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WESTERN SHOSHONE NATIONAL COUNCIL
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NOTICE

To: Clinton R. Oke; Assist. District
Assistant Field Manager
Renewable Resources

From: Raymond D. Yowell for the Western Shoshone Nation and its citizens

Date: July 23, 2001

RE: 4130/9230 (NV-012)
T-NV-010-98-11-004

In reference to the UNAUTHORIZED USE NOTICE AND ORDER TO REMOVE, date of receipt, July 19, 2001, 5 days insufficient time for adequate response to your allegations. I am requesting an additional 30 days from the receipt of this notice by you to conduct an investigation of your allegations, research applicable legal authorities, seek counsel, and prepare documentation. If you deny my request, please note in your response, the regulation, code, or law that mandates the 5-day timeout you are asserting.


The allegation that "...you are making unauthorized use of public lands under the control of the Bureau of Land Management" is in ERROR. The subject land has always been under the control of members of the Western Shoshone Nation that continue use of the land in compliance to Treaty, specifically the Ruby Valley Treaty 1863.

You refer to two bodies of law: the Taylor Grazing Act of June 28, 1934 and the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of October 21, 1976 which contradicts Article VI of the U. S. Constitution which elevates Treaty to a class as the Supreme Law of the Land and demands that ALL Judges must recognize this.

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Further, there are decisions pending before the Judicial Council of the Ninth Circuit Court related to the appeals of CV-S-95-232-LDG (RJJ) and CV-S--97-0327-HDM (RLH). Action on your part could be considered contempt of court. We ask you to delay any action until all court matters are resolved in a legal and lawful manner.

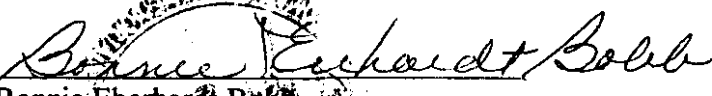
Signed,


Raymond D. Howell, Chief
Western Shoshone Nation Council

cc: Gale Norton, Secretary Interior
Robert Abbey, Director, Bureau of Land Management
Judicial Council of the Ninth Circuit

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I certify and witness that this document was signed in my presence.


Bonnie Eberhardt Bobb
Recording Secretary for Western Shoshone National Council

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