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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
EUGENE DISTRICT OFFICE

DECISION RECORD
CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION REVIEW

Proposed Action: The proposed action is issuing an "O&C Logging Road Right-of-Way Permit" to John Koozer for a term of 5 years pursuant to the authority of Title V of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1761), subject to the terms and conditions in 43 CFR 2812 and those additional stipulations in the attached permit. The permit would authorize the hauling of timber from the applicants land, located in the SW 1/4, Section 18, T.17 S., R.6 W., W.M., over 0.9 miles of BLM-controlled Road Nos. 17-6-18. No road improvement or new construction is involved. Road maintenance will be performed by the Permittee.

Decision: It is my decision to approve the issuance of an "O&C Logging Road Right-of-Way Permit" to John Koozer for a term of 5 years pursuant to the authority of Title V of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1761), subject to the terms and conditions in 43 CFR 2812 and those additional stipulations in the attached permit. The permit shall authorize the use of a portion of Road No. 17-6-18, Segment A

Rationale: The proposed action meets the criteria for the categorical exclusion in 516 DM 6, Appendix 5.4E(16), and none of the exceptions in 516 DM 2, Appendix 2, apply. Further, the action is in conformance with the "Record of Decision for Amendments to Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management Planning Documents within the Range of the Northern Spotted Owl" (April 1994), and the "Eugene District Record of Decision and Resource Management Plan" (June 1995) as amended by the Record of Decision for Amendments to the Survey and Manage, Protection Buffer, and other Mitigation Measures Standards and Guidelines, USDA Forest Service and USDI Bureau of Land Management January 2001.

Prepared by: /s/ Eric Meyers Date: 3/24/03

Approved by: /s/ Steve Calish Date: 3/25/03
Field Manager

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Exception Criteria Review Checklist

Proposed Action: See preceding page.

Review the proposed action against each of the ten criteria listed below. If the project meets one or more of the criteria, it is an exception from categorical exclusion and MUST be analyzed in an EA or EIS. To qualify as a Categorical Exclusion the proposed action may not meet any of the criteria. If the criterion does not apply, indicate "Not Applicable." Any mitigation measures (such as contract stipulations or terms and conditions on permits) necessary to ensure that the proposed action qualifies as a categorical exclusion should be identified at the bottom of the page.

<u>Exception Criteria</u>		<u>Comments</u>
1.	Have significant adverse effects on public health or safety	None
2.	Have adverse effects on unique resources (i.e., parks, recreation, refuge lands, wilderness areas, wild or scenic rivers, wetlands, floodplains, etc.)	None known
3.	Have highly controversial environmental effects	None known
4.	Have highly uncertain environmental effects or involve unique or unknown environmental risks	None known
5.	Establish a precedent that could result in significant impacts	None known
6.	Be directly related to other actions having cumulatively significant effects	No
7.	Have adverse effects on cultural or historical resources	None known
8.	Have adverse effects on species listed or proposed as threatened or endangered or have adverse effect on designated critical habitat for these species.	No
9.	Require compliance with E.O. 11988 (floodplain management), E.O. 11990 (protection of wetlands), or the Fish & Wildlife Coordination Act	No
10.	Threaten to violate Federal, State, Local or Tribal law or requirements imposed for the protection of the environment	No
Mitigation measures needed to qualify as CE: None		

Reviewed By: /s/ Gary Hoppe

Date: 3/25/03

Field Manager /s/ Dan Crannell, Terrestrial; /s/ Neil Armantrout, Fisheries

Date: 3/25/03
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