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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Indian Affairs

#### Indian Gaming

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of approval of amendment to Tribal-State Compact.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 11 of the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1988 (IGRA), Pub. L. 100-497, 25 U.S.C. 2710, the Secretary of the Interior shall publish, in the **Federal Register**, notice of approved Tribal-State Compacts for the purpose of engaging in Class III gaming activities on Indian lands. The Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, through his delegated authority, has approved the Amendment to the Compact between the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes and the State of Montana Regarding Class III Gaming on the Flathead Reservation, executed on October 17, 2000.

**DATES:** This action is effective November 24, 2000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** George T. Skibine, Director, Office of Indian Gaming Management, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Washington, DC 20240, (202) 219-4066.

Dated: November 9, 2000.

**Kevin Gover,**

*Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Indian Affairs

#### Indian Gaming

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of amendment to approved tribal-state compact.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 11 of the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1988, Public Law 100-497, 25 U.S.C. 2710, the Secretary of the Interior shall publish, in the **Federal Register**, notice of approved Tribal-State Compacts for the purpose of engaging in Class III gaming activities on Indian lands. The Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, through his delegated authority, has approved Amendment VII to the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon and the

State of Oregon Gaming Compact, which was executed on September 28, 2000.

**DATES:** This action is effective November 24, 2000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** George T. Skibine, Director, Office of Indian Gaming Management, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Washington, DC 20240, (202) 219-4066.

Dated: November 9, 2000.

**Kevin Gover,**

*Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

**[(NM-930-1310-01); (NMNM 28813)]**

#### New Mexico: Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Lease

Under the provisions of Public Law 97-451, a petition for reinstatement of oil and gas lease NMNM 28813 for lands in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, was timely filed and was accompanied by all required rentals and royalties accruing from May 1, 2000, the date of termination.

No valid lease has been issued affecting the lands. The lessee has agreed to new lease terms for rentals and royalties at rates of \$5.00 per acre or fraction thereof and 16 $\frac{2}{3}$  percent, respectively. The lessee has paid the required \$500 administrative fee and has reimbursed the Bureau of Land Management for the cost of the **Federal Register** notice.

The Lessee has met all the requirements for reinstatement of the lease as set out in sections 31(d) and (e) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920 (30 U.S.C. 188), and the Bureau of Land Management is proposing to reinstate the lease effective May 1, 2000, subject to the original terms and conditions of the lease and the increased rental and royalty rates cited above.

For further information contact: Lourdes B. Ortiz, BLM, New Mexico State Office, (505) 438-7586.

Dated: November 6, 2000.

**Lourdes B. Ortiz,**

*Land Law Examiner.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

**[AZ-040-00-7122-EU-5709; AZA 31123]**

#### Notice of Realty Action; Airport Conveyance; Arizona

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The following public lands in Greenlee County, Arizona have been examined and found suitable for conveyance for airport purposes to the Town of Duncan, a political subdivision, under the provisions of the Airport and Airway Improvement Act of 1982 (96 Stat. 692, 49 U.S.C. 2215).

#### Gila and Salt River Meridian, Arizona

T. 8 S., R. 31 E.,  
Sec. 35, E $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$ .

The area described contains 160 acres.

This action is a motion by the Bureau of Land Management to make available lands identified and designated as disposal lands under the Safford District Resource Management Plan, dated August 1991, and are not needed for Federal purposes. Conveyance is consistent with current BLM land use planning and would be in the public interest. Detailed information concerning this action is available for review at the Bureau of Land Management, Safford Field Office, 711 14th Avenue, Safford, Arizona.

The patent when issued will be subject to the following terms, conditions and reservations:

1. A right-of-way for ditches and canals constructed by the authority of the United States, Act of August 30, 1890 (43 U.S.C. 945).

2. All minerals in the land shall be reserved to the United States, together with the right to mine and remove the same under applicable laws and whether such mining and removal of minerals will interfere with the development, operation and maintenance of the airport.

3. All valid existing rights documented on the official public land records at the time of patent issuance.

4. Two rights-of-way under section 28 of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended (41 Stat. 437; 30 U.S.C. 185) for oil and gas pipeline purposes granted to El Paso Natural Gas Company (AZA 004521 and PHX 0079873).

5. The property interest conveyed shall revert to the United States in the event that the lands in question are not developed for airport or airway purposes or are used in a manner

inconsistent with the terms of the conveyance.

Detailed information concerning this action is available for review at the Bureau of Land Management, Safford Field Office, 711 14th Avenue, Safford, Arizona 85546. Upon publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, the lands will be segregated from all other forms of appropriation under the public land laws, including the general mining laws. The segregative effect of the notice of realty action will terminate either upon the issuance of a document of conveyance or one year after the date of publication, whichever occurs first.

For a period of 45 days from the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, interested persons may submit comments regarding the proposed conveyance of the lands to the Field Office Manager, Safford Field Office, 711 14th Avenue, Safford, Arizona 85546.

Dated: November 7, 2000.

**Wayne King,**

*Acting Field Office Manager.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

(WY-950-1420-00-P)

#### Filing of Plats of Survey; Nebraska

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The plat of survey of the following described land is scheduled to be officially filed in the Wyoming State Office, Cheyenne, Wyoming, thirty (30) calendar days from the date of this publication.

#### Sixth Principal Meridian, Nebraska

T. 32 N., R. 3 E., the Survey of Tract 37, accepted November 13, 2000

This plat will be placed in the open files of the Wyoming State Office, Bureau of Land Management, 5353 Yellowstone Road, Cheyenne, Wyoming, and will be available to the public as a matter of information only. Copies of the plat will be made available upon request and prepayment of the reproduction fee of \$1.10 per copy.

A person or party who wishes to protest this survey must file with the State Director, Bureau of Land Management, Cheyenne, Wyoming, a notice of protest within thirty (30) calendar days from the date of this publication. If the protest notice did not

include a statement of reasons for the protest, the protestant shall file such a statement with the State Director within thirty (30) calendar days after the notice of protest was filed.

If protests against this survey, are received prior to the official filing, the filing will be stayed pending consideration of the protest(s) and or appeal(s). A plat will not be officially filed until after disposition of protest(s) and or appeal(s).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** John P. Lee, (307) 775-6216, Bureau of Land Management, P.O. Box 1828, 5353 Yellowstone Road, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82003.

Dated: November 13, 2000.

**John P. Lee,**

*Chief Cadastral Survey Group.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Minerals Management Service

#### Environmental Assessment Prepared for Proposed Central Gulf Sale 178 on the Gulf of Mexico Outer Continental Shelf

**AGENCY:** Minerals Management Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability of the environmental assessment on proposed central Gulf of Mexico Lease Sale 178.

**SUMMARY:** The Minerals Management Service (MMS) has prepared an environmental assessment (EA) for the proposed annual Lease Sale 178 for the Central Planning Area of the Gulf of Mexico Outer Continental Shelf.

In this EA, MMS has reexamined the potential environmental effects of the proposed action and alternatives based on any new information regarding potential impacts and issues that was not available at the time the Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) for Lease Sales 169, 172, 175, 178, and 182 was prepared.

In summary, no new significant impacts were identified for proposed Lease Sale 178 that were not already assessed in the FEIS for Lease Sales 169, 172, 175, 178, and 182. As a result, MMS determined that a supplemental EIS is not required and prepared a Finding of No New Significant Impact.

If you wish to comment, you may mail or hand-carry written comments to the Department of the Interior, Minerals Management Service, Regional Director (MS 5410), Gulf of Mexico OCS Region, 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard, New Orleans, Louisiana 70123-2394. Our

practice is to make comments, including names and home addresses of respondents, available for public review during regular business hours.

Individual respondents may request that we withhold their home address from the record, which we will honor to the extent allowable by law. There may be circumstances in which we would withhold from the record a respondent's identity, as allowable by the law. If you wish us to withhold your name and/or address, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comment. However, we will not consider anonymous comments. We will make all submissions from organizations or businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives or officials of organizations or businesses, available for public inspection in their entirety.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Public Information Unit, Information Services Section at the number below. You may obtain single copies of the EA from the Minerals Management Service, Gulf of Mexico OCS Region, Attention: Public Information Office (MS 5034), 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard, Room 114, New Orleans, Louisiana 70123-2394 or by calling 1-800-200-GULF.

Dated: November 17, 2000.

**Chris C. Oynes,**

*Regional Director, Gulf of Mexico OCS Region.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Notice of Lodging of Stipulated Settlement Order Pursuant To the Clean Air Act

Notice is hereby given that on November 9, 2000, a proposed stipulated settlement order in *United States v. The Detroit Edison Company*, Civil Action No. 99-CV-70171 (consolidated with *The Detroit Edison Company v. Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, et al.*, Civil Action No. 98-CV-74129), was lodged with the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan.

In this action, the United States sought injunctive relief and civil penalties under Section 113(b) of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. 7413(b), for violations of the Clean Air Act's Prevention of Significant Deterioration ("PSD") regulations, incorporated into the federally approved Michigan State Implementation Plan ("SIP"), the Nonattainment New Source Review ("NSR") regulations, and the New Source Performance Standards