

Public Solicitation of New Information:

We request any new information concerning the status of the northern spotted owl and marbled murrelet. New information is considered to be scientific and commercial data that has become available since the time of the species current listing determination or most recent status review. In particular, we are seeking information such as:

A. Species biology including, but not limited to, population trends, distribution, abundance, demographics, and genetics;

B. Habitat conditions including, but not limited to, amount, distribution, and suitability;

C. Conservation measures that have been implemented that benefit the species;

D. Threat status and trends (see five factors under heading "How do we determine whether a species is endangered or threatened?");

E. Other new information, data, or corrections including, but not limited to, taxonomic or nomenclatural changes, identification of erroneous information contained in the List, and improved analytical methods.

Specifically for the owl and murrelet we are interested in new information, analyses, and/or reports for these species that summarize and interpret: demographic or population trends; genetics and competition; habitat amount, use, and distribution; and adequacy of existing regulatory mechanisms, management, and conservation planning. We request this information for all applicable land ownerships within the range of both species.

Information submitted should be supported by documentation such as maps, bibliographic references, methods used to gather and analyze the data, and/or copies of any pertinent publications, reports, or letters by knowledgeable sources.

Authority

This document is published under the authority of the Endangered Species Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

Dated: April 2, 2003.

Steve Williams,

Director, Fish and Wildlife Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management**

[CO-934-5700; COC63737]

Notice of Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Leases

Pursuant to the provisions of 30 U.S.C. 188 (d) and (e), and 43 CFR 3108.2-3 (a) and (b)(1), a petition for reinstatement of oil and gas lease COC 63737 for lands in Weld county, Colorado, was timely filed and was accompanied by all the required rentals accruing from the date of termination. The lessee has agreed to the amended lease terms for rentals and royalties at the rate of \$10.00 per acre, or fraction thereof, per year and 16 $\frac{2}{3}$ percent, respectively. The lessee has paid the required \$500 administrative fee and \$166 to reimburse the Department for the cost of this **Federal Register** notice. The lessee has met all the requirements for reinstatement of the lease as set out in section 31 (d) and (e) of the Mineral Lands Leasing Act of 1920 (30 U.S.C. 188), and the Bureau of Land Management is proposing to reinstate lease COC 63737 effective June 1, 2002, subject to the original terms and conditions of the lease and the increased rental and royalty rates cited above.

Beverly A. Derringer,

Chief, Fluid Minerals Adjudication.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management**

[ES-930-03-1310-LAES 47736]

Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Lease, Louisiana

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Proposed reinstatement of terminated oil and gas lease.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of Public Law 97-451, a petition for reinstatement of oil and gas lease, LAES 47736, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, was timely filed and accompanied by all required rentals and royalties. No valid lease has been issued affecting the lands. The lessee has agreed to new lease terms for rental and royalties at rates of \$10 per acre and 12 $\frac{2}{3}$ percent. Payment of \$500 in administrative fees and a \$158 publication fee has been made.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:

Gina Goodwin, Land Law Examiner, BLM Eastern States Office, 7450 Boston Boulevard, Springfield, Virginia 22153 at (703) 440-1534.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Bureau of Land Management is proposing to reinstate the lease effective the date of termination, June 1, 2002, subject to the original terms and conditions of the lease and the increased rental and royalty rates cited above. This is in accordance with section 31(d) and (e) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended (30 U.S.C. 188 (d) and (e)).

Dated: March 6, 2003.

Michael D. Nedd,

State Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management**

[CA-930-01-5410-EQ-B172; CACA 43937]

Conveyance of Mineral Interests in California

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of segregation.

SUMMARY: The mineral interests owned by the United States in the land described in this notice, aggregating 160 acres, are segregated and made unavailable for filings under the general mining laws and the mineral leasing laws to determine the suitability for conveyance of the reserved mineral interest pursuant to section 209 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of October 21, 1976. The mineral interests may be conveyed in whole or in part upon favorable mineral examination. The purpose is to allow consolidation of surface and subsurface of minerals ownership where there are no known mineral values or in those instances where the reservation interferes with or precludes appropriate non-mineral development and such development is a more beneficial use of the land than the mineral development.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Kathy Gary, California State Office, Federal Office Building, 2800 Cottage Way, Room W-1834, Sacramento, California 95825, (916) 978-4677.

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T. 31 N., R. 11 W., Mount Diablo Meridian Sec. 4, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ County—Trinity.

Minerals Reservation—All coal and other minerals.