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To: Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs*
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From: Team Leader, Natural Resources Management
Office of Environmental Policy and Compliance {Lead}

Subject: Review of Proposed Directive Regarding Maximum Term for Outfitter and Guide
Special Use Permits on National Forest System Lands
(ER04/608)(Agency due date: **October 12, 2004**)

The Forest Service has published the subject notice of proposed directive in the *Federal Register* dated **August 13, 2004**. You may access the notice of proposed directive on the Internet at: http://www.access.gpo.gov/su_docs/fedreg/frcont04.html.

Please review the proposed directive from your particular jurisdiction or special expertise and provide your comments to this Office by **September 20, 2004**.

This Office will prepare the Department's comments by **October 1, 2004**.

Please supply all signed paper comments, comments on disk, or comments being submitted electronically to this Office.

/s/ 8/13/04
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