Malama I Na Kupuna O Hawai'i Nei may begin after that date if no additional claimants come forward.

Dated: November 5, 1998.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Drug Enforcement Administration

Manufacturer of Controlled Substances; Notice of Registration

By Notice dated June 30, 1998, and published in the Federal Register on July 9, 1998, (63 FR 37139), Research Biochemicals, Inc., which has changed its name to Sigma Aldrich Research Biochemicals, Inc., One Three Strathmore Road, Attn: Richard A. Milius, PhD, Natick, Massachusetts 01760, made application by renewal to the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) to be registered as a bulk manufacturer of the basic classes of controlled substances listed below:

Table with 2 columns: Drug and Schedule. Lists various controlled substances such as Cathinone, Methcathinone, 4-Bromo-2,5-dimethoxyamphetamine, etc., and their corresponding schedules (I, II).

The firm plans to manufacture the listed controlled substances for laboratory reference standards and neurochemicals.

DEA has considered the factors in Title 21, United States Code, Section 823(a) and determined that the registration of Research Biochemicals, Inc. to manufacture the listed controlled