

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management****[WY-040-1430-EU; WYW-148587]****Realty Action; Direct Sale of Public Lands; Wyoming****AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.**ACTION:** Notice of realty action; direct sale of public lands in Sweetwater County.**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Land Management has determined that the lands described below are suitable for public sale under Section 203 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1713:**Sixth Principal Meridian, Wyoming**

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The lands described above contain 722.5 acres.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Jennifer Bates, Realty Specialist, Bureau of Land Management, Rock Springs Field Office, 280 Highway 191 North, Rock Springs, Wyoming 82901, 307-352-0344.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

The Bureau of Land Management proposes to sell the surface estate of the above-described land to PacifiCorp, an adjacent landowner and current right-of-way holder, via direct sale, pursuant to Section 203 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1713. PacifiCorp wishes to acquire the land to protect its existing equities in the land. The lands are currently developed to contain two flue-gas desulphurization ponds, a fresh water pond, and other associated facilities, which are related to operation of the Jim Bridger Power Plant and are authorized by rights-of-way held by PacifiCorp. These lands have been sufficiently changed in character by the improvements associated with the rights-of-way, that disposal of these lands to PacifiCorp through direct sale is deemed to be in the public interest.

The proposed sale would be made at fair market value which has been determined to be \$722,500. The proposed sale is consistent with the Green River Resource Management Plan and would serve important public

objectives which cannot be achieved prudently or feasibly elsewhere. The lands contain no other known public values. The planning document, environmental assessment, and approved appraisal report covering the proposed sale are available for review at the Bureau of Land Management, Rock Springs Field Office, Rock Springs, Wyoming.

Conveyance of the above public lands will be subject to:

1. Reservation of a right-of-way to the United States for ditches and canals pursuant to the Act of August 30, 1890, 43 U.S.C. 945.

2. Reservation of all minerals pursuant to section 209(a) of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 1719.

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

There will be a decrease of 722.5 Federal acres within the Rock Springs Grazing Allotment. The 72 AUMs associated with the 722.5 acre parcel will be canceled. The grazing lessee has waived the 2 year notification period and therefore, this proposed sale is in compliance with 43 CFR 4110.42(b).

The public lands described above shall be segregated from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws; including the mining laws, upon publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. The segregative effect will end upon issuance of the patent or 270 days from the date of the publication, whichever comes first.

For a period of 45 days after issuance of this notice, interested parties may submit comments to the Field Manager, Rock Springs Field Office, Bureau of Land Management, 280 Highway 191 North, Rock Springs, Wyoming 82901. Any adverse comments will be evaluated by the State Director who may sustain, vacate, or modify this realty action. In the absence of any objections, this proposed realty action will become final.

Dated: December 4, 2003.

Michael R. Holbert,

Field Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement****Notice of Proposed Information Collection for 30 CFR Parts 816 and 817****AGENCY:** Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Interior.**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSM) is announcing that the information collection request for the Permanent Program Performance Standards—Surface Mining Activities and Underground Mining Activities at 30 CFR Parts 816 and 817, has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and comment. The information collection request describes the nature of the information collection and the expected burden and cost.

DATES: OMB has up to 60 days to approve or disapprove the information collections but may respond after 30 days. Therefore, public comments should be submitted to OMB by February 12, 2004, in order to be assured of consideration.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request a copy of the information collection request, explanatory information and related form, contact John A. Trelease at (202) 208-2783, or electronically to jtrelease@osmre.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The OMB regulations at 5 CFR 1320, which implement provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13), require that interested members of the public and affected agencies have an opportunity to comment on information collection and recordkeeping activities [see 5 CFR 1320.8(d)]. OSM has consolidated two information collections relating to coal mining performance standards, revised burden estimates, where appropriate, to reflect current reporting levels or adjustments based on reestimates of burden or respondents. OSM has submitted a request to OMB to renew its approval of the collection of information contained in: Permanent Program Performance Standards—Surface Mining Activities at 30 CFR 816, and Underground Mining Activities at 30 CFR 817. OSM is requesting a 3-year term of approval for the information collection activity.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information

unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control number for these collections of information are currently 1029-0047 for Part 816, and 1029-0048 for Part 817. Due to the consolidation of these parts in this collection request, OSM will request approval for both parts under 1029-0047.

As required under 5 CFR 1320.8(d), a **Federal Register** notice soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on October 7, 2003 (68 FR 57927). No comments were received. This notice provides the public with an additional 30 days in which to comment on the following information collection activity:

Title: Permanent Program

Performance Standards—Surface and Underground Mining Activities, 30 CFR Parts 816 and 817.

OMB Control Number: 1029-0047.

Summary: Sections 515 and 516 of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 provides that permittees conducting coal mining operations shall meet all applicable performance standards of the Act. The information collected is used by the regulatory authority in monitoring and inspecting coal mining activities to ensure that they are conducted in compliance with the requirements of the Act.

Bureau Form Number: None.

Frequency of Collection: Once, on occasion, quarterly and annually.

Description of Respondents: Coal mining operators and State regulatory authorities.

Total Annual Responses: 186,341.

Total Annual Burden Hours: 870,333.

Total Nonwage Costs: \$315,000.

Send comments on the need for the collection of information for the performance of the functions of the agency; the accuracy of the agency's burden estimates; ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and ways to minimize the information collection burdens on respondents, such as use of automated means of collections of the information, to the following addresses. Please refer to the appropriate OMB control number in all correspondence.

ADDRESSES: Please submit your comments via e-mail to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, attention: Department of Interior Desk Officer, at *OIRA_Docket@omb.eop.gov* or via fax to (202) 395-6566. Also, please send a copy of your comments to John Trelease via e-mail to *jtreleas@osmre.gov*, or through the mail to John Trelease, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement,

1951 Constitution Ave, NW., Room 210-SIB, Washington, DC 20240.

Dated: December 9, 2003.

Sarah E. Donnelly,

Acting Chief, Division of Regulatory Support.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigations Nos. 701-TA-437 and 731-TA-1060 and 1061 (Preliminary)]

Carbazole Violet Pigment 23 From China and India

Determination

On the basis of the record ¹ developed in the subject investigations, the United States International Trade Commission (Commission) determines, pursuant to section 703(a) and 733(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1671b(a) and 1673b(a)) (the Act), that there is a reasonable indication that an industry in the United States is materially injured by reason of imports from China and India of carbazole violet pigment 23, provided for in subheading 3204.17.90 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that are alleged to be subsidized by the Government of India and that are alleged to be sold in the United States at less than fair value (LTFV).

Commencement of Final Phase Investigations

Pursuant to section 207.18 of the Commission's rules, the Commission also gives notice of the commencement of the final phase of its investigations. The Commission will issue a final phase notice of scheduling, which will be published in the **Federal Register** as provided in section 207.21 of the Commission's rules, upon notice from the Department of Commerce (Commerce) of affirmative preliminary determinations in these investigations under section 703(b) and 733(b) of the Act, or, if the preliminary determinations are negative, upon notice of affirmative final determinations in these investigations under section 705(a) and 735(a) of the Act. Parties that filed entries of appearance in the preliminary phase of the investigations need not enter a separate appearance for the final phase of the investigations. Industrial users, and, if the merchandise under investigation is sold at the retail level,

representative consumer organizations have the right to appear as parties in Commission antidumping and countervailing duty investigations. The Secretary will prepare a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to the investigations.

Background

On November 21, 2003, petitions were filed with the Commission and Commerce by Nation Ford Chemical Co., Fort Mill, SC, and Sun Chemical Corp., Cincinnati, OH, alleging that an industry in the United States is materially injured and threatened with material injury by reason of subsidized imports of carbazole violet pigment 23 from India and LTFV imports of carbazole violet pigment 23 from China and India. Accordingly, effective November 21, 2003, the Commission instituted countervailing duty and antidumping investigations Nos. 701-TA-437 and 731-TA-1060 and 1061 (Preliminary).

Notice of the institution of the Commission's investigations and of a public conference to be held in connection therewith was given by posting copies of the notice in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, Washington, DC, and by publishing the notice in the **Federal Register** of November 28, 2003 (68 FR 66851). The conference was held in Washington, DC, on December 12, 2003, and all persons who requested the opportunity were permitted to appear in person or by counsel.

The Commission transmitted its determinations in these investigations to the Secretary of Commerce on January 5, 2004. The views of the Commission are contained in USITC Publication 3662 (January 2004), entitled Carbazole Violet Pigment 23 from China and India: Investigations Nos. 701-TA-437 and 731-TA-1060-1061 (Preliminary).

By order of the Commission.

Issued: January 7, 2004.

Marilyn R. Abbott,

Secretary.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. TA-421-5]

Innersprings from China

AGENCY: International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Institution and scheduling of an investigation under section 421(b) of the

¹ The record is defined in sec. 207.2(f) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 207.2(f)).