

following Canadian laboratories for the conduct of forensic urine drug testing required by Department of Transportation regulations:

Dynacare Kasper Medical Laboratories,
14940-123 Ave., Edmonton, Alberta,
Canada T5V 1B4, 800-661-9876 / 403-
451-3702

MAXXAM Analytics Inc., 5540 McAdam Rd.,
Mississauga, ON, Canada L4Z 1P1, 905-
890-2555 (formerly: NOVAMANN
(Ontario) Inc.)

Richard Kopanda,

*Executive Officer, Substance Abuse and
Mental Health Services Administration.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND
HUMAN SERVICES**

**Substance Abuse and Mental Health
Services Administration (SAMHSA)
Cancellation of Receipt Date for
SAMHSA Conference Grant
Applications**

AGENCY: Center for Substance Abuse
Prevention and Center for Substance
Abuse Treatment, SAMHSA.

ACTION: Cancellation of January 10, 1998
Application Receipt Date.

SUMMARY: SAMHSA's Center for
Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP)
and Center for Substance Abuse
Treatment (CSAT) are canceling the
January 10, 1998, receipt date for
applications for the following grant
programs:

CSAP's Knowledge Dissemination
Conference Grants (CFDA No. 93.174)
CSAT's Substance Abuse Treatment
Conference Grants (CFDA No. 93.218)

To be placed on a mailing list for an
application kit and current
programmatic guidelines, potential
applicants should contact: National
Clearinghouse for Alcohol and Drug
Information (NCADI), P.O. Box 2345,
Rockville, Maryland 20847-2345, Tele:
1-800-729-6686; TDD: 1-800-487-
4889, Web Address: www.health.org.

For information regarding future
receipt dates or for programmatic
assistance, potential applicants should
contact the following individuals:

CSAP:

Ms. Luisa del Carmen Pollard,
Division of Prevention Application
and Education, CSAP, Rockwall II
Building, Suite 800, 5600 Fishers
Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857,
Tele: (301) 443-0377, E-mail
address: lpollard@samhsa.gov

CSAT:

Mr. George Kanuck, Office of Policy
Coordination and Planning, CSAT,
Rockwall II Building, Suite 840,

5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville,
Maryland 20857, Tele: (301) 443-
5050, E-mail address:
gkanuck@samhsa.gov

Dated: December 2, 1997.

Richard Kopanda,

Executive Officer, SAMHSA.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND
URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-4235-N-32]

**Federal Property Suitable as Facilities
to Assist the Homeless**

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant
Secretary for Community Planning and
Development, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This Notice identifies
unutilized, underutilized, excess, and
surplus Federal property reviewed by
HUD for suitability for possible use to
assist the homeless.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 5, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mark Johnston, Department of Housing
and Urban Development, Room 7256,
451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington,
DC 20410; telephone (202) 708-1226;
TDD number for the hearing- and
speech-impaired (202) 708-2565, (these
telephone numbers are not toll-free), or
call the toll-free Title V information line
at 1-800-927-7588.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In
accordance with the December 12, 1988
court order in *National Coalition for the
Homeless v. Veterans Administration*,
No. 88-2503-OG (D.D.C.), HUD
publishes a Notice, on a weekly basis,
identifying unutilized, underutilized,
excess and surplus Federal buildings
and real property that HUD has
reviewed for suitability for use to assist
the homeless. Today's Notice is for the
purpose of announcing that no
additional properties have been
determined suitable or unsuitable this
week.

Dated: November 25, 1997.

Fred Karnas, Jr.,

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for Economic
Development.*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The Peregrine Fund (J. Peter
Jenny; applicant) has applied for an
amendment to its incidental take permit
pursuant to Section 10(a) of the
Endangered Species Act (Act) issued by
the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
(Service) on December 16, 1996, under
permit number PRT-814839. The
amendment requests that Jim Wells
County, Texas (556,332 acres) be added
to the 14 county area in Texas where
The Peregrine Fund already has a
permit for incidental take in association
with their aplomado falcon (*Falco
femorialis septentrionalis*)
reintroduction program.

DATES: Written comments on the
amendment application should be
received on or before January 5, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to review
the application may obtain a copy by
writing to the Regional Director, U.S.
Fish and Wildlife Service, 500 Gold
Avenue, S.W., P.O. Box 1306,
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103. In
addition, the amendment application
will be available for public inspection
by written request, by appointment
only, during normal business hours
(8:00 to 4:30) at the Service's Clear Lake
Ecological Services Field Office, 17629
El Camino Real, Suite 211, Houston,
Texas 77058. Written comments
concerning the application should be
submitted to the Field Supervisor, Clear
Lake Ecological Services Field Office,
17629 El Camino Real, Suite 211,
Houston, Texas 77058. Please refer to
the amendment to PRT-814839 when
submitting comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Edith A. Erfling, Clear Lake Ecological
Services Field Office, 17629 El Camino
Real, Suite 211, Houston, Texas 77058;
(281) 286-8282.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 9
of the Act prohibits the "taking" of
endangered species such as the
Aplomado falcon. However, the Service,
under limited circumstances, may issue
permits to take endangered wildlife
species when such taking is incidental
to, and not the purpose of, otherwise
lawful activities. Regulations governing
permits for endangered species are at 50
CFR 17.22.

APPLICANT: This amendment to permit
PRT-814839 would authorize incidental
take on an additional 556,332 acres of
Jim Wells County, Texas, again, only on
land that is enrolled in the "safe harbor"
program for that purpose.

To facilitate the reintroduction of the
aplomado falcon, The Peregrine Fund is
currently authorized to take aplomado
falcons, incidental to lawful land-use
activities, on specific lands enrolled in

The Peregrine Fund's "Safe Harbor" program.

Renne Lohoefer,

*Acting Regional Director, Region 2,
Albuquerque, New Mexico.*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Geological Survey

Federal Geographic Data Committee (FGDC); Public Comment on the Proposal to Develop the "FGDC Standard for a Geologic Data Model" as a Federal Geographic Data Committee Standard

ACTION: Notice; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The FGDC is soliciting public comments on the proposal to develop a "FGDC Standard for a Geologic Data Model." If the proposal is approved, the standard will be developed following the FGDC standards development and approval process. If the standard is adopted by the FGDC, it must be followed by all Federal agencies collecting geologic data directly or indirectly, through grants, partnerships, or contracts.

In its assigned Federal leadership in the development of the National Spatial Data Infrastructure (NSDI), the FGDC recognizes that FGDC standards must also meet the needs and recognize the views of State and local governments, academia, industry, and the public. The purpose of this notice is to solicit such views. The FGDC invites the community to review the proposal and comment on the objectives, scope, approach, and usability of the proposed standard; identify existing related standards; and indicate their interest in participating in the development of the standard.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before December 19, 1997.

CONTACT AND ADDRESSES: The complete proposal is included in this notice. It is also posted at Internet address: <http://www.fgdc.gov/Standards/Documents/Proposals/geomod.html>

Comments may be submitted via Internet mail or by submitting an electronic copy on diskette. Send comments via Internet to: gdc-geomod@www.gdc.gov. Comments e-mailed as attachments must be in ASCII format.

A soft copy version may be submitted on a 3.5 x 3.5 diskette in WordPerfect 5.0 or 6.0/6.1 format, along with one hardcopy version of the comments, to the FGDC Secretariat (attn: Jennifer Fox) at U.S. Geological Survey, 590 National

Center, 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive, Reston, Virginia, 20192.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Following is the complete proposal for the "FGDC Standard for a Geologic Data Model".

Project Title: FGDC Standard for Geologic Data Model.

Date of Proposal: April 18, 1997, revised: July 14, 1997.

Type of Standard Proposed: Logical Data Model.

Submitting Organization: FGDC Geologic Data Subcommittee.

Point of Contact: David R. Soller, USGS.

Objectives: The objective of this standard is to create a logical data model that will describe the various critical entities of a geologic map and the relations among them.

Scope: This standard will describe how geologic map information will be configured in digital format, and will not proscribe methods by which geologic maps will be made. Geologic maps are very diverse in the type of information contained. The developers of the geologic map data model recognize this diversity, but will focus on the elements of geologic maps that are common to all or at least most geologic maps. In recognition of the diversity of information in geologic maps, the data model is being designed to allow for development of extensions to the standard. The intent is to develop and propose a standard that is widely accepted by map producers using a wide variety of computer and software systems.

Justification/Benefits: Geologic maps are produced by various State and Federal agencies, according to various locally-developed guidelines for content and form. A geologic data model is needed by the geoscience community to provide consistency to the map data that are archived and served to the public and to promote the exchange of digital map data. The model will aid in the development of systematic mapping coverage for the Nation, and will facilitate production of a variety of derivative map products from a geologic map database, as mandated by the Geologic Mapping Act of 1992.

Development Approach: A Geologic Data Model working map group has been formed through an agreement between the Association of American State Geologists (AAQSG) Digital Geologic Mapping Committee and the USGS National Geologic Map Database project. The working group is staffed by technical experts from the USGS, the State geological surveys, and the Geological Survey of Canada. The following steps will be taken:

- Define the general framework of the model (done—the working group has defined an entity-relationship model)

- Develop the model through presentation and discussion at public forums, and prepare it for general public review (in progress)

- Provide to the public a document describing the model and an implementation of the model (e.g., a set of ArcView software tools) for informal evaluation among the USGS, AASG, Geological Survey of Canada, the Geologic Data Subcommittee, and other interested parties (Summer, 1997)

- Revise the document according to comments received (late 1997)

- Prepare a formal document containing the revised model and implementation for consideration by the Geologic Data Subcommittee (Spring, 1998)

- After final Subcommittee comment, submit to the FGDC (Spring, 1998)

Related Standards: Geological Survey of Canada logical data model used for FieldLog software; British Geological Survey Logical Data Model (Technical Report WO/93/20R).

Development and Completion

Schedule: see Development Approach.

Resources Required: The USGS, AASG, and Geological Survey of Canada are providing the resources to develop the model. The GDS will require resources to develop a draft for public review.

Potential Participants: The USGS, the AASG, the Geological Survey of Canada, and professional societies.

Other Targeted Authorization Bodies: None. However, the GDS will consider whether to propose the standard to other standards organizations such as ASTM.

Dated: November 25, 1997.

John Fischer,

Acting Chief, National Mapping Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Geological Survey

Federal Geographic Data Committee (FGDC); Public Comment on the Proposal To Develop the "FGDC Standard for Geologic Map Symbolization" as a Federal Geographic Data Committee Standard

ACTION: Notice; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The FGDC is soliciting public comments on the proposal to develop a "FGDC Standard for Geologic Map Symbolization." If the proposal is