Notices

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Office of the Secretary

[Treasury Department Order No. 150-73]

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER (TECHNICAL)

Designation To Serve as Acting Commissioner of Internal Revenue

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Secretary of the Treasury, including the authority in Reorganization Plan No. 26 of 1950, Assistant Commissioner (Technical) Harold T. Swartz is designated, effective 12:01 a.m., June 23, 1971, to serve as Acting Commissioner of Internal Revenue, with authority to perform all functions, without limitation, now authorized to be performed by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue. Mr. Swartz will continue to serve in this capacity until a new Commissioner of Internal Revenue has been appointed and assumes the duties of the office.

Dated: June 22, 1971.

JOHN B. CONNALLY, Secretary of the Treasury.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management COLORADO

Change of Location and Temporary Closing

JUNE 18, 1971.

Notice is hereby given that the Colorado State Office, Bureau of Land Management, in Denver, Colo., will be closed to the public, Monday, July 12, through Friday, July 16, 1971, to facilitate moving to the new location: Room 700, Colorado State Bank Building, 1600 Broadway, Denver, CO. The new mailing address of the State Office, effective July 12, 1971, will be Bureau of Land Management, Colorado State Office, Room 700, Colorado State Bank Building, 1600 Broadway, Denver, CO 80202.

In accordance with Title 43, Code of Federal Regulations, §§ 1821.2; 1821.2–1; 1821.2–2; 1821.2–3; applications, payments, and other documents received for filling in the normal course of business from July 12, through July 16, 1971, shall be deemed to be filed as of 10 a.m., July 19, 1971, and those required by the regulations to be filed on or before July 12, through July 16, 1971, will be timely filed if received in the Land Office in its new location up to 4 p.m. on July 19, 1971.

The list of lands available for further leasing for oil and gas in accordance with 43 CFR Subpart 3112 will not be posted

on the required date of July 19, 1971. Lands which normally would have been posted on that date will be included with the August list which will be posted on August 16, 1971.

E. I. ROWLAND, State Director.

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CHIEF, BRANCH OF LANDS AND MIN-ERALS OPERATIONS, DIVISION OF TECHNICAL SERVICES, MONTANA STATE OFFICE

Redelegation of Authority

JUNE 22, 1971.

- 1. Pursuant to the authority contained in Part I, section 1.1(a) of Bureau Order No. 701 of July 23, 1964, as amended, I hereby redelegate to the Chief, Branch of Lands and Minerals Operations, in the Division of Technical Services, authority to take action on the matters listed in Part II-A.
- 2. The Chief, Branch of Lands and Minerals Operations may redelegate that authority vested in him by this delegation to any qualified employee under his jurisdiction. Any order of redelegation must specify the extent of and limitations on the grant of authority, be approved by the State Director and published in the Federal Register.
- 3. The Chief, Branch of Lands and Minerals Operations may, by written order, designate any qualified employee of the Branch to perform the functions of his position in his absence. Such order will be approved by the Chief, Division of Technical Services.
- 4. Effective Date. This redelegation will become effective upon publication in the Federal Register (6-26-71).

HAROLD C. LYND.
Acting State Director.

Approved:
John O. Crow,
Associate Director.

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PHOSPHATE PREFERENCE RIGHT LEASE APPLICATION

Notice of Public Hearing

The Bureau of Land Management has received an application for a preference right lease covering 2433.81 acres of land within the Los Padres National Forest, Ventura County, Calif.

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be conducted at Ventura College Theater on July 27, 28, 1971. The purpose of the hearing is to develop factual information concerning the possible effects the proposed mining operation and the construction of the necessary fa-

cilities, such as access roads, to support it, would have upon the environment, including the California Condor.

A draft environmental statement pursuant to sec. 102(2)(C) (Public Law 91–190, 83 Stat. 852) prepared by the Department of the Interior's Bureau of Land Management and the Department of Agriculture's Forest Service, and a "situation statement" prepared by the Forest Service provide additional information concerning the proposed project and the environment of the area. These documents and maps may be obtained after July 12 at the following offices:

State Director, Bureau of Land Management, Federal Building, Room E 2841, Sacramento, Calif. 95825.

Riverside District and Land Office, Bureau of Land Management, 1414 University Avenue, Riverside, CA 92502.

Forest Supervisor, Los Padres National Forest, 42 Aero Camino, Goleta. CA (Mailing address: Post Office Box 30250, Santa Barbara 93105).

District Ranger, Ojai Ranger District, 1190 East Ojai Avenue, Ojai, Calif. 93023.

The hearing gives Federal, State, and local agencies which are authorized to develop and enforce environmental standards, as well as all interested citizens, an opportunity to submit their views. Individuals and organizations wishing to testify at the hearing are asked to submit their comments in writing and consider the following topics:

(1) The environmental impact of the proposed action; (2) any adverse environmental effects which cannot be avoided, should the proposal be implemented; (3) alternatives to the proposed action; (4) the relationship between the local, short-term uses of man's environment and the maintenance and enhancement of long-term productivity; (5) any irreversible and irretrievable commitments of resources which would be involved in the proposed action, should it be implemented.

The hearing is scheduled to commence at 10 a.m. each day at the Ventura College Theater. It will be conducted by a hearing examiner for the Department of the Interior.

Persons wishing to present statements of factual information should notify the hearing examiner in writing by July 13. Correspondence should be addressed to Hearing Examiner, Room W-2426, Federal Building, 2800 Cottage Way, Sacramento, CA 95825. Oral testimony of each person testifying may be limited in time in order to permit maximum participation.

The Department of the Interior will accept written testimony through August 9, 1971. Those presenting oral testimony will be allowed the same time to submit supplemental materials in written form. All written material submitted