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FS-2400-14—Bid for Advertised Timber (3 form versions: *FS-2400-14UR*—Bid for Advertised Timber, Unit Rate Bidding; *FS-2400-14WA*—Bid For Advertised Timber, Weighted Average Bidding; *FS-2400-14TV*—Bid For Advertised Timber, Total Value Bidding): These forms implement the same statutes, policies, and regulations and collect similar information from the

same applicants. Respondents are bidders on National Forest System timber and forest product sales.

FS-2400-14BV—Bid For Integrated Resource Contract (2 form versions:—*FS-2400-14BV*—Bid For Integrated Resource Contract, Best Value, Total Value Bidding; *FS-2400-14BVU*—Bid For Integrated Resource Contract, Best Value, Unit Rate Bidding): These are new versions of the Best Value bid form and will be used for soliciting and receiving bids on contracts advertised

for 30 days or longer and on contracts greater than \$10,000 in advertised value.

Forms can be viewed on the World Wide Web/Internet site at: <http://www.fs.fed.us/forestmanagement/infocenter> and in the Office of the Director, Forest Management, Third Floor, Southwest Wing, Yates Building, 201 14th Street, SW., Washington, DC. Visitors are encouraged to call ahead at (202) 205-1496 to facilitate entry into the building.

Item	FS-2400-42a	FS 2400-14	FS-2400-14BV
Estimate of Annual Burden	3.0 hours	14.4 hours	34.4 hours.
Type of Respondents	Individuals, large and small businesses, and corporations bidding on National Forest timber sales and Integrated Resource Contracts.		
Estimated Annual Number of Respondents	445	825	115.
Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent	1.8	3.9	1.2.
Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents	2400 hours	39,880 hours	4747 hours.

Comment Is Invited

Comment is invited on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the stated purposes or the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical or scientific utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including the use of automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

All comments received in response to this notice, including name and address when provided, will be summarized and included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval. All comments also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: May 2, 2006.

Frederick Norbury,

Associate Deputy Chief.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Kootenai and Idaho Panhandle National Forests Proposed Land Management Plans

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Commencement of 90-day comment period on the Proposed Land Management Plans for the Kootenai and Idaho Panhandle National Forests.

SUMMARY: Proposed Land Management Plans for the Kootenai and Idaho Panhandle National Forests are now available for public comment during a 90-day period that begins on the date of publication of this notice in **Federal Register**. The Kootenai and Idaho Panhandle National Forests comprise the KIPZ (Kootenai and Idaho Panhandle Planning Zone.)

ADDRESSES: Comments on the Kootenai Plan should be sent to: KIPZ Forest Plan Revision Team, Kootenai National Forest, 1101 Hwy 2 West, Libby, Montana 59923. Comments on the Idaho Panhandle Plan should be sent to: KIPZ Forest Plan Revision Team, Idaho Panhandle National Forest, 3815 Schreiber Way, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho 83815. Comments by e-mail should be sent to: r1_kipz_revision@fs.fed.us.

DATES: Submit comments during the 90-day period that begins on the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. Notices will also appear in the following newspapers of record: For the Kootenai Forest, the Daily Inter Lake

and for the Idaho Panhandle National Forest, The Spokesman Review.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Kirsten Kaiser at 406-283-7659 or Jodi Kramer at 208-765-7235.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to 36 CFR 219.9(b)(2), the Kootenai and Idaho Panhandle National Forests are commencing the comment period on their Proposed Forest Land Management Plans. The Plans are available for viewing and downloading at the Web site: <http://www.fs.fed.us/kipz>. Compact Discs (CDs) of the Plans will be mailed to persons who have requested a copy and are available to others on request. Plans are also available for viewing at the Supervisors Offices and Ranger Stations on the Kootenai and Idaho Panhandle Forests. Plan supporting documentation (the comprehensive evaluation report) will be posted on the Web site and is available electronically upon request. Comments should be in writing and should meet the following requirements:

1. A statement that the comment is filed during the 90-day comment period, in response to the Kootenai and/or Idaho Proposed Forest Land Management Plan.

2. Identification of the specific Proposed Plan or Plans (Kootenai, Idaho Panhandle) that your comment is addressing.

3. A clear statement of your comment, including reasons, recommendations and supporting information.

Additional guidelines for preparing Plan comments are on our Web site and

will be mailed to those requesting a copy.

Scheduled meetings and details of other public involvement opportunities will be posted on the KIPZ Web site: <http://www.fs.fed.us/kipz>.

The opportunity to object to a Final Plan will be during a 30-day objection period before Plan approval (36 CFR 219.13(a)). Only individuals or organizations, other than a federal agency, who participated in the planning process through the submission of written comments, may object to a Plan.

Please note that all comments, names, and addresses become part of the public record and are subject to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), except for proprietary documents and information.

Responsible Officials: Bob Castaneda, Kootenai Forest Supervisor and Ranotta K. McNair, Idaho Panhandle Forest Supervisor.

Dated: May 1, 2006.

Bob Castaneda,

Forest Supervisor, Kootenai National Forest.

Dated: May 1, 2006.

Ranotta K. McNair,

Forest Supervisor, Idaho Panhandle National Forests.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Lake County Resource Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting

SUMMARY: The Lake County Resource Advisory Committee (RAC) will hold a meeting.

DATES: The meeting will be held on June 22, 2006, from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Lake County Board of Supervisor's Chambers at 255 North Forbes Street, Lakeport.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Debbie McIntosh, Committee Coordinator, USDA, Mendocino National Forest, Upper Lake Ranger District, 10025 Elk Mountain Road, Upper Lake, CA 95485. (707) 275-2361; e-mail dmcintosh@fs.fed.us.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Agenda items to be covered include: (1) Roll Call/Establish Quorum; (2) Review Minutes from the October 27, 2006 meeting; (3) Update on the Middle Creek Weirs project/field trip; (4) Project review and discussion; (5) Recommend

projects/vote; (6) Discuss Project Cost Accounting USFS/County of Lake; (7) Set Next Meeting Date; (8) Public Comment Period; Public input opportunity will be provided and individuals will have the opportunity to address the Committee at that time.

Dated: May 5, 2006.

Blaine P. Baker,

Designated Federal Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration

[06-TX-C]

Opportunity To Comment on the Applicants for the Texas Area

AGENCY: Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration, USDA.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: GIPSA requests comments on the applicants for designation to provide official services in unassigned counties in Texas.

DATES: Comments must be postmarked or electronically dated on or before June 12, 2006.

ADDRESSES: Comments must be submitted in writing to USDA, GIPSA, John R. Sharpe, Division Director, Compliance Division, STOP 3604, Room 1647-S, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20250-3604. Fax 202-690-2755; e-mail John.R.Sharpe@usda.gov. All comments received will be made available for public inspection at the above address located at 1400 Independence Avenue, SW., during regular business hours.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John R. Sharpe at 202-720-8262, e-mail John.R.Sharpe@usda.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This Action has been reviewed and determined not to be a rule or regulation as defined in Executive Order 12866 and Departmental Regulation 1512-1; therefore, the Executive Order and Departmental Regulation do not apply to this action.

In the March 13, 2006, **Federal Register** (71 FR 12675), GIPSA asked persons interested in providing official services in Clay, Montague, Cooke, Grayson, Fannin, Lamar, Red River, Young, Stephen, and Eastland Counties in Texas to submit an application for designation.

There were two applicants for the Texas area: Enid Grain Inspection Co.,

Inc. (Enid) and Intercontinental Grain Inspections Inc. (Intercontinental); both currently designated official agencies. Enid applied for designation to provide official services in Clay, Montague, Cooke, and Grayson Counties. Intercontinental applied for all of the counties announced in the March 13, 2005, **Federal Register**. GIPSA is publishing this notice to provide interested persons the opportunity to present comments concerning the applicants. Commenters are encouraged to submit reasons and pertinent data for support or objection to the designation of the applicants. All comments must be submitted to the Compliance Division at the above address. Comments and other available information will be considered in making a final decision. GIPSA will publish notice of the final decision in the **Federal Register**, and GIPSA will send the applicants written notification of the decision.

Authority: Pub. L. 94-582, 90 Stat. 2867, as amended (7 U.S.C. 71 *et seq.*).

James E. Link,

Administrator, Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration

United States Standards for Feed Peas

AGENCY: Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration, USDA.

ACTION: Notice; request for public comment.

SUMMARY: We plan to establish U.S. standards for feed peas under the authority of the U.S. Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946, as amended (AMA). Current U.S. standards for Whole Dry Peas and Split Peas reflect the needs of the edible dry pea market. The quality and standards established for the edible dry pea market greatly differ from the feed pea market. Consequently, the current standards for edible dry peas do not reflect the current needs of the feed pea market. This action will provide uniform standards and will facilitate the marketing of feed peas.

DATES: We will consider comments that we receive by June 12, 2006.

ADDRESSES: We invite you to submit comments on this notice. Please reference the date and page number of this issue of the **Federal Register** in your comments. You may submit