

corporation or company for the purpose of providing river related commercial recreation activities.

Proposals for land-based uses within the SRMA will be accepted and evaluated by BLM to determine if a public benefit or need exists. An outfitter's desire for an authorized use does not constitute a public need, nor does market generated demand in the form of solicited calls or letters. The BLM will evaluate the public benefit or need based on certain elements such as new technology, unmet public demand, areas with low user conflict, protection of natural resources, etc. to help meet the BLM's management objectives and to provide a high quality recreation service. Issuance of a permit is discretionary with the authorized officer. The BLM reserves the right to reject any or all proposals for additional uses on existing permits or for new authorizations. The BLM is not obligated to accept a proposal based on its monetary return to the agency since the primary management objective is to best serve the public need while protecting the natural resources and maintaining a quality recreation experience.

The BLM river managers in the Kremmling and Glenwood Springs Field Offices have determined that a moratorium on new Special Recreation Permits issued for the Upper Colorado River SRMA is needed to allow the managers to utilize their time more effectively on river management issues such as visitor services, permit compliance, site maintenance, and use level issues. Currently there are 72 permits issued by Kremmling and 26 issued by Glenwood Springs authorizing river related commercial activities including raft and inflatable kayak trips, canoe and kayak instruction, guided fishing, vehicle shuttles, equipment rentals, rock climbing, and photography. Due to the large number of outfitters operating in the river corridor, it is felt that the public's needs are being adequately met at the present time. Sales of outfitting businesses and any transfers of permits will be dealt with through the BLM Manual Handbook H8372-1 and the Recreation Use Permit Administration Manual/Policy Statement and Handbook/User Guide. In addition, no subleasing of a permit is allowed.

DATES: The moratorium on new permits will go into effect immediately as of the publication date and will remain in effect until February 1, 2002. At that time, river managers will determine if additional permits will be allowed or if

a continuation of the moratorium on new permits issued is necessary.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Rich Rosene, Outdoor Recreation Planner, Kremmling Field Office, P.O. Box 68, Kremmling, CO 80459, (970) 724-3437; or Dorothy Morgan, Outdoor Recreation Planner, Glenwood Springs Field Office, P.O. Box 1009, Glenwood Springs, CO 81602, (970) 947-2806.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Authority for implementing this action is found in 43 CFR 8372.3.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

National Drug Intelligence Center

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comments Requested

ACTION: Notice of Information Collection Under Review; New Collection; National Drug Threat Survey.

The Department of Justice, National Drug Intelligence Center (NDIC) submits the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. This proposed information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** on January 25, 2001, (Volume 66, Number 17) allowing for a 60-day public comment period. The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comment until April 30, 2001. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Department of Justice Desk Officer, Washington, DC 20503. Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

1. Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the

functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

2. Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies' estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

3. Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

4. Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Overview of this information collection:

1. *Type of Information Collection:* New Collection.

2. *Title of the Form/Collection:* National Drug Threat Survey.

3. *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection:* Form #A-34-National Drug Intelligence Center.

4. *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: State and local law enforcement agencies. This survey is a critical component of the National Drug Threat Assessment. It provides direct access to detailed drug offense data from state and local law enforcement agencies.

5. *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 2,500 responses at 3 hours per response.

6. *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 7,500 annual burden hours.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 1220, National Place Building 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: March 26, 2001.

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