

relative to agenda topics for the HCFAC's consideration. Written comments can be provided on the registration form or by emailing [HCFACCommittee@ajantaconsulting.com](mailto:HCFACCommittee@ajantaconsulting.com). All written comments must be provided by September 9, 2024. Please note, written comments will not be read during the meeting, but will be provided to the HCFAC members. Oral comments may be provided during the meeting. Comments from the public will be received at the end of the meeting to ensure all agenda items can be completed. Each person providing oral comments will be allocated two minutes. This time will be allocated on a first-come first-served basis by HUD. The meeting registration confirmation will contain additional instructions for providing oral comments, virtually or in-person. The HCFAC will not respond to individual written or oral statements during the meeting but will take all public comments into account in its deliberations.

### Meeting Records

Records and documents discussed during the meeting, as well as other information about the work of the HCFAC, will be available for public viewing as they become available at [https://www.hud.gov/program\\_offices/housing/sfh/hcc/housing\\_counseling](https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/housing/sfh/hcc/housing_counseling).

Information on the Committee is also available at [https://www.hud.gov/program\\_offices/housing/sfh/hcc/housing\\_counseling](https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/housing/sfh/hcc/housing_counseling) and on HUD Exchange at <https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/housing-counseling/federal-advisory-committee/>.

**Julia R. Gordon,**

*Assistant Secretary for Housing—FHA Commissioner.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

[Docket No. FWS-HQ-IA-2024-0123; FXIA16710900000-245-FF09A30000]

### Foreign Endangered Species; Receipt of Permit Applications

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of receipt of permit applications; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, invite the public to comment on applications to conduct

certain activities with foreign species that are listed as endangered under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). With some exceptions, the ESA prohibits activities with listed species unless Federal authorization is issued that allows such activities. The ESA also requires that we invite public comment before issuing permits for any activity otherwise prohibited by the ESA with respect to any endangered species.

**DATES:** We must receive comments by August 30, 2024.

#### ADDRESSES:

*Obtaining Documents:* The applications, application supporting materials, and any comments and other materials that we receive will be available for public inspection at <https://www.regulations.gov> in Docket No. FWS-HQ-IA-2024-0123.

*Submitting Comments:* When submitting comments, please specify the name of the applicant and the permit number at the beginning of your comment. You may submit comments by one of the following methods:

- *Internet:* <https://www.regulations.gov>. Search for and submit comments on Docket No. FWS-HQ-IA-2024-0123.

- *U.S. mail:* Public Comments Processing, Attn: Docket No. FWS-HQ-IA-2024-0123; U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Headquarters, MS: PRB/3W; 5275 Leesburg Pike; Falls Church, VA 22041-3803.

For more information, see Public Comment Procedures under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.**

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Timothy MacDonald, by phone at 703-358-2185 or via email at [DMAFR@fws.gov](mailto:DMAFR@fws.gov). Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point-of-contact in the United States.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Public Comment Procedures

###### A. How do I comment on submitted applications?

We invite the public and local, State, Tribal, and Federal agencies to comment on these applications. Before issuing any of the requested permits, we will take into consideration any information that we receive during the public comment period.

You may submit your comments and materials by one of the methods in

**ADDRESSES.** We will not consider comments sent by email or to an address not in **ADDRESSES.** We will not consider or include in our administrative record comments we receive after the close of the comment period (see **DATES**).

When submitting comments, please specify the name of the applicant and the permit number at the beginning of your comment. Provide sufficient information to allow us to authenticate any scientific or commercial data you include. The comments and recommendations that will be most useful and likely to influence agency decisions are: (1) Those supported by quantitative information or studies; and (2) those that include citations to, and analyses of, the applicable laws and regulations.

###### B. May I review comments submitted by others?

You may view and comment on others' public comments at <https://www.regulations.gov> unless our allowing so would violate the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a) or Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552).

###### C. Who will see my comments?

If you submit a comment at <https://www.regulations.gov>, your entire comment, including any personal identifying information, will be posted on the website. If you submit a hardcopy comment that includes personal identifying information, such as your address, phone number, or email address, you may request at the top of your document that we withhold this information from public review. However, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so. Moreover, all submissions from organizations or businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives or officials of organizations or businesses, will be made available for public disclosure in their entirety.

## II. Background

To help us carry out our conservation responsibilities for affected species, and in consideration of section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (ESA; 16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), we invite public comments on permit applications before final action is taken. With some exceptions, the ESA prohibits certain activities with listed species unless Federal authorization is issued that allows such activities. Permits issued under section 10(a)(1)(A) of the ESA allow otherwise prohibited activities for scientific purposes or to enhance the propagation or survival of the affected species. Service regulations

regarding prohibited activities with endangered species, captive-bred wildlife registrations, and permits for any activity otherwise prohibited by the ESA with respect to any endangered species are available in title 50 of the Code of Federal Regulations in part 17.

**III. Permit Applications**

We invite comments on the following applications.

**Applicant: East Coast Zoological Society of Florida, Inc. dba Brevard Zoo, Melbourne, FL; Permit No. PER11200311**

The applicant requests a permit to import one live captive-born female jaguar (*Panthera onca*) from Zoo de Granby, Granby, Canada, for the purpose of enhancing the propagation or survival of the species. This notification is for a single import.

**Applicant: Staten Island Zoo, Staten Island, NY; Permit No. PER11277351**

The applicant requests a captive-bred wildlife registration under 50 CFR 17.21(g) for the following species, to enhance the propagation or survival of the species. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

Common name	Scientific name
Aruba Island rattle-snake.	<i>Crotalus unicolor</i> .
Black-and-white ruffed lemur.	<i>Varecia variegata</i> .
Chinese alligator .....	<i>Alligator sinensis</i> .
Cotton-top marmoset	<i>Saguinus oedipus</i> .
Leopard .....	<i>Panthera pardus</i> .
Ring-tailed lemur .....	<i>Lemur catta</i> .

**Applicant: Tulsa Zoo, Tulsa, OK; Permit No. PER11295255**

The applicant requests a captive-bred wildlife registration under 50 CFR 17.21(g) for the following species, to enhance the propagation or survival of the species. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

Common name	Scientific name
Fiji banded iguana ....	<i>Brachylophus fasciatus</i> .
Aquatic box turtle .....	<i>Terrapene coahuila</i> .
Radiated Madagascar tortoise.	<i>Geochelone radiata</i> .
San Esteban Island chuckwalla.	<i>Sauromalus varius</i> .
Komodo Island monitor.	<i>Varanus komodoensis</i> .
Jamaican boa .....	<i>Epicrates subflavus</i> .
Chinese alligator .....	<i>Alligator sinensis</i> .
Siberian white crane	<i>Grus leucogeranus</i> .
African penguin .....	<i>Spheniscus demersus</i> .

Common name	Scientific name
Golden parakeet .....	<i>Guaruba guarouba</i> .
Rothschild's starling ..	<i>Leucopsar rothschildi</i> .
Asian elephant .....	<i>Elephas maximus</i> .
Black-and-white ruffed lemur.	<i>Varecia variegata</i> .
Golden-headed lion tamarin.	<i>Leontopithecus chrysomelas</i> .
Diana monkey .....	<i>Cercopithecus diana</i> .
Siamang .....	<i>Symphalangus syndactylus</i> .
Chimpanzee .....	<i>Pan troglodytes</i> .
Black-footed cat .....	<i>Felis nigripes</i> .
Lion .....	<i>Panthera leo</i> .
Malayan tiger .....	<i>Panthera tigris</i> .
Snow leopard .....	<i>Panthera uncia</i> .
African wild dog .....	<i>Lycaon pictus</i> .
White rhinoceros .....	<i>Ceratotherium simum</i> .

**Applicant: DNCR State of North Carolina dba North Carolina Zoo, Asheboro, NC; Permit No. PER11439122**

The applicant requests to renew their captive-bred wildlife registration under 50 CFR 17.21(g) for Komodo Island monitor (*Varanus komodoensis*), to enhance the propagation or survival of the species. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

**Applicant: Daniel Pearson, Micanopy, FL; Permit No. PER11444722**

The applicant requests to renew their captive-bred wildlife registration under 50 CFR 17.21(g) for Madagascar radiated tortoise (*Geochelone radiata*), to enhance the propagation or survival of the species. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

The following applicants request permits to import sport-hunted trophies of male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancing the propagation or survival of the species.

- Applicant: Zachary Boles, Cumming, GA; Permit No. PER11541505
- Applicant: Tony Boles, Cumming, GA; Permit No. PER11541207

**IV. Next Steps**

After the comment period closes, we will make decisions regarding permit issuance. If we issue permits to any of the applicants listed in this notice, we will publish a notice in the **Federal Register**. You may locate the notice announcing the permit issuance by searching <https://www.regulations.gov> for the permit number listed above in this document. For example, to find information about the potential issuance of Permit No. 12345A, you would go to [regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov) and search for "12345A".

**V. Authority**

We issue this notice under the authority of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), and its implementing regulations.

**Timothy MacDonald,**

*Government Information Specialist, Branch of Permits, Division of Management Authority.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Land Management**

[WAOR 057423]

**Public Land Order No. 7944; Extension of Public Land Order No. 7614 for Halliday Fen Research Natural Area, Washington**

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

**ACTION:** Public land order.

**SUMMARY:** This order extends the duration of the withdrawal created by Public Land Order (PLO) No. 7614 for an additional 20-year period. PLO No. 7614 withdrew 646.40 acres of National Forest System lands in the Colville National Forest near Metaline, Washington from location and entry under the United States mining laws to protect the Halliday Fen Research Natural Area (RNA). A **Federal Register** notice published on September 29, 2023, revised the legal land description and acreage written in PLO No. 7614 to reflect the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Cadastral Survey's current standards for Specifications for Descriptions of Land.

**DATES:** This PLO takes effect on September 10, 2024.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Luke Poff, Realty Specialist, BLM Oregon/Washington State Office, (503) 808-6249, by email at [lpoff@blm.gov](mailto:lpoff@blm.gov). The US Forest Service can be reached at the Colville National Forest Supervisor's Office, 765 South Main St., Colville, Washington, 99114, (509) 684-7000. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, blind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point-of-contact in the United States.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The extension of PLO No. 7614 is required in order to continue the protection of