

EXHIBIT 6

*BLM, California Desert Conservation Area, Designated Wilderness Study Areas,
44 Fed. Reg. 19,044 (Mar. 30, 1979)*

This designation supersedes the unpublished designation effective February 2, 1977.

(Delegation of Authority by the Secretary effective October 1, 1970; 36 FR 3389, February 23, 1977.)

TERRANCE R. DUVERNAY,
Area Manager, New Orleans
Area Office, Region VI
(Dallas).

WALTER G. SEVIER,
Deputy Regional Administrator,
Region VI (Dallas).

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[Docket No. D-79-5501]

OFFICE OF THE AREA MANAGER: SAN ANTONIO AREA OFFICE

Designation

AGENCY: Department of Housing and Urban Development.

ACTION: Designation of line of succession.

SUMMARY: The Area Manager is designating officials who may serve as Acting Area Manager during the absence of, or vacancy in the position of, the Area Manager.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 30, 1979.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Each of the officials appointed to the following position is designated to serve as Acting Area Manager during the absence of, or vacancy in the position of, the Area Manager, with all the powers, functions, and duties redelegated or assigned to the Area Manager: Provided, that no official is authorized to serve as Acting Area Manager unless all officials before him in this designation are unavailable to act by reason of absence or vacancy in the position:

1. Deputy Area Manager.
2. Director, Housing Division.
3. Area Counsel.

This designation supersedes the unpublished designation effective February 2, 1977.

(Delegation of Authority by the Secretary effective October 1, 1970; 36 FR 3389, February 23, 1971).

FINNIS E. JOLLY,
Area Manager, San Antonio Area
Office, Region VI (Dallas).

WALTER G. SEVIER,
Deputy Regional Administrator,
Region VI (Dallas).

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[Docket No. D-79-5571]

ACTING REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR, SEATTLE REGIONAL OFFICE, REGION X, WASHINGTON

Designation

Each of the officials appointed to the following positions is designated to serve as Acting Regional Administrator during the absence of the Regional Administrator, with all the powers, functions, and duties redelegated or assigned to the Regional Administrator; provided that no official is authorized to serve as Acting Regional Administrator unless all officials listed before him in this designation are unavailable to act by reason of absence or vacancy in the position:

1. Deputy Regional Administrator.
2. Director, Office of Regional Administration.
3. Director, Office of Community Planning and Development.

Effective as of the 25th day of January 1979.

GEORGE J. ROYBAL,
Regional Administrator,
Seattle Regional Office.

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INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION AGENCY

CULTURALLY SIGNIFICANT WORKS OF ART

Amendment of Determination; Extension of Pompeii A.D. 79 Exhibition Within the United States

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by P.L. 89-259 of October 19, 1965 (79 Stat. 985, 22 U.S.C. 2459) and Executive Order 12047 of March 27, 1978 (43 FR 13359, March 29, 1978) I hereby amend Public Notice No. 596, published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on March 9, 1978 (43 FR 9665), as amended, by adding to the places of exhibition or display: the American Museum of Natural History, New York, New York, on or about April 22, 1979 to on or about July 31, 1979.

This additional exhibition is pursuant to amendments to the loan agreement between the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, Mass., and the Government of Italy referred to in Public Notice No. 596 of March 9, 1978.

Notice of this amendment of the determination is ordered to be published in the FEDERAL REGISTER.

March 27, 1979.

JOHN E. REINHARDT,
Director, International
Communication Agency.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

CALIFORNIA DESERT CONSERVATION AREA

Designated Wilderness Study Areas

Under authority heretofore delegated by the Director, Bureau of Land Management, I hereby determine that public lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management within the designated California Desert Conservation Area have been inventoried according to the provisions of Sections 201(a) and 603 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (Pub. L. 94-579) and Section 2(c) of the Wilderness Act of 1964 (Pub. L. 88-577) and that all, or any portions of, the 138 areas listed herein as meeting the wilderness criteria of Section 2(c) of Pub. L. 88-577, are hereby designated Wilderness Study Areas scheduled for intensive study by the BLM Desert Plan Staff, located at Suite 402, 3610 Central Avenue, Riverside, California 92506:

Area Number	Public Land Acreage
100	456
100A	407
101	897
102	12,585
103	7,784
104	3,729
105	5,729
107A	851
111	14,963
112	36,287
115	69,282
117	405,215
117A	6,560
118	7,951
119	32,878
120	11,465
121	5,760
122	87,145
123	23,604
124	56,690
127	90,427
130	8,102
131	24,873
132	5,972
132A	8,319
132B	21,099
134	36,949
136	52,696
137	33,390
137A	8,532
142	89,528
143	46,529
145	89,772
147	123,131
148	54,022
149	33,929
149A	2,346
150	109,701
150A	13,779
154	33,914
156	113,901
157	25,207
158	36,023
159	5,564
160	4,067
160B	6,826
160C	1,036
163	9,225
164	17,064
170	32,208
172	7,040
173	7,260
173A	13,875

Area Number	Public Lands Acres
184	12,798
186	7,602
206	21,968
207	25,037
217	53,219
218	6,400
218A	9,610
219	8,611
220	5,320
221	87,831
221A	29,435
222	255,058
222A	17,064
223	23,125
225	44,317
225A	8,105
227	14,107
228	28,422
235A	10,452
237	11,092
237A	2,560
237B	3,200
238A	2,976
238B	15,333
239	44,992
242	106,641
243	49,301
244	16,019
245	18,714
249	64,273
250	124,518
251	65,177
251A	14,447
252	18,333
256	72,206
258	18,423
258A	23,238
259	29,178
260	37,787
262	23,938
263	51,057
264	13,300
265	35,583
266	36,239
267	37,561
270	7,556
271	37,758
272	32,477
276	29,411
288	17,063
288A	10,964
290	9,136
292	36,450
294	111,685
296	29,434
299	109,828
300	17,889
304	26,912
304A	13,414
306	135,827
307	229,241
310	57,229
312	81,548
321	50,538
322	48,845
325	239,878
328	52,992
328A	8,533
334	40,723
334A	4,480
335	24,710
341	68,051
343	15,856
344	44,196
348	126,057
350	44,422
352	25,428
355	25,971
355A	6,962
356	37,196
360	20,778
362	35,524
368	26,868
372	10,958
373	8,766
Totals... 138 Areas	5,520,518 acres of Public Lands

These areas and acreages are delineated on a map entitled "California Desert Wilderness Inventory", dated March 31, 1979, published by BLM and available to the public through BLM offices in California, or by contacting the BLM Desert Plan Staff at the address noted above. The Wilderness Study Areas designated herein will remain under BLM interim management, as required in Section 603 of Pub. L. 94-579 during a period of review and until the Congress has determined otherwise.

The remaining 206 areas inventoried within the California Desert Conservation Area but not designated herein as Wilderness Study Areas, and the portions of the 138 areas not designated herein as Wilderness Study Areas as shown on the referenced map, will no longer be subject to the management restrictions imposed by Section 603 of Pub. L. 94-579.

As a resource value, wilderness was inventoried and presence identified in the California Desert Conservation Area, in order that it be integrated and compared with other resources in development of the California Desert Plan required by Section 601(d) of Pub. L. 94-579. Because this Section requires completion of the comprehensive, long-range management plan for the California Desert Conservation Area by September 30, 1980, the wilderness review for public lands within that Area was accelerated within the time requirements of Section 603, Pub. L. 94-579.

In order to determine specific roadless areas containing at least 5,000 acres of contiguous public lands, area boundaries were limited by rights-of-way, non-public ownerships, and existing roads (conforming to the BLM "road" definition as published in the BLM Wilderness Inventory Handbook, dated September 27, 1978). Within these inventoried areas, there frequently are a number of "ways" or trails which do not qualify within that definition as roads, although they may be used as routes of travel.

Within the listed Wilderness Study Areas are 11 Areas containing less than 5,000 acres of contiguous public lands. These particular Areas, however, met at least one of the following criteria: (1) contiguous with lands managed by another agency which have been formally determined to have wilderness or potential wilderness values; (2) received strong public support for study and demonstration that it is of sufficient size to make practicable its preservation and use in an unimpaired condition; or (3) contiguous with an area of less than 5,000 acres of other Federal lands adminis-

tered by an agency with authority to study and preserve wilderness lands, and the combined total is 5,000 acres or more.

The final designations listed herein as Wilderness Study Areas shall become effective April 30, 1979. For the purposes of this designation, each area is considered separable from every other area. Should any amendment to these designations be made by the BLM State Director, California, as a result of new information received following this publication, that amendment will be formally published in the FEDERAL REGISTER and will not become effective until 30 days following such publication. This 30-day extension will apply only to the amendment and not to the original designations.

Persons wishing to protest any of the Wilderness Study Area designations or non-designations made herein shall have 30 days after the final designation of the State Director, California, is published in the Federal Register to file a written protest, which must specify the Area to which the protest is directed; must include a clear and concise statement of reasons for the protest; and, must furnish supporting data, with the State Director, Bureau of Land Management, 2800 Cottage Way, Sacramento, California 95825. The State Director, California, will render a written decision on any such protest so received.

Any person adversely affected by the State Director's decision on such written protest filed by such person may appeal such decision by following normal administrative procedures applicable to formal appeals to the Interior Board of Land Appeals which are published in 43 CFR Part 4.

Dated: March 20, 1979.

ED HASTEY,
State Director, California.

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NEARSHORE BEAUFORT SEA

**Availability of Draft Environmental Statement
Regarding Proposed Federal-State Oil and
Gas Lease Sale**

Pursuant to Section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, the Department of the Interior has prepared a draft environmental statement (DES) relating to a proposed joint Federal-State of Alaska oil and gas lease sale of 186 tracts (208,091 hectares; 514,193 acres) in the nearshore Beaufort Sea. The tracts extend from the Canning River on the east to the Kuparuk River on the west and lie generally seaward from the