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Ms. Dawn Lappin
Wild Horse Organized Assistance
P.O. Box 555
Reno, Nevada 89504

Dear Ms. Lappin:

This letter is to notify all interested or affected parties of a hearing to be held in accordance with 43 CFR 4160.4, before an administrative law judge. This hearing deals with Raymond Rosenlund's appeal to the District Manager's final decision terminating a horse claim which Mr. Rosenlund purchased from Art Cook. The hearing will be held June 26, 1984, at 9:00 a.m. in the courtroom of the White Pine County courthouse, Ely, Nevada.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me at the above address or by phone at 702-289-4865.

Sincerely yours,

Merrill L. DeSpain
District Manager

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Ely District Office
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October 21, 1983

NOTICE OF DISTRICT MANAGER'S FINAL DECISION

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Mr. Raymond Rosenlund
Blue Jay Ranch
Ruby Valley, Nevada 89833

Dear Mr. Rosenlund,

I have reconsidered my proposed decision of July 14, 1983 (as corrected on August 23, 1983) concerning your claim of ownership of horses. In light of information you presented at the protest meeting, it is my decision to deny your claim(s) of ownership of unbranded horses on Buck Mountain, Bald Mountain, Newark Valley, Long Valley, Ruby Valley, and the Maverick Range for the reasons that:

1) You have not presented any additional information that would show my proposed decision to be in error.

2) Claims of ownership with supporting evidence were required to be filed during a 90 day claiming period which expired November 15, 1973 and authorization to gather claimed horses was terminated February 28, 1978.

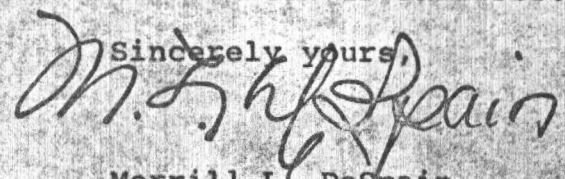
3) The animals were on public land on or before November 15, 1973, thus all unbranded horses and their progeny are considered under Public Law 92-195 to be wild and free-roaming.

You could be given an authorization to gather the branded animals identified in your claim in accordance with 43 CFR 4720.2(a).

This decision is in accordance with 43 CFR 4720.1 and 4720.2.

If you wish to appeal this decision for the purpose of a hearing before an Administrative Law Judge, in accordance with 43 CFR 4.470, you are allowed thirty (30) days from receipt of this notice within which to file such appeal with the District Manager, Bureau of Land Management, Star Route 5, Box 1, Ely, Nevada 89301. The appeal shall state clearly and concisely why you think this decision is in error.

Sincerely yours,



Merrill L. Despain
District Manager, Ely

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