SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, invite the public to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with endangered species. With some exceptions, the Endangered Species Act (ESA) prohibits activities with listed species unless Federal authorization is acquired that allows such activities. The ESA also requires that we invite public comment before issuing these permits.

DATES: We must receive comments by July 26, 2018.

ADDRESSES:


Submitting Comments: You may submit comments by one of the following methods:


When submitting comments, please specify the name of the applicant and the permit number at the beginning of your comment. We will post all comments on http://www.regulations.gov. This generally means that we will post any personal information you provide us (see SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION for more information).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brenda Tapia, (703) 358–2104 (telephone); DMAFR@fws.gov (email).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Public Comment Procedures

A. How do I comment on submitted applications?

You may submit your comments and materials by one of the methods listed under Submitting Comments in ADDRESSES. We will not consider comments sent by email or fax, or to an address not in ADDRESSES. We will not consider or include in our administrative record comments we receive after the close of the comment period (see DATES).

Please make your requests or comments as specific as possible, confine your comments to issues for which we seek comments in this notice, and explain the basis for your comments. Include sufficient information with your comments to allow us to authenticate any scientific or commercial data you include. The comments and recommendations that will be most useful and likely to influence agency decisions are: (1) Those supported by quantitative information or studies; and (2) those that include citations to, and analyses of, the applicable laws and regulations.

B. May I review comments submitted by others?

As described in ADDRESSES, the applications, as well as any comments we receive, will be available for public inspection online at http://www.regulations.gov. Comments may also be viewed in person at the specified address; to make an appointment, contact the person listed in FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.

C. Who will see my comments?

If you submit a comment via http://www.regulations.gov, your entire comment, including any personal identifying information, will be posted on the website. If you submit a hardcopy comment that includes personal identifying information, such as your address, phone number, or email address, you may request at the top of your document that we withhold this information from public review. However, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

II. Background

With some exceptions, the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (ESA; 16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.), prohibits activities with listed species unless Federal authorization is acquired that allows such activities. Permits under section 10 of the ESA allow activities for scientific purposes or to enhance the propagation or survival of the affected species. To help us carry out our conservation responsibilities for affected species, and in consideration of section 10(a)(1)(A) of the ESA, we invite public comment on these permit applications before final action is taken.

III. Permit Applications

We invite public comment on the following permit applications. Please reference the applicant and the permit number in your comments.

Applicant: Zoological Society of San Diego, dba San Diego Zoo, San Diego, CA; Permit No. 93218C

The applicant requests a permit to export one live wild giant panda (Ailuropoda melanoleuca) to the China Conservation and Research Center for the Giant Panda Dujiangyan Base, Dujiangyan City, China, for the purpose of enhancing the propagation or survival of the species. This notification is for a single re-export.

Applicant: San Diego Global, dba San Diego Zoo Safari Park, San Diego, CA; Permit No. 76759C

The applicant requests a permit to export one live captive-bred black rhinoceros (Diceros bicornis) to the Singita Grumet Fund, Mugumu, Mara, Tanzania, for the purpose of enhancing the propagation or survival of the species. This notification is for a single export.

IV. Next Steps

If the Service decides to issue permits to any of the applicants listed in this notice, we will publish a notice in the Federal Register. You may locate the Federal Register notice announcing the permit issuance date by searching in www.regulations.gov under the permit number listed above in this document.

Brenda Tapia,
Program Analyst/Data Administrator, Branch of Permits, Division of Management Authority.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

Notice of Filing of Plats of Survey, Colorado

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of official filing.

SUMMARY: The plats of survey of the following described lands are scheduled to be officially filed in the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Colorado State Office, Lakewood, Colorado, 30 calendar days from the date of this publication. The surveys, which were executed at the request of the U.S. Forest Service and the U.S. Department of Justice, are necessary for the management of these lands.

DATES: Unless there are protests of this action, the plats described in this notice will be filed on July 26, 2018.

ADDRESSES: You may submit written protests to the BLM Colorado State Office, Cadastral Survey, 2850 Youngfield Street, Lakewood, CO 80215–7093.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Randy Bloom, Chief Cadastral Surveyor for Colorado, (303) 239–3856; rbloom@blm.gov. Persons who use a
telecommunications device for the deaf may call the Federal Relay Service at 1–800–877–8339 to contact the above individual during normal business hours. The Service is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, to leave a message or question with the above individual. You will receive a reply during normal business hours.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The plat and field notes of the dependent resurvey and subdivision of section 4 in Township 32 North, Range 5 East, New Mexico Principal Meridian, Colorado, were accepted on May 3, 2018.

The plat, in 4 sheets, incorporating the field notes of the dependent resurvey in Township 4 South, Range 73 West, Sixth Principal Meridian, Colorado, was accepted on May 31, 2018.

The plat, in 5 sheets, incorporating the field notes of the dependent resurvey and survey in Township 4 South, Range 73 West, Sixth Principal Meridian, Colorado, was accepted on June 7, 2018.

The plat and field notes of the dependent resurvey in partially surveyed Township 42 North, Range 1 West, New Mexico Principal Meridian, Colorado, were accepted on June 13, 2018.

A person or party who wishes to protest any of the above surveys must file a written notice of protest within 30 calendar days from the date of this publication at the address listed in the ADDRESSES section of this notice. A statement of reasons for the protest may be filed with the notice of protest and must be filed within 30 calendar days after the protest is filed. If a protest against the survey is received prior to the date of official filing, the filing will be stayed pending consideration of the protest. A plat will not be officially filed until the day after all protests have been dismissed or otherwise resolved. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your protest, please be aware that your entire protest, including your personal identifying information, may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

Authority: 43 U.S.C. Chap. 3.

Randy A. Bloom,
Chief Cadastral Surveyor.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
[Investigation Nos. 701–TA–608 and 731–TA–1420 (Preliminary)]

Steel Racks From China; Institution of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Investigations and Scheduling of Preliminary Phase Investigations


ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Commission hereby gives notice of the institution of investigations and commencement of preliminary phase antidumping and countervailing duty investigation Nos. 701–TA–608 and 731–TA–1420 (Preliminary) pursuant to the Tariff Act of 1930 (“the Act”) to determine whether there is a reasonable indication that an industry in the United States is materially injured or threatened with material injury, or the establishment of an industry in the United States is materially retarded, by reason of imports of steel racks from China, provided for in subheadings 9403.20.00 and 7326.90.86 (statistical reporting numbers 9403.20.0080 and 7326.90.8688) of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that are alleged to be sold in the United States at less than fair value and alleged to be subsidized by the Government of China. Unless the Department of Commerce (“Commerce”) extends the time for initiation, the Commission must reach a preliminary determination in antidumping and countervailing duty investigations in 45 days, or in this case by August 6, 2018. The Commission’s views must be transmitted to Commerce within five business days thereafter, or by August 13, 2018.

DATES: June 20, 2018.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:
Background.—These investigations are being instituted, pursuant to sections 703(a) and 733(a) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1671b(a) and 1673b(a)), in response to a petition filed on June 20, 2018, by Bulldog Rack Company, Weirton, West Virginia; Hannibal Industries, Inc., Los Angeles, California; Husky Rack and Wire, Denver, North Carolina; Ridg-U-Rak, Inc., North East, Pennsylvania; SpaceRAK, A Division of Heartland Steel Products, Inc., Marysville, Michigan; Speedrack Products Group, Ltd., Sparita, Michigan; Steel King Industries, Inc., Stevens Point, Wisconsin; Tri-Boro Shelving & Partition Corp., Farmville, Virginia; and UNARCO Material Handling, Inc., Springfield, Tennessee.

For further information concerning the conduct of these investigations and rules of general application, consult the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, part 201, subparts A and B (19 CFR part 201), and part 207, subparts A and B (19 CFR part 207).

Participation in the investigations and public service list.—Persons (other than petitioners) wishing to participate in the investigations as parties must file an entry of appearance with the Secretary to the Commission, as provided in sections 201.11 and 207.10 of the Commission’s rules, not later than seven days after publication of this notice in the Federal Register. Industrial users and (if the merchandise under investigation is sold at the retail level) representative consumer organizations have the right to appear as parties in Commission antidumping duty and countervailing duty investigations. The Secretary will prepare a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to these investigations upon the expiration of the period for filing entries of appearance.

Limited disclosure of business proprietary information (BPI) under an administrative protective order (APO) and BPI service list.—Pursuant to section 207.7(a) of the Commission’s rules, the Secretary will make BPI gathered in these investigations available to authorized applicants representing interested parties (as defined in 19 U.S.C. 1677(9)) who are parties to the investigations under the APO issued in the investigations, provided that the application is made not later than seven days after the publication of this notice in the Federal Register. A separate service list will be maintained by the Secretary for those parties authorized to receive BPI under the APO.