

propagated, UCR steelhead at Rocky Reach and Rock Island Dams. ESA-listed juvenile steelhead are proposed to be anesthetized, tagged, allowed to recover, released above the dams and tracked downstream. Results from Study 4 and 5 will be used to improve the operation of fish passage facilities and evaluate the relative benefits of PIT and radio tagging technologies. For Study 6, PUD CC proposes to: (1) determine the types and numbers of adult salmonids that may be present in the Lake Chelan bypass reach after spill at the Lake Chelan hydroelectric project is curtailed, and (2) identify a mitigation strategy to protect anadromous and resident fish that may become stranded in the bypass reach after spill is curtailed. Adult salmonids are proposed to be observed during snorkel surveys. If any adult salmonids are observed in the bypass reach, the fish are proposed to be captured, handled to obtain scientific information, and released. An associated increase in ESA-listed juvenile fish indirect mortalities are also requested. Modification 2 is requested to be valid for the duration of the permit. Permit 1115 expires on December 31, 2002.

PUD-DC requests modification 2 to scientific research permit 1116. Permit 1116 authorizes PUD-DC to take adult and juvenile, endangered, naturally produced and artificially propagated, UCR steelhead associated with fish passage studies. For modification 2, PUD DC requests authorization for takes of ESA-listed juvenile steelhead associated with two new research studies, Studies 4 and 5. In Study 4, PUD DC proposes to use PIT tag technology to assess the survival of juvenile, endangered, artificially propagated, UCR steelhead as they pass through Wells Dam. In Study 5, PUD DC proposes to study the survival of juvenile, endangered, artificially propagated, UCR steelhead at Wells Dam and evaluate the relative benefits of PIT and radio tag technology. ESA-listed juvenile steelhead are proposed to be anesthetized, tagged, allowed to recover, released above the dam and tracked electronically. Results from Studies 4 and 5 will be used to improve the operation of fish passage facilities and evaluate fish tagging technology. An associated increase in ESA-listed juvenile fish indirect mortalities are also requested. Modification 2 is requested to be valid for the duration of the permit. Permit 1116 expires on December 31, 2002.

FWS requests modification 1 to permit 1119. Permit 1119 authorizes takes of adult and juvenile, endangered, naturally produced and artificially

propagated, UCR steelhead associated with scientific research studies. For modification 1, FWS requests takes of adult and juvenile UCR spring chinook salmon in anticipation of a possible listing decision of this species by NMFS. Also for modification 1, FWS requests authorization for takes of ESA-listed adult and juvenile salmonids associated with a new study designed to evaluate the feasibility of restoring endangered UCR steelhead and UCR spring chinook salmon above barriers in Icicle Creek, a tributary to the Wenatchee River. FWS proposes to capture adult, endangered, UCR steelhead and UCR spring chinook with drift nets, hook and line, or by collecting them in a fish ladder. The fish are proposed to be anesthetized, tagged with radio transmitters, allowed to recover, placed above the barriers and tracked electronically. Snorkel observations of adult and juvenile salmonids in Icicle Creek are also proposed. If successfully introduced above the barriers, endangered UCR steelhead and UCR spring chinook salmon will benefit by having access to a well managed wilderness watershed having suitable fish rearing habitat. Modification 2 is requested to be valid for the duration of the permit. Permit 1119 expires on December 31, 2002.

Amendments Issued

On December 30, 1998, NMFS issued amendments to ODFW's incidental take permit 899, to WDFW's incidental take permits 901 and 902, and to IDFG's incidental take permit 903. The amendments provide an extension of the duration of the permits through December 31, 1999. The permits were due to expire on December 31, 1998. The permits authorize incidental takes of endangered SnR sockeye salmon and threatened SnR spring/summer and fall chinook salmon associated with the operation of non-listed fish hatchery programs, educational projects, and volunteer salmon enhancement projects within the Columbia River Basin. Extension of the permits will allow ODFW, WDFW, and IDFG to continue hatchery operations in 1999 while NMFS prepares a new biological opinion.

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COMMISSION OF FINE ARTS

Notice of Meeting

The next meeting of the Commission of Fine Arts is scheduled for 18 February 1999 at 10:00 AM in the Commission's offices at the National Building Museum (Pension Building), Suite 312, Judiciary Square, 441 F Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., 20001. Items of discussion will include designs for projects affecting the appearance of Washington, D.C., including buildings and parks.

Inquiries regarding the agenda and requests to submit written or oral statements should be addressed to Charles H. Atherton, Secretary, Commission of Fine Arts, at the above address or call 202-504-2200. Individuals requiring sign language interpretation for the hearing impaired should contact the Secretary at least 10 days before the meeting date.

Dated in Washington, D.C., January 28, 1999.

Charles H. Atherton,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Defense Logistics Agency

Privacy Act of 1974; Computer Matching Program

AGENCY: Defense Manpower Data Center, Defense Logistics Agency, DoD.
ACTION: Notice of a computer matching program.

SUMMARY: Subsection (e)(12) of the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended (5 U.S.C. 552a), requires agencies to publish advanced notice of any proposed or revised computer matching program by the matching agency for public comment. The Department of Defense (DoD) as the matching agency under the Privacy Act, is hereby giving notice to the record subjects of a computer matching program between Social Security Administration (SSA) and the DoD that their records are being matched by computer.

The Social Security Act requires SSA to verify, with independent or collateral sources, information provided to SSA by applicants for and recipients of Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payments. The SSI applicant or recipient provides information about eligibility factors and other relevant information. SSA obtains additional information as necessary before making