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Page 17, strike lines 3 through 12.

Page 17, line 13, strike “(3)” and insert “(2)”.

Page 17, line 14, strike “subsection” and insert “subsections”.

Page 17, line 17, after “decision” insert “concerning renewal, transfer or reissuance of a grazing permit or lease”.

Page 17, line 18, before the first period insert “or appeal officer as applicable”.

Page 18, strike lines 7 through 10 and insert “existing permit or lease.”.

Page 20, line 15, after “the” insert “applicable”.

Page 20, line 15, strike “and” and insert “or”.

Page 20, strike line 22 through page 21, line 4, and insert the following:

“(g) ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEWS.—
“(1) The Secretary concerned, in the sole discretion of the Secretary concerned, shall determine the priority and timing for completing required environmental reviews regarding any grazing allotment, permit, or lease based on the environmental significance of the allotment, permit, or lease and available funding for that purpose.

“(2) The Secretary concerned shall seek to conduct environmental reviews on an allotment or multiple allotment basis, to the extent practicable, for purposes of compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.) and other applicable laws.

Page 21, line 12, after the first period, insert the following

“(i) TEMPORARY TRAILING AND CROSSING.—

“(1) Any application for temporary trailing or crossing that has been submitted in a timely manner or not less than 30 days prior to the anticipated trailing or crossing shall be granted, modified or denied not less than fifteen days prior to the date of requested crossing or trailing. The minimum times specified in this subsection shall not preclude the approval of an application in a shorter time where an immediate need exists.
“(2) Temporary trailing or crossing authorizations across lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management or the Forest Service system of lands shall not be subject to protest or appeal except by the applicant or an affected permittee or lessee.