

Collection Procedures. Beginning 30 days after the due date interest will be assessed at the rate of the current value of funds to the U.S. Treasury. An administrative fee of \$12.50 will be assessed each time an effort is made to collect a delinquent debt; a penalty charge of 6 percent per year will be charged on delinquent debts over 90 days old and will accrue from the date the debt became delinquent. After 180 days a delinquent debt will be forwarded to the United States Treasury for further action in accordance with the Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 (Pub. L. 104-134).

Comments: On September 17, 1997, the Bureau of Indian Affairs published a notice in the **Federal Register**, 62 FR 44992, proposing to adjust the irrigation assessment rates for operating and maintaining SCIP for 1998, 1999, and subsequent years. The notice of proposed rate adjustment provided a 30-day public comment period. No comments were received for the 1998 irrigation season and a **Federal Register** notice was published on March 16, 1998, 62 FR 12818-12819, for the 1998 irrigation season only. Comments were received for the proposed adjustment to the assessment for 1999.

The San Carlos Irrigation and Drainage District (SCIDD) commented on the proposed 1999 irrigation assessment increase of \$6.00 per acre to a \$26.00 per acre assessment. Their comment questioned the inclusion in the assessment of the cost for future repair of the spillway gates at Coolidge Dam. Coolidge Dam is part of the infrastructure of the San Carlos Irrigation Project (SCIP). Subsequent to correspondence and meetings between BIA and SCIDD to review the proposed rate increase of \$6.00 per acre, the BIA has decided not to increase the assessment to \$26.00 at this time. The irrigation assessment for SCIP will remain at \$20.00 per acre until further notice. The BIA has initiated a study of the spillway gates at Coolidge Dam to analyze the benefits of their repairing. Upon completion of the study, SCIP will review its possible impact on any future irrigation rate assessment.

Executive Order 12988

The Department has certified to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) that this rate adjustment meets the applicable standards provided in sections 3(a) and 3(b)(2) of Executive Order 12988.

Executive Order 12866

This rate adjustment is not a significant regulatory action and has been reviewed by the Office of

Management and Budget under Executive Order 12866.

Regulatory Flexibility Act

This rate making is not a rule for the purposes of the Regulatory Flexibility Act because it is "a rule of particular applicability relating to rates." 5 U.S.C. 601(2).

Executive Order 12630

The Department has determined that this rate adjustment does not have significant "takings" implications.

Executive Order 12612

The Department has determined that this rate adjustment does not have significant Federalism effects because it pertains solely to Federal-tribal relations and will not interfere with the roles, rights, and responsibilities of states.

NEPA Compliance

The Department has determined that this rate adjustment does not constitute a major Federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and that no detailed statement is required under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995

This rate adjustment does not contain collections of information requiring approval under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

Unfunded Mandates Act of 1995

This rate adjustment imposes no unfunded mandates on any governmental or private entity and is in compliance with the provisions of the Unfunded Mandates Act of 1995.

Rate Adjustment: The following table illustrates the rate adjustment:

SAN CARLOS IRRIGATION PROJECT IRRIGATION RATE PER ASSESSABLE ACRE

	1998	1999
Rate	\$20.00	\$20.00

Dated: April 29, 1999.

Kevin Gover,

Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[AK-962-1410-00-P]

[AA-9288, AA-9330, and AA-10424]

Alaska Native Claims Selection

In accordance with Departmental regulations 43 CFR 2650.7(d), notice is hereby given that decisions to issue conveyance under the provisions of Sec. 14(h)(1) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, (ANCSA), 43 U.S.C. 1601, 1613(h)(1), will be issued to the Calista Corporation for three sites aggregating approximately 529 acres. The lands involved are in the vicinity of Nunivak Island, Alaska.

Seward Meridian, Alaska

T. 1 N., R. 103 W.,

T. 2 S., R. 103 W.,

A notice of the decisions will be published once a week, for four (4) consecutive weeks, in the *Anchorage Daily News*. Copies of the decisions may be obtained by contacting the Alaska State Office of the Bureau of Land Management, 222 West Seventh Avenue, #13, Anchorage, Alaska 99513-7599 ((907) 271-5960).

Any party claiming a property interest which is adversely affected by the decisions, shall have until June 7, 1999 to file an appeal. However, parties receiving service by certified mail shall have 30 days from the date of receipt to file an appeal. Appeals must be filed in the Bureau of Land Management at the address identified above, where the requirements for filing an appeal may be obtained. Parties who do not file an appeal in accordance with the requirements in 43 CFR Part 4, Subpart E, shall be deemed to have waived their rights.

Patricia A. Baker,

Land Law Examiner Branch of ANCSA Adjudication.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[NM-910-08-1020-00]

New Mexico Resource Advisory Council Meeting

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of new member orientation meeting and council meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management

Act and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (FACA), 5 U.S.C. Appendix 1, The Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), announces an orientation meeting of the New Mexico Resource Advisory Council (RAC). This meeting is focused toward the new RAC members. Existing RAC members may also attend.

The one day orientation meeting will be held on Wednesday June 16, 1999 at the Amberley Suite Hotel, 7620 Pan American NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109. This meeting starts at 8 a.m. The draft agenda for the orientation meeting includes presentation and discussion on the regulations and laws under which the RAC functions, the RAC Charter, travel voucher procedures, summaries of recent RAC recommendations, Southwest Strategy, the BLM/New Mexico Strategic Plan and minutes from previous RAC meetings. Agenda items may be change depending on the needs of the RAC. This RAC meetings is open to the public. The end time of 4:30 p.m. for the orientation meeting may be changed depending on the needs of the RAC.

The regular RAC meeting will be held on Thursday, June 17 and Friday, June 18, 1999 at the Amberly Suite Hotel, 7620 Pan American NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109. The meeting on June 17 and 18, 1999 starts at 8 a.m. both days. The draft agenda for the RAC meeting includes getting acquainted and welcome, agreement on the meeting agenda, any RAC comments on the draft summary minutes of the last RAC meeting on November 19 and 20, 1998 in Las Cruces, NM., check in with RAC members, presentation and discussion on Standard and Guidelines Resource Management Plan Amendment/ Environmental Impact Statement, public comment to the RAC, facilitated dialogue on RAC Standards and Guidelines, BLM Field Managers presentations, RAC selection of draft agenda items and location for next RAC meeting, presentation and discussion on Rio Grand Corridor proposed plan and final EIS and RAC assessment of this meeting. Specific agenda items, dates, times and locations may be adjusted with approval of the RAC.

The time for the public to address the RAC is 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday, June 17, 1999. The RAC may reduce or extend the end time of 5 p.m. depending on the number of people wishing to address the RAC. The length of time available for each person to address the RAC will be established at the start of the public comment period and will depend on how many people there are that wish to address the RAC. At the

completion of the public comments the RAC may continue discussion on its Agenda items. The meeting on June 18, 1999, is planned to end at 5 p.m. The end time of 5 p.m. for the meeting may be changed depending on the work remaining for the RAC.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bob Armstrong, New Mexico State Office, Planning and Policy Team, Bureau of Land Management, 1474 Rodeo Road, PO Box 27115, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502-0115, telephone (505) 438-7436.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the Resource Advisory Council is to advise the Secretary of the Interior, through the BLM, on a variety of planning and management issues associated with the management of public lands. The Council's responsibilities include providing advice on long-range planning, establishing resource management priorities and assisting the BLM to identify State and regional standards for public land health and guidelines for livestock grazing management.

Dated: April 30, 1999.

M.J. Chávez,

State Director.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation Nos. 701-TA-384 (Final) and 731-TA-806-808 (Final)]

Certain Hot-Rolled Steel Products From Brazil, Japan, and Russia; Notice of Commission Determination to Conduct a Portion of the Hearing In Camera

AGENCY: International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Closure of a portion of a Commission hearing to the public.

SUMMARY: Upon request of Japanese respondents (Nippon Steel Corporation, NKK Corporation, Kobe Steel, Ltd., Kawasaki Steel Corporation, Sumitomo Metal Industries, Ltd., and Nisshin Steel Co., Ltd.) and Brazilian respondents (USIMINAS, COSIPA, and CSN), the Commission has determined to conduct a portion of its hearing in the above-captioned investigations scheduled for May 4, 1999, *in camera*. See Commission rules 207.24(d), 201.13(m) and 201.36(b)(4) (19 CFR 207.24(d), 201.13(m) and 201.36(b)(4)). The remainder of the hearing will be open to the public. The Commission has determined that the seven-day advance notice of the change to a meeting was

not possible. See Commission rule 201.35(a), (c)(1) (19 CFR 201.35(a), (c)(1)).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Aaron Fishman, Office of General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW, Washington, DC 20436, telephone 202-205-3115, e-mail afishman@usitc.gov. Hearing-impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter may be obtained by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202-205-1810.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Commission believes that the Japanese and Brazilian respondents have justified the need for a closed session. The Japanese and Brazilian respondents seek a closed session to allow for a company by company analysis of certain domestic producers' valuation and cost allocation of internal transfers of certain hot-rolled steel products. Because such discussions will necessitate disclosure of business proprietary information (BPI), they can only occur if a portion of the hearing is held *in camera*. In making this decision, the Commission nevertheless reaffirms its belief that whenever possible its business should be conducted in public.

The hearing will include the usual public presentations by petitioners and by respondents, with questions from the Commission. In addition, the hearing will include an *in camera* session for a confidential presentation by the Japanese and Brazilian respondents and for questions from the Commission relating to the BPI, followed by an *in camera* rebuttal presentation by petitioners. For any *in camera* session the room will be cleared of all persons except those who have been granted access to BPI under a Commission administrative protective order (APO) and are included on the Commission's APO service list in this investigation. See 19 CFR 201.35(b)(1), (2). The time for the parties' presentations and rebuttals in the *in camera* session will be taken from their respective overall allotments for the hearing. All persons planning to attend the *in camera* portions of the hearing should be prepared to present proper identification.

Authority: The General Counsel has certified, pursuant to Commission Rule 201.39 (19 CFR 201.39) that, in her opinion, a portion of the Commission's hearing in *Certain Hot-Rolled Steel Products from Brazil, Japan, and Russia*, Inv. Nos. 701-TA-384 (Final) and 731-TA-806-808 (Final), may be closed to the public to prevent the disclosure of BPI.

Issued: May 4, 1999.