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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Federal Grain Inspection Service

#### Hard Red Spring Wheat; Protein Equipment Calibration

**AGENCY:** Federal Grain Inspection Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Beginning December 14, 1987, the Federal Grain Inspection Service (FGIS) will implement a new calibration for near infrared reflectance instruments for Hard Red Spring wheat protein determinations.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Lewis Lebakken, Jr., USDA/FGIS/ Resources Management Division/IRS, Room 1661-S, P.O. Box 96454; Washington, DC 20090-6454; telephone (202) 382-1738.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** A new Hard Red Spring (HRS) calibration for near infrared reflectance (NIR) instruments will be implemented for protein determinations. The calibration was developed with the assistance of the USDA Agricultural Research Service Instrumentation Research Laboratory and the Agricultural Marketing Service Statistics Branch. Some of the National Standard Reference Samples will be replaced and new NIR values issued for the entire set of 10 samples. The samples are used to detect instrument drift and therefore keep the NIR's aligned with the Kjeldahl laboratory at the FGIS Technical Center in Kansas City.

Beginning Monday, December 14, 1987, the new calibration will be implemented in FGIS field offices and the official agencies in their circuits in the following sequence:

1. Grand Forks, ND; Duluth and Minneapolis, MN.
2. Olympia, WA; Moscow, ID.
3. Wichita, KS; Portland, OR; Litcher, LA.

4. Omaha, NE; Kansas City and St. Louis, MO.

5. Pasadena and Beaumont, TX; Belle Chasse and Destrehan, LA.

A technical review of the new calibration indicates that the effect on the national system should be minimal. However, the precise impact of the new calibration at any given location cannot be accurately predicted.

To ensure that the HRS calibration reflects the new varieties being grown by producers and is therefore as precise as possible, FGIS plans to update the calibration annually using a three year rollover of data.

Supporting documentation consisting of over 300 pages of data is available by contacting Lewis Lebakken, Jr. as shown above.

Dated: December 3, 1987.

W. Kirk Miller,  
Administrator.

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### \* Forest Service

#### Transmittal to Congress; Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area, White Salmon and Klickitat Wild and Scenic River Corridor Boundaries, Klickitat County, WA

The Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area Act of November 17, 1986, designated the lower White Salmon River, Washington, as a National Scenic River and the Lower Klickitat River, Washington, as a National Recreation River, both to be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture. A previous notice in the *Federal Register*, dated November 9, 1987, announced that the USDA Forest Service had delineated river corridor boundaries for the White Salmon and the Klickitat Rivers as required by the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act, as amended.

The establishment of final boundaries began with an in-depth public involvement period including public meetings, field trips on-site, a draft map and questionnaire mailing, and a public question and answer session. From this public involvement, eight criteria were developed to assess lands adjacent to the rivers for inclusion within the corridor boundaries. Final boundaries were determined using these criteria.

The decision on boundary locations is subject to a forty-five day administrative review period, following the procedures under 36 CFR 211.18. Unless changed during the appeal process, the White Salmon and Klickitat wild and scenic river corridor boundaries will be implemented ninety days after Congress receives this transmittal.

River boundaries have been prepared and are available for review at the following offices: USDA Forest Service, Recreation, South Building, 12th and Independence Avenues SW., Washington, DC 20250; Pacific Northwest Regional Office, 319 S.W. Pine, Portland, OR 97208; Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area, 902 Wasco Avenue, Suite 200, Hood River, Oregon 97031; Gifford Pinchot National Forest, 500 W. 12th Street, Vancouver, Washington 98660; and the Mt. Adams Ranger District, Trout Lake, Washington 98650.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting Katherine Jesch, Scenic Area Planner, 902 Wasco Avenue, Hood River, Oregon 97031, telephone (503) 386-2333.

Arthur W. DuFault,

National Scenic Area Manager.

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### Amendments to the Caribbean National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of intent to prepare a supplement to an environmental impact statement.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Agriculture, Forest Service will prepare a Draft and Final Supplement to the Final EIS on the Caribbean National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan filed in February 1986. The supplement will address changes in the Management Plan to eliminate commercial timber harvesting. The effects of this change on other resources and programs including wildlife, soil and water, native vegetation and recreation will be analyzed by an interdisciplinary team. Other significant issues that surface during the scoping process will also be addressed. Issues already identified include the number of acres to recommend for wilderness