Sec. 13, N¹/₂NW¹/₄, N¹/₂SW¹/₄NW¹/₄, N¹/₂SE¹/₄NW¹/₄, NW¹/₄NE¹/₄, and N¹/₂SW¹/₄NE¹/₄;

Sec. 14, N¹/₂NW¹/₄, N¹/₂SW¹/₄NW¹/₄, N¹/₂SE¹/₄NW¹/₄, N¹/₂NE¹/₄, N¹/₂SW¹/₄NE¹/₄ and N¹/₂SE¹/₄NE¹/₄, Sec. 15, N¹/₂NW¹/₄, N¹/₂SW¹/₄NW¹/₄, N¹/₂SE¹/₄NW¹/₄, N¹/₂SE¹/₄NW¹/₄ and N¹/₂SE¹/₄NE¹/₄.

(No Drop Zone)

T. 12 S., R. 9 E., Sec. 20, S¹/2SW¹/4SW¹/4SW¹/4. T. 9 S., R. 6 E., Sec. 21. T. 13 S., R. 4 E., Sec. 4, N¹/2NE¹/4NW¹/4SW¹/4.

(Emitters)

T. 8 S., R. 9 E.,
Sec. 34, SE¹/4SE¹/4NW¹/4SE¹/4.
T. 9 S., R. 6 E.,
Sec. 15, NW¹/4NW¹/4SW¹/4SW¹/4.
T. 11 S., R. 4 E.,
Sec. 23, NE¹/4NE¹/4NE¹/4SW¹/4.
T. 11 S., R. 5 E.,
Sec. 17, SE¹/4SE¹/4NE¹/4NE¹/4.
T. 12 S., R. 3 E.,
Sec. 26, NE¹/4NE¹/4NW¹/4NE¹/4.
T. 12 S., R. 10 E.,
Sec. 30, SW¹/4SW¹/4SW¹/4SW¹/4 within lot
4.
T. 13 S., R. 9 E.,
Sec. 10, NE¹/4NE¹/4NW¹/4SE¹/4.

The areas described aggregate 9,673.34 acres in Owyhee County.

At 9 a.m. on April 7, 1998, the lands will be opened to the operation of the public land laws generally, subject to valid existing rights, the provisions of existing withdrawals, other segregations of record, and the requirements of applicable law. All valid applications received at or prior to 9 a.m. on April 7, 1998, shall be considered as simultaneously filed at that time. Those thereafter shall be considered in the order of filing.

At 9 a.m. on April 7, 1998, the lands will be opened to location and entry under the United States mining laws and to the operation of the mineral leasing laws, subject to valid existing rights, the provisions of existing withdrawals, other segregations of record, and the requirements of applicable law. Appropriation of any of the lands described in this order under the general mining laws prior to the date and time of restoration is unauthorized. Any such attempted appropriation, including attempted adverse possession under 30 U.S.C. 38 (1988), shall vest no rights against the United States. Acts required to establish a location and to initiate a right of possession are governed by State law where not in conflict with Federal law. The Bureau of Land Management will not intervene in disputes between rival locators over possessory rights since Congress has

provided for such determinations in local courts.

Dated: March 9, 1998.

Jimmie Buxton,

Branch Chief, Lands and Minerals. [FR Doc. 98–6851 Filed 3–16–98; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4310–GG–P

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Reclamation

Glen Canyon Technical Work Group; Public Meetings

SUMMARY: The Glen Canyon Technical Work Group (TWG) was formed as an official subcommittee of the Glen Canyon Adaptive Management Work Group (AMWG) on September 10, 1997. The TWG members were named by the members of the AMWG and will provide advice and information to the AMWG. The AMWG will use this information to form recommendations to the Secretary of the Interior for guidance of the Grand Canyon Monitoring and Research Center science program and other direction as requested by the Secretary. All meetings are open to the public; however, seating is limited and is available on a first come, first served basis.

Dates and locations: The TWG will conduct FOUR (4) public meetings at the following times and locations:

There will be three two-day public meetings: April 7–8, 1998; May 18–19, 1998; and June 9–10, 1998. Each meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. on the first day and conclude at 4:00 p.m. on the second day.

The meetings on April 7–8, 1998, and June 9–10, 1998, will be held at the Arizona Department of Water Resources, Conference Room A, 500 North 3rd Street, Phoenix, Arizona.

The meeting on May 18–19, 1998, will be held in Flagstaff, Arizona, in the main conference room of the Grand Canyon Monitoring and Research Center located at 2255 North Gemini Drive.

There will be a one-day public meeting on July 23, 1998. This meeting will be held in Phoenix, Arizona, at the Embassy Suites Hotel, 1515 North 44th Street (near the Sky Harbor Airport). The meeting will begin at 8:00 a.m. and end at 12:00 noon.

Time will be allowed at each meeting for any individual or organization wishing to make formal oral comments (limited to 10 minutes), but written notice must be provided at least five (5) days prior to the meeting to Mr. Bruce Moore, Bureau of Reclamation, Upper Colorado Regional Office, 125 South State Street, Room 6107, Salt Lake City,

Utah 84138–1102, telephone (801) 524–3702, faxogram (801) 524–5499, e-mail at: bmoore@uc.usbr.gov.

Agendas: General topics of discussion for the April 7–8, May 18–19, and June 9–10, 1998, meetings will be as follows: Welcome

Monitoring and Research Plans for Fiscal Year 2000 Habitat/Maintenance and Beach/

Habitat-Building Flows
Management Objectives
Spillway Gate Extensions
Science Advisory Board
Temperature Control Device
Cultural Resources
Conceptual Model
Budget

Public Comment

The agenda for the July 23, 1998, public meeting will be to discuss the assignments from the preceding Adaptive Management Work Group meetings.

Official agendas for each of the four public meetings will be available 15 days prior to each meeting on the Bureau of Reclamation's website under the Adaptive Management Program at http://www.uc.usbr.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bruce Moore, telephone (801) 524–3702, faxogram (802) 524–5499, e-mail at: bmoore@uc.usbr.gov.

Dated: March 11, 1998

Eluid L. Martinez

Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation [FR Doc. 98–6775 Filed 3–16–98; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4310–94–M

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

In accordance with Departmental policy, 28 C.F.R. 50.7, notice is hereby given that a proposed consent decree in United States v. A-1 Battery, Inc., Civil Action No. 3CV980363, was lodged on March 4, 1998, with the United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania. The defendants in the action are alleged to be persons who arranged for the disposal or treatment, or arranged with a transporter for transport for disposal or treatment, of hazardous substances at the Tonolli Corporation Superfund Site, in Nesquehoning Borough, Carbon County, Pennsylvania. The proposed consent decree requires the defendants to conduct certain cleanup activities at the Site under the oversight of the United States Environmental Protection Agency. The

estimated cost of cleaning up the former lead smelter and battery recycling facility is \$16.6 million.

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period ending thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, comments relating to the proposed consent decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C., 20530, and should specifically refer to *United States* v. *A–1 Battery, Inc.*, DOJ No. 90–7–2–174B.

The proposed consent decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, Suite 1162, Federal Building, 228 Walnut Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17108; the Region III Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 841 Chestnut Building, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107; and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G. Street, N.W., 4th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005, 202–624–0892. A copy of the proposed consent decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library.

In requesting a copy of the proposed consent decree, please enclose a check in the amount of \$83.00 (25 cents per page reproduction costs), payable to the Consent Decree Library.

Joel M. Gross,

Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division. [FR Doc. 98–6840 Filed 3–16–98; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4410–15–M

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Consent Decrees Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act and the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act

Notice is hereby given that a consent decree in *United States* v. *Bell Petroleum, et al.*, Civil Action No. MO–88–CA–05(W.D. Tex.) was lodged with the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas on March 6, 1998.

This action was filed in 1988 against Bell Petroleum Company and others to recover costs the United States had incurred and was continuing to incur in connection with the Odessa Chromium I Site in Odessa, Texas. At the time of settlement, the case was on its third appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit.

The United States previously settled with all defendants except Sequa Corporation and Chromalloy American Corporation, a subsidiary of Sequa, recovering in excess of \$1 million through those settlements. The present settlement resolves the United States' pending claims and certain future claims against Sequa and Chromalloy.

Under the Consent Decree, Sequa Corporation and Chromalloy American Corporation will pay the United States \$2.2 million in cash. Fifty percent of the payment will be used to complete ongoing remedial actions at the Odessa I Site. The other fifty percent will reimburse the United States for past costs incurred by the United States in connection with the Odessa I Site. In exchange for these payments, the United States will provide a covenant not to sue to Sequa and Chromalloy under sections 106 and 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Recovery Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9606 and 9607, and Section 7003 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act ("RCRA"), 42 U.S.C. 6973, relating to the Odessa I Site.

The Department of Justice will receive written comments relating to the proposed Consent Decree for thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice. Please address comments to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, P.O. Box 7611, Ben Franklin Station, Washington, D.C. 20044 and refer to *United States* v. *Bell Petroleum et al.*, D.J. Ref. No. 90–11–3–229A.

The Consent Decree may be examined at the Region 6 Office of EPA, 1445 Ross Avenue, Dallas, Texas, 75202, and at the Office of the United States Attorney, 400 West Illinois, Suite 1200, Midland, Texas.

A copy of the Consent Decree (if requested) may also be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 4th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005, (202) 624–0892. In requesting copies, please enclose a check in the amount of \$5.50 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the "Consent Decree Library."

Joel Gross,

Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division. [FR Doc. 98–6843 Filed 3–16–98; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4410–15–M

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

In accordance with Departmental policy, 28 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that a proposed Consent Decree in United States v. Port of Moses Lake, No. CS-98-0057-FVS (E.D. Washington), was lodged on February 23, 1998, with the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Washington. With regard to the Defendants, the Consent Decree resolves a claim filed by the United States on behalf of the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 9601, et seq. The United States sought past costs and performance of work.

The United States entered into the Consent Decree in connection with the Moses Lake Wellfield Superfund Site located near Moses Lake, Washington. The Consent Decree provides that the Settling Defendant will perform work by installing a new water supply and reimburse the United States a total of \$56,538.26 for past costs incurred by the United States at the Site.

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, comments relating to the proposed Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530, and should refer to *United States* v. *Port of Moses Lake*, DOJ Ref. #90–11–2–1040.

The proposed Consent Decree may be examined at the office of the United States Attorney, 920 Riverside, Suite 300, Spokane, Washington 99201; the Region 10 office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Sixth Avenue, Seattle, Washington, and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, NW., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005, (202) 624–0892. A copy of the proposed Consent Decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, NW., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. In requesting a copy refer to the referenced case and enclose a check in the amount of \$16.75 (25 cents per page reproduction costs), payable to the Consent Decree Library.

Joel M. Gross,

Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section. [FR Doc. 98–6841 Filed 3–16–98; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4410–15–M