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has not met the requirements of criterion (a).

Based on these factual determinations, we conclude that the Duwamish Tribal Organization should not be granted Federal acknowledgment under 25 CFR part 83.

After consideration of the comments on this proposed finding, the Assistant Secretary will publish the final determination of the petitioner's status in the **Federal Register** as provided in 25 CFR 83.9(h) of the previous acknowledgment regulations.

Dated: June 18, 1996.

Ada E. Deer,

Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

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Land Acquisitions

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of final agency determination to take land into trust under 25 CFR Part 151.

SUMMARY: The Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs made a final decision to acquire approximately 165 acres of land into trust for the Mashantucket Pequot Indian Tribe of Connecticut on May 22, 1996. 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 8.3A.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Alice A. Harwood, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Division of Real Estate Services, Chief, Branch of Technical Services, MS–4522/MIB/Code 220, 1849 C Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20240, telephone (202) 208–7737.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department of Interior established a procedure to ensure the opportunity for judicial review of administrative decisions to acquire title to lands in trust for Indian tribes and individual Indians under section 5 of the Indian Reorganization Act (IRA) (Public Law 73–383, 48 Stat. 984–988, 25 U.S.C. 465 and other federal statutes). This notice is issued according to the Final Rule establishing a 30-day waiting period after final administrative decisions to acquire lands into trust. The Final Rule was published in the **Federal Register** on April 24, 1996, 61 FR 80 18082–83, 25 CFR § 151.12(b). On May 22, 1996, the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs decided to accept approximately 165 acres of land into trust for the Mashantucket Pequot Indian Tribe of Connecticut. The Secretary shall acquire title in the name of the United States in trust for the Mashantucket Pequot Indian Tribe for the five tracts of land described below no sooner than 30 days after the date of this notice.

New London County, Connecticut

Lot #101 Town of North Stonington
Lot #3 Town of North Stonington
Lot #30 Town of Ledyard
Lot #58 Town of Ledyard
Lot #72 Town of Ledyard
Lot #76 Town of Ledyard
Lot #82 Town of Ledyard

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

Dated: May 22, 1996.

Ada E. Deer,

Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

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Bureau of Land Management

Notice of Meeting

SUMMARY: The Lower Snake River District Resource Advisory Council will meet in Boise to discuss a U.S. Air Force proposal to withdraw about 11,000 acres of public land in Owyhee County for an expanded Air Force training range.

DATES: July 16, 1996. The meeting will begin at 8:30 a.m. and a public comment period will begin at 9:00 a.m.

ADDRESSES: The Lower Snake River District Office is located at 3948 Development Avenue, Boise, Idaho.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Barry Rose, Lower Snake River District Office (208–384–3393).

Dated: June 24, 1996.

Barry Rose,

Public Affairs Specialist.

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[CA–010–1430–00; CACA 8151]

Order Providing for Opening of Lands Subject to Section 24 of the Federal Power Act; California

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This order opens, subject to section 24 of the Federal Power Act (FPA), approximately 0.02 acres of public land withdrawn by a Federal Power Commission order, dated July 18, 1949, for Power Project Number 2019. This action will permit consummation of a pending land exchange and retain the power rights to the United States of America. The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) has determined that the power value of the subject land will not be injured or destroyed by their exchange, if the land exchange is subject to section 24 of FPA. FERC concurred with this action in a letter, DVCA–1240, dated June 14, 1996. Although the land has been and will remain closed to mining, it has been and will remain open to mineral leasing.

DATES: June 29, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Duane Marti, BLM California State Office (CA–931.4), 2800 Cottage Way, Sacramento, CA 95825–1889, 916–979–2858.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior by the Act of June 10, 1920, Section 24, as amended, 41 Stat. 1075; 49 Stat. 846; 62 Stat. 275; 16 U.S.C. 818, and pursuant to the determination by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in DVCA–1240, it is ordered as follows:

1. At 8:30 a.m. on June 29, 1996, the following described land withdrawn by a Federal Power Commission order, dated July 18, 1949, for Power Project Number 2019, will be opened to disposal by land exchange subject to the provisions of Section 24 of the Federal Power Act as specified by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in determination DVCA–1240, and subject to valid existing rights, the provisions of existing withdrawals, and the requirements of applicable law:

Mount Diablo Meridian

T. 4 N., R. 14 E.,
Sec. 34, that portion of lot 15 located within the project boundary of Power Project 2019.

The area described contains approximately 0.02 acres in Calaveras County.

2. The State of California has waived its right of selection in accordance with the provisions of section 24 of the Federal Power Act of 16 U.S.C. 818 (1988), as amended.

Dated: June 21, 1996.

David McIlnay,

Chief, Branch of Lands.

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[OR–030–06–1430–00: GP6–0153]

Notice of Realty Action—Sale

AGENCY: Vale District, Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

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