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days; therefore, public comments should be submitted to OMB within 30 days in order to assure their maximum consideration.

Comments and suggestions on the requirement should be made directly to the Desk Office for the Interior Department, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington DC 20503 and to the Bureau Clearance Officer, U.S. Geological Survey, 807 National Center, Reston, VA 20192. As required by OMB regulations at 5 CFR 1320.8(d)(1), the U.S. Geological Survey solicits specific public comments regarding the proposed information collection as to:

1. Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the bureau, including whether the information will have practical utility;

2. The accuracy of the bureau's estimate of the burden of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

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

4. How to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated electronic, mechanical, or other forms of information technology.

Title: Consolidated Consumers' Report.

Current OMB Approval Number: 1032–0084.

Abstract: Repsondents supply the U.S. Geological Survey with domestic consumption data of 12 metals and ferroalloys, some of which are considered strategic and critical. This information will be published as monthly and annual reports for use by Government agencies, industry, and the general public.

Bureau Form Number: 9–4117–MA.

Frequency: Monthly and Annually.

Description of Respondents: Consumers of ferrorus and related metals.

Annual Responses: 2,923.

Annual Burden Hours: 2,192.

Bureau Clearance Officer: John E. Cordyack, Jr., 703–648–7313.

John H. DeYoung, Jr.,

Chief Scientist, Minerals Information Team.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Notice of Public Comment Period on Proposed Agreement for Leasing of Colorado River Water and Non-Irrigation of Lands on Chemehuevi Indian Reservation

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of opportunity for public comment.

SUMMARY: The Chemehuevi Indian Tribe entered into an agreement with Southeastern Nevada Water Company, Inc., dated January 31, 1998, for a 25-year lease of 5,000 acre-feet per year of the Tribe's Colorado River water entitlement. The agreement has been submitted to the Secretary of the Interior with a request for the Secretary's approval as a lease of Indian lands within the meaning of 25 U.S.C. 415 and for approval under 25 U.S.C. 81. As part of the Secretary's review, the Bureau of Indian Affairs has determined it is in the public interest to allow an opportunity for interested parties to comment on the proposed lease.

DATES: Any comments must be received by the agency on or before August 6, 1998.

ADDRESSES: If you wish to comment, you may submit your comments to the Area Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Attention: Ms. Cathy Wilson, Phoenix Area Office, P.O. Box 10, MS 420, Phoenix, AZ 85004.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Chemehuevi Indian Tribe is a federally recognized Indian tribe organized under section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934 (25 U.S.C. § 476). The Tribe is the beneficial owner of the Chemehuevi Indian Reservation which is located entirely within San Bernardino County, California. On February 2, 1998, the Chemehuevi Indian Tribe provided the proposed Agreement for the Leasing of Reservation Water and for Non-Irrigation of Reservation Lands to the Secretary of the Interior for approval. If the lease is approved by the Secretary, it will become effective upon that approval and remain in effect for a term of 25 years.

Under the proposed lease agreement, the Tribe will lease 5,000 acre-feet of Colorado River water per year to the lessee, Southeastern Nevada Water Company, Inc. The lessee is a for-profit corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Nevada and based in Scottsdale, Arizona. The lessee is authorized to do business in the State of California and will use the water acquired during the period of the lease to meet the present and future water demands of the lessee and any sublessees or assignees in the State of California.

Copies of the lease are available from the Bureau of Indian Affairs at the address listed under **ADDRESSES**. In addition, the Tribe is assessing the environmental impacts of the lease. Any documents created during the environmental compliance process will be made available, as appropriate, from the Bureau of Indian Affairs' Phoenix Area Office at the address listed under **ADDRESSES**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Cathy Wilson, telephone (602) 379–6789.

Dated: June 15, 1998.

Kevin Gover,

Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Notice of Final Agency Action

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of final agency action.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of the Interior has decided to take approximately 146 acres of land, located in New London County, Connecticut, into trust for the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe of Connecticut. The Secretary shall acquire title in the name of the United States no sooner than 30 days after date of this notice. This notice is published in the exercise of authority delegated by the Secretary of the Interior to the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs by 209 DM 8.1.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Larry E. Scrivner, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Chief, Division of Real Estate Services, MS–4510/MIB/Code 220, 1849 C Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20240, telephone (202) 208–7737.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Mashantucket Pequot Tribe of Connecticut submitted an application to acquire approximately 146 acres of land located in New London County, Connecticut, into trust status. Based upon information provided, we have determined that the acceptance of the parcels into trust status is consistent with applicable guidelines and is in the best interest of the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe. The acquisition qualifies for

conversion to trust status pursuant to the provisions of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984, 25 U.S.C. 465). The Secretary shall acquire title in the name of the United States of America in trust for the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe of Connecticut no sooner than 30 days after date of this notice according to 25 CFR 151.12(b) (see 61 FR 18083, April 24, 1996), subject to the receipt of satisfactory title evidence in accordance with 25 CFR 151.13.

Fanning Road Tracts

Tract One: Lot number 42 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 234, at Page 819 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Two: Lot number 48 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 215, at Page 189 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Three: Lot number 54 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 219, at Page 488 of the Ledyard Land Records.

All of the above referenced tracts of land are depicted on the Town Assessor's Map I.D. Number 18 which map is on file in the Town of Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office.

Shewville Road Tracts

Tract One: Lot number 812R which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 239, at Page 327 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Two: Lot number 854R which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 230, at Page 634 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Three: Lot number 858 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 232, at Page 268 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Four: Lot number 871 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 269, at Page 891 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Five: Lot number 875 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 232, at Page 565 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Six: Lot number 879 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 232, at Page 565 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Seven: Lot number 899 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 216, at Page 752 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Eight: Lot number 904 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 242, at Page 295 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Nine: Lot number 929 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 224, at Page 307 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Ten: Lot number 935 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 224, at Page 106 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Eleven: Lot number 938R which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 174, at Page 426 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Twelve: Lot number 943 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 220, at Page 419 of the Ledyard Land Records.

All of the above referenced tracts of land are depicted on the Town Assessor's Map I.D. Number 18 which map is on file in the Town of Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office.

Coachman Pike Tracts

Tract One: Lot number 41 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 234, at Page 551 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Two: Lot number 49 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 232, at Page 226 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Three: Lot number 51 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 230, at Page 612 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Four: Lot number 52 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 230, at Page 68 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Five: Lot number 53 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 233, at Page 530 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Six: Lot number 54 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 234, at Page 262 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Seven: Lot number 56 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 233, at Page 487 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Eight: Lot number 58 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 211, at Page 634 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Nine: Lot number 59 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 232, at Page 257 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Ten: Lot number 60 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 237, at Page 203 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Eleven: Lot number 64 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 223, at Page 23 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Twelve: Lot number 66 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 230, at Page 57 of the Ledyard Land Records.

Tract Thirteen: Lot number 67 which is the designation of this parcel of land by the Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office while a more particular description can be found in Volume 210, at Page 386 of the Ledyard Land Records.

All of the above referenced tracts of land are depicted on the Town Assessor's Map I.D. Number 30 which map is on file in the Town of Ledyard Tax Assessor's Office.

That certain tract or parcel of land situated on the easterly and southerly side of Coachman Pike in the Town of Ledyard, County of New London and state of Connecticut and consisting of the portion of Lot No. 38 on various

plans of Stonehedge subdivision, which portion is located within the definition of private settlement land of the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe as defined by 25 U.S.C. § 1752 and specifically excluding any portion of said lot outside the defined settlement area said tract is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a merestone at the northwesterly corner of the herein described tract, said point of beginning being in the easterly street line of Coachman Pike, so-called, at the southwesterly corner of Lot No. 48; thence along Lot No. 48, S. 63°03′30″ E. 140.00 feet to an iron pipe; thence N. 83°14′05″ E. 350.00 feet to an iron pipe, said point being the northeasterly corner of Lot No. 38; thence S. 06°38′01″ E. 175.63 feet to an iron pipe and the southeasterly corner of the within described lot; thence S. 83°14′05″ W. 364.53 feet to an iron pipe which is set at the intersection of said line with the settlement boundary; thence 312.00 feet more or less in a northwesterly direction along the settlement boundary to a point on the southerly side of Coachman Pike; thence in a northeasterly direction along said Coachman's Pike approximately 105.00 feet to the point and place of beginning.

Said lot contains 2 acres more or less and consists of that portion of Lot No. 38 as is located within the settlement area and specifically excludes any portion of said lot which is not within said settlement area.

Title to the land described above will be conveyed subject to any valid existing easements for public roads, highways, utilities, pipelines, and any other valid easements or rights-of-way now on record.

Dated: June 12, 1998.

Kevin Gover,

Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[AZ–060–1430–00]

Temporary Closure of Selected Public Lands and Roads in Pima County, AZ

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of temporary closure of selected public lands and Roads (route locally known as Indian Kitchen and Dogtown Roads).

SUMMARY: This notice is to inform the public of the Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) decision by the Tucson Field Office Manager of the Tucson Field Office of the temporary road closure of selected public lands under the Field Office's administration. The selected public land roads are located in: *T. 17 S., R. 12 E.,* sections 11, 14 and 15. This action is being taken to provide for public safety and to prevent unnecessary environmental degradation to archaeological sites, soil resources, native vegetation and wildlife.

DATES: This closure is effective May 26, 1998.

ADDRESSES: 12661 E. Broadway Blvd. Tucson, AZ 85748.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bureau of Land Management, Tucson Field Office, 12661 E. Broadway Blvd., Tucson, Arizona 85748, (520) 722–4289.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The unauthorized construction, excavation and road grading of existing roads has damaged archaeological sites, native vegetation and existing roads. Authority for this action is contained in 43 Code of Federal Regulations 8364–1. Violations are punishable as a Class A misdemeanor. This action is taken protect life and property and allow for safe public land use. The following are supplemental rules for the area described above and apply to all persons using public lands. The special rules are in addition to existing rules and regulations previously established under 43 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) as well as other Federal laws applicable to the use of public land.

Specific restrictions and closures are as follows:

1. All *posted* roads shall be closed to all vehicular use.

2. All roads described above shall be open to BLM authorized and permitted activities on an event specific basis as authorized by the Tucson Field Office Management or his designee.

3. Casual use of these lands such as hiking, and vehicular use on existing two track trails are permitted.

The above restrictions do not apply to emergency vehicles and vehicles owned by the United States, the State of Arizona, or Pima County. Persons who violate this closure order are subject to arrest and, upon conviction, may be fined up to $100,000.00 and/or imprisoned for not more than 12 months as amended by 18 U.S.C. 3571 and 18 U.S.C. 3581. This closure shall stay enforced until a resolution of the unauthorized use is reached, terminated or modified by the Bureau of Land Management.

Dated: June 15, 1998

Jesse J. Juen,

Field Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[NV–930–1430–01; N–61891]

Notice of Realty Action: Classification and Conveyance for Recreation and Public Purposes

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Recreation and public purpose conveyance.

SUMMARY: The following described public land in Lincoln County, Nevada has been examined and found suitable for conveyance for recreational or public purposes under the provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act, as amended (43 U.S.C. 869 *et seq.*). Lincoln County proposes to use the land for *a* Solid Waste Disposal Site.

Mount Diablo Meridian, Nevada

T. 3 S., R. 65 E.,
Sec. 18, S2SW.
Containing 80 acres, more or less.

The land is not required for any federal purpose. The conveyance is consistent with current Bureau planning for this area and would be in the public interest. The patent, when issued, will be subject to the provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act and applicable regulations of the Secretary of the Interior, and will contain the following reservations to the United States:

1. A right-of-way thereon for ditches or canals constructed by the authority of the United States, Act of August 30, 1890 (43 U.S.C. 945).

2. All minerals shall be reserved to the United States, together with the right to prospect for, mine and remove such deposits from the same under applicable law and such regulations as the Secretary of the Interior may prescribe.

Detailed information concerning this action is available for review at the Office of the Bureau of Land Management, Ely District Field Office, 702 N. Industrial Way, Ely, Nevada. Upon publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, the above described land will be segregated from all other forms of appropriation under the public land laws, including the general mining laws, except for Conveyance under the Recreation and Public Purposes Act,