

ACTION: Notice of meetings.

SUMMARY: The National Boating Safety Advisory Council (NBSAC) and its subcommittees on regulatory review III of recreational boating safety regulations, boats and associated equipment, aftermarket marine equipment, and prevention through people will meet to discuss various issues relating to recreational boating safety. All meetings will be open to the public.

DATES: NBSAC will meet on Monday, April 28, 2003, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Tuesday, April 29 from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon. The Recreational Boating Safety Regulatory Review III Subcommittee will meet on Saturday, April 26, 2003, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. The Boats and Associated Equipment Subcommittee will meet on Sunday, April 27, 2003, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. The Aftermarket Marine Equipment Subcommittee will meet on Sunday, April 27, 2003, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. The Prevention Through People Subcommittee will meet on Sunday, April 27, 2003, from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. These meetings may close early if all business is finished. On Sunday, April 27, a Subcommittee meeting may start earlier if the preceding Subcommittee meeting has closed early. Written material and requests to make oral presentations should reach the Coast Guard on or before April 15, 2003. Requests to have a copy of your material distributed to each member of the committee or subcommittees should reach the Coast Guard on or before April 7, 2003.

ADDRESSES: NBSAC will meet at the Holiday Inn Rosslyn at Key Bridge, 1900 N. Fort Meyer Drive, Arlington, VA 22209. The subcommittee meetings will be held at the same address. Send written material and requests to make oral presentations to Mr. Jeff Hoedt, Executive Director of NBSAC, Commandant (G-OPB-1), U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters, 2100 Second Street SW., Washington, DC 20593-0001. This notice is available on the Internet at <http://dms.dot.gov> under docket USCG-2003-14750 or at the Web Site for the Office of Boating Safety at URL address www.uscgboating.org.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jeff Hoedt, Executive Director of NBSAC, telephone 202-267-0950, fax 202-267-4285. You may obtain a copy of this notice by calling the U.S. Coast Guard Infoline at 1-800-368-5647.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice of these meetings is given under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. 2.

Tentative Agendas of Meetings

National Boating Safety Advisory Council (NBSAC). The agenda includes the following:

- (1) Remarks—Rear Admiral Jeffrey J. Hathaway, Director of Operations Policy and Council Sponsor.
- (2) Chief, Office of Boating Safety Update on NBSAC Resolutions.
- (3) Executive Director's report.
- (4) Chairman's session.
- (5) Recreational Boating Safety Regulatory Review III Subcommittee report.
- (6) Boats and Associated Equipment Subcommittee report.
- (7) Aftermarket Marine Equipment Subcommittee report.
- (8) Prevention Through People Subcommittee report.
- (9) Recreational Boating Safety Program report.
- (10) Coast Guard Auxiliary report.
- (11) Canadian Coast Guard report.
- (12) National Association of State Boating Law Administrators Report.
- (13) Wallop Breaux reauthorization update.
- (14) Presentation on Canoe and Kayak Safety Issue.
- (15) Report on Boating Safety Interventions for Anglers and Hunters.
- (16) Update on Risk-based Approval Process for Personal Flotation Devices (PFDs) (Former Personal Flotation Device-Life Saving Index (PFD-LSI).) and development of PFD design and evaluation tools—manikin family and computer model.
- (17) Presentation on USCG Maritime Security Rulemaking Effort.

Recreational Boating Safety Regulatory Review III Subcommittee. The agenda includes the following:

- (1) Review recreational boating safety regulations concerning requirements for operators of recreational vessels (33 CFR parts 95, 100, 173, 174, 175, 177, 181 (subparts A and G), 187 and 46 CFR part 25 (subpart 25.30), and part 58 (subparts 58.03 and 58.10).

- (2) Present recommendations to the Council as to whether the current recreational boating safety regulations need to be changed or removed based on a review of need, technical accuracy, cost/benefit, problems and alternatives.

Boats and Associated Equipment Subcommittee. The agenda includes the following: Discuss current regulatory projects, grants, contracts and new issues impacting boats and associated equipment.

Aftermarket Marine Equipment Subcommittee. The agenda includes the following: Discuss current regulatory projects, grants, contracts and new issues impacting aftermarket marine equipment.

Prevention Through People Subcommittee. The agenda includes the following: Discuss current regulatory projects, grants, contracts and new issues impacting prevention through people.

Procedural

All meetings are open to the public. Please note that the meetings may close early if all business is finished. At the Chairs' discretion, members of the public may make oral presentations during the meetings. If you would like to make an oral presentation at a meeting, please notify the Executive Director no later than April 14, 2003. Written material for distribution at a meeting should reach the Coast Guard no later than April 7, 2003. If you would like a copy of your material distributed to each member of the committee or subcommittee in advance of a meeting, please submit 25 copies to the Executive Director no later than April 7, 2003.

Information on Services for Individuals With Disabilities

For information on facilities or services for individuals with disabilities or to request special assistance at the meetings, contact the Executive Director as soon as possible.

Dated: March 24, 2003

Jeffrey J. Hathaway,

Rear Admiral, Coast Guard, Director of Operations Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Fish and Wildlife Service**

Information Collection to be Submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Approval Under the Paperwork Reduction Act; OMB Control Number 1018-0093, Applications for Permits

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (We) will submit the collection of information described below to OMB for approval under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act. An estimate of the information collection burden is included in this notice. If you wish to obtain copies of the proposed information collection requirement, related forms, and/or explanatory material, contact the Service Information Collection Clearance Officer at the address listed below.

DATES: You must submit comments on or before May 30, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Send your comments and suggestions on specific requirements to the Information Collection Clearance Officer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, MS 222-ARLSQ, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA 22203.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request a copy of the information collection submission, explanatory information, and/or related forms, contact Anissa Craghead, Information Collection Clearance Officer at 703-358-2445, electronically at Anissa_Craghead@fws.gov, or Amy Brisendine at 703-358-2104 ext. 5100, electronically at Amy_Brisendine@fws.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: OMB regulations at 5 CFR 1320, which implement provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), require that interested members of the public and affected agencies be given an opportunity to comment on information collection and record keeping activities (see 5 CFR 1320.8(d)). We are submitting a request to OMB to approve: (1) The revision of the collection of information for many of the Service's permit applications (Form numbers 3-200-19 through 3-200-37, 3-200-39 through 3-200-53, and 3-200-58, currently approved under OMB control number 1018-0093); (2) the addition of forms 3-200-64 through 3-200-66, and 3-200-73; and (3) the deletion of forms 3-200-38 and 3-200-51. All of these forms are used by the Division of Management Authority, International Affairs. We are requesting a three-year term of approval for this information collection activity. Federal agencies 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 this collection of information is 1018-0093.

Revisions to the currently approved forms include modification of the format and content of the application forms so that they will be easier to understand and easier for the applicant to complete. We are removing one application form (3-200-38, Import of Wildlife Samples, CITES and/or ESA) from the information collection approval request because it is being combined with form 3-200-29, Import/Export/Re-Export of Samples (Wildlife and/or Biomedical Samples) (CITES and/or ESA). We are also removing Form 3-200-51, Approval of a Foreign Breeding Facility Under WBCA, from the information collection approval request because the regulations (50 CFR 15.41) have not yet been developed. Five new forms have been added to the information collection in order to simplify the information collection process on the public in terms of reporting requirements. The new forms (3-200-58, 3-200-64 through 3-200-66, and 3-200-73) are noted in the table below. In addition, we are requesting that Form 3-200-26, which is currently approved under OMB control number 1018-0092, be transferred to this collection.

We invite comments concerning this renewal on: (1) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of burden on the public; (3) ways to

enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond. The information collections in this program are part of a system of records covered by the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552 (a)).

The information obtained from the applications for permits will be used to determine the eligibility of applicants for permits they are requesting according to criteria in various Federal wildlife conservation laws, international treaties, and regulations on the issuance, suspension, revocation, or denial of permits.

The information collection requirements in this submission implement the regulatory requirements of the Endangered Species Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C. 703 *et seq.*), the Lacey Act (16 U.S.C. 3371 *et seq.*), the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668), the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) (27 U.S.T. 1087), the Marine Mammal Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 1361-1407 *et seq.*), and the Wild Bird Conservation Act (16 U.S.C. 4901-4916 *et seq.*), and are contained in Service regulations in Chapter I, Subchapter B of Title 50 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). Generic permit application and record keeping requirements shared by our permit-issuing offices have been consolidated in 50 CFR part 13. The following table lists the application forms, with their respective burden estimates and applicable regulations, that we plan to submit to OMB for approval under the Paperwork Reduction Act.

Application No.	Activity	Total number of respondents annually	Estimated time to complete application (hours)	Total annual public reporting burden (hours)	Applicable regulation(s)
3-200-19	Import of Sport-hunted Trophies of Southern African Leopard, African Elephant, and Namibian Southern White Rhinoceros.	880	0.3	264	50 CFR 17.40(e), 17.40(f), 23.11, 23.12, and 23.15
3-200-20	Import of Sport-Hunted Trophies (Appendix I of CITES and/or ESA).	50	1.0	50	50 CFR 17.21, 17.22, 17.31, 17.32, 23.11, and 23.15
3-200-21	Import of Sport-Hunted Trophies of Argali	220	0.8	165	50 CFR 17.31, 17.32 and 17.40(j)
3-200-22	Import of Sport-Hunted Bontebok Trophies ..	110	0.3	33	50 CFR 17.21 and 17.22
3-200-23	Export of Pre-Convention, Pre-Act, or Antique Specimens (CITES and/or ESA).	300	0.7	210	50 CFR 14.22, 17.4, 18.14, 23.11, 23.13(c), and 23.15
3-200-24	Export of Live Captive-Born Animals (CITES).	450	0.7	315	50 CFR 23.11, 23.12 and 23.15
3-200-25	Export of Raptors	100	1.0	100	50 CFR 21.21, 21.29, 23.11, 23.12 and 23.15

Application No.	Activity	Total number of respondents annually	Estimated time to complete application (hours)	Total annual public reporting burden (hours)	Applicable regulation(s)
3-200-26	Export of Skins/Products of Six Native Species: bobcat, lynx, river otter, Alaskan brown bear, Alaskan gray wolf, and American alligator (CITES).	3760	0.3	1128	50 CFR 23.11, 23.12 and 23.15
3-200-27	Export of Wildlife Removed from the Wild (CITES).	10	0.7	7	50 CFR 23.11, 23.12 and 23.15
3-200-28	Export/Re-Export of Trophies by Hunters or Taxidermists (CITES).	60	0.5	30	50 CFR 23.11, 23.12 and 23.15
3-200-29	Import/Export/Re-Export of Samples (Wildlife and or Biomedical) (CITES and/or ESA).	600	1.5	615	50 CFR 17.21, 17.22, 17.31, 17.32, 23.11, 23.12, 23.13 and 23.15
3-200-30	Export/Re-import of Circuses and Traveling Animal Exhibitions.	230	1.0	230	50 CFR 17.21, 17.22, 17.31, 17.32, 23.11, 23.12, 23.13 and 23.15
3-200-31	Introduction from the Sea (CITES)	40	2.0	80	50 CFR 23.11, 23.12, and 23.15
3-200-32	Export/Re-Export of Plants (CITES)	180	1.0	180	50 CFR 23.11, 23.12, 23.13 and 23.15
3-200-33	Export of Artificially Propagated Plants (Multiple-use).	100	2.0	200	50 CFR 17.61, 17.62, 17.71, 17.72, 23.11, 23.12, 23.13 and 23.15
3-200-34	Export of American Ginseng*	70	0.3	21	50 CFR 23.11, 23.12, 23.13, 23.15 and 23.51
3-200-35	Import of Appendix-I Plants (CITES)	10	1.0	10	50 CFR 23.11, 23.12, 23.13 and 23.15
3-200-36	Export/Import/Interstate and Foreign Commerce of Plants (ESA and/or CITES).	5	1.0	5	50 CFR 17.61, 17.62, 17.71, 17.72, 23.11, 23.12 and 23.15
3-200-37	Export/Import/Interstate and Foreign Commerce/Take of Animals (ESA and/or CITES).	230	2.0	460	50 CFR 17.21, 17.22, 17.31, 17.32, 23.11, 23.12 and 23.15
3-200-39	Certificate of Scientific Exchange (CITES)* ..	20	1.0	20	50 CFR 23.11, 23.13(g) and 23.15
3-200-40	Export and Re-import of Museum Specimens (ESA)*.	10	1.0	10	50 CFR 17.21, 17.22, 17.31, 17.32, 17.61, 17.62, 17.71 and 17.72
3-200-41	Captive-Bred Wildlife Registration*	300	2.0	600	50 CFR 17.21(g) and 17.31
3-200-42	Import/Transport of Injurious Wildlife	35	2.0	70	50 CFR 16.22
3-200-43	Take/Import/Transport/Export of Marine Mammals or Amendment of Existing Permit*.	100	4.0	400	50 CFR 18.11, 18.22, 18.31, 17.21, 17.22, 17.31, 17.32, 23.11, 23.12, 23.13 and 23.15
3-200-44	Registration of an Agent/Tannery (MMPA)*	20	0.5	10	50 CFR 18.11, 18.12 and 8.23(d)
3-200-45	Import of Polar Bear Trophies Sport Hunted in Canada.	60	0.5	30	50 CFR 18.11, 18.12 and 18.30
3-200-46	Import or Export of Personal Pets (CITES and/or WBCA).	440	0.5	220	50 CFR 15.11, 15.12, 15.21 and 15.25
3-200-47	Import of Birds for Scientific Research or Zoological Breeding and Display (WBCA).	50	2.0	100	50 CFR 15.11, 15.12, 15.21, 15.22 and 15.23
3-200-48	Import of Birds Under an Approved Cooperative Breeding Program (WBCA)*.	20	1.0	20	50 CFR 15.11, 15.12, 15.21 and 15.24
3-200-49	Approval of a Cooperative Breeding Program (WBCA).	10	3.0	0	50 CFR 15.11, 15.12, 15.21 and 15.26
3-200-50	Approval of Sustainable Use Management Plan Under WBCA.	1	10	10	50 CFR 15.11, 15.12, 15.21 and 15.32
3-200-51	Approval of Sustainable Use Management Plan Under WBCA.	1	8	8	50 CFR 15.11, 15.12, 15.21 and 15.41
3-200-52	Reissuance or Renewal of a Permit	200	0.3	50	50 CFR 13.21 and 13.22
3-200-53	Export/Re-Export of Captive-Held Marine Mammals (CITES).	20	2.0	40	50 CFR Part 18, 23.11, 23.12, 23.13 and 23.15

Application No.	Activity	Total number of respondents annually	Estimated time to complete application (hours)	Total annual public reporting burden (hours)	Applicable regulation(s)
3-200-58	Retrospective Documents**	50	1.0	50	50 CFR 23.11, 23.15
3-200-64	Certificate of Ownership for Personally Owned Wildlife "Pet passport" (CITES)**	400	0.5	200	50 CFR 23.11, 23.15
3-200-65	Registration of Appendix-I Commercial Breeding Operations (CITES)**	15	44.5	245	50 CFR 23.11, 23.15
3-200-66	Replacement Documents (CITES)**	50	0.5	25	23.11, 23.15
3-200-73	Re-Export of Wildlife (CITES)**	300	0.5	150	50 CFR 23.11, 23.12 and 23.15
Total Hours		9507		6391	

* **Note:** There is a reporting requirement associated with the issuance of permits granted as a result of this information collection which is included in the estimated burden. Required information to be submitted is outlined on the corresponding permits issued.

** **Note:** These are new forms.

Title: Federal Fish and Wildlife Permit Application, Management Authority.

OMB Number: 1018-0093.

Service Form Numbers: 3-200-19 through 3-200-37, 3-200-39 through 3-200-53 and 3-200-58, 3-200-64 through 3-200-66, and 3-200-73.

Frequency of Collection: On occasion.

Description of Respondents:

Individuals, biomedical companies, circuses, zoological parks, botanical gardens, nurseries, museums, universities, scientists, antique dealers, exotic pet industry, hunters, taxidermists, commercial importers/exporters of wildlife and plants, freight forwarders/brokers, local, State, tribal and Federal governments.

Total Annual Responses: 9507 responses.

Total Annual Burden Hours: 6391 hours.

Dated: March 14, 2003.

Charlie R. Chandler,
Chief, Branch of Permits—Domestic, Division of Management Authority.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Receipt of Applications for Permit

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of applications for permit.

SUMMARY: The public is invited to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with endangered species and/or marine mammals.

DATES: Written data, comments or requests must be received by April 30, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice to: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203; fax 703/358-2281.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Division of Management Authority, telephone 703/358-2104.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Endangered Species

The public is invited to comment on the following application(s) for a permit to conduct certain activities with endangered species. This notice is provided pursuant to section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*). Written data, comments, or requests for copies of these complete applications should be submitted to the Director (address above).

PRT-069356

Applicant: Philip Dudley, Upperville, VA.

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus dorcas*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

PRT-069332

Applicant: Miami Metrozoo, Miami, Florida.

The applicant requests a permit to export one live male Komodo island monitor (*Varanus komodoensis*) to the Zoologico Guadalajara, Mexico for the

purpose of conservation education and enhancement of the survival of the species.

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service has information collection approval from OMB through March 31, 2004, OMB Control Number 1018-0093. Federal Agencies may not conduct or sponsor and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a current valid OMB control number.

Dated: March 21, 2003.

Monica Farris,

Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits, Division of Management Authority.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Receipt of Applications for Permit

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of applications for permit.

SUMMARY: The public is invited to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with endangered species and/or marine mammals.

DATES: Written data, comments or requests must be received by April 30, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice to: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive,