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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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To : Director, NV (931.3)
FROM : District Manager, Las Vegas
SUBJECT : Wild Horse and Burro Population Estimates Update

Date: JAN 11 1984

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Enclosed is the updated summary data, attached to Instruction Memorandum No. NV-84-82, from the Las Vegas District. Changes were made only when data from more recent aerial inventories was available.

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To: District Managers, Nevada

From: State Director, Nevada

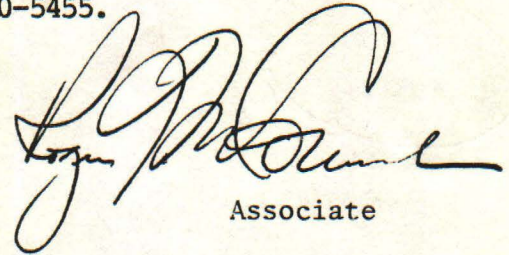
Subject: Wild Horse and Burro Population Estimates FD 1/15/84

In order to prepare the 1983 Nevada Progress Report and to answer various questions relative to wild horse and burro management in Nevada, we are in need of certain information. Enclosed is a summary of data relating to Nevada's wild horse and burro herd areas, which was submitted to this office in response to Instruction Memorandum No. NV-82-173. Please review this summary and note appropriate updated information regarding WH&B numbers/census dates in RED ink.

When updating the enclosed summary, it is imperative that you utilize only actual information for which you have documented data to support. For example, you should update population numbers according to the following:

1. Population numbers should be updated to reflect your most recent animal count in herd areas where a complete aerial census has been conducted.
2. Population numbers should be adjusted to account for animals not observed during a particular aerial census, only when a population adjustment factor specific to each herd area has been developed utilizing the procedures outlined in NSO Manual Supplement 4730.11A1b and/or c.
3. Population numbers should be updated to reflect the actual animals removed during gatherings which have occurred since the most recent aerial census was conducted.
4. Population numbers should be projected to account for population increase only when such increase has been analyzed in accordance with NSO Manual Supplement 4730.11A5.

When submitting your updated summary, also please submit a brief explanation, which corresponds to herd area, as to why the existing information was changed, i.e., recent aerial census, removal of excess animals, etc. Your submission should be received in this office by COB 1/15/84. If you have any questions, please contact NSO-930 at FTS 470-5455.



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1 Enclosure
 Encl. 1—Nevada WH&B Herd Area Summary

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NEVADA WILD HORSE & BURRO
HERD AREA SUMMARY

Herd Area	District	Census Date	No. of Animals		
			No. Horses	Census Date	No. Burros
East Range	NV-020	1981	284	1981	9
Tobin Range	NV-020	1980	16		
Sonoma Range	NV-020	1980	267		
Krum Hills	NV-020	1982	126		
N. Slumbering Hills	(
	(NV-020	1982	130		
S. Slumbering Hills	(
Bloody Runs	NV-020				
Lower Paradise Valley	NV-020	1977	15		
Hot Springs	NV-020	1980	59		
Osgood Mtns.	NV-020	1980	25		
Little Owyhee	NV-020	1982	1,620		
" "	NV-010				
Snowstorm Mtn.	NV-020				
" "	NV-010	1980	545		
Augusta Mtn.	NV-020	1980	212		
" "	NV-060	1981	485		
" "	NV-030				
Flanigan	NV-030	1979	251		
Dogskin Mtn/Granite Peak	NV-030	1983	39		
Pah Rah	NV-030	1981	800		
Horse Springs	NV-030	1983	-0-		
Jumbo	NV-030	1979	28		
Pinenuts	NV-030	1981	860		

Herd Area	District	Census Date	No. of Animals		
			No. Horses	Census Date	No. Burros
Lahontan	NV-030	1982	42		
Horse Mtn.	NV-030	1982	63		
McGee Mtn.	NV-020			1980	41
Warm Springs Canyon	NV-020	1980	239	1980	8
Black Rock Range West	NV-020	1980	344		
Black Rock Range East	NV-020	—	46		
Calico Mtns.	NV-020	1980	417		
Granite Range	NV-020	1980	85		
Buffalo Hills	NV-020	1980	221		
Fox and Lake Range	NV-020	1980	352		
Selenite Range	NV-020	1980	10	1980	1
Lava Beds	(
Seven Troughs	(NV-020	1980	685	1980	110
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Jackson Mtns.	NV-020	1980	166		
Kamma Mtns.	NV-020	1980	30		
Blue Wing Mtns.	NV-020	1980	72	1980	39
Antelope Range	NV-020	1980	178	1980	5
Trinity Range	NV-020	1982	271		
Nightengale Mtns.	NV-020	1980	112	1980	9
Shawave Mtns.	NV-020	1980	137		
Truckee Range	NV-020	1980	61		
Humboldt	NV-020	1982	375		
Eugene Mtns.	NV-020	1982	99		
North Stillwater	NV-020	1980	42		

Herd Area	District	Census Date	No. of Animals		
			No. Horses	Census Date	No. Burros
North Stillwater	(
	(NV-030	1979	52		
South Stillwater	(
Wassuks	NV-030	1979	151		
Clan Alpine	NV-030	1982	1,750		
Desatoyas	NV-030	1982	225		
"	NV-060	1978	110		
Gabbs Valley Range	NV-030	1979	227		
Pilot Mtn.	NV-030	1979	170		
Cedar Mtn.	NV-030				
" "	NV-060	1978	4		
Powell Mtn.	NV-030	1983	35		
Garfield Flat	NV-030	1983	585		
Marietta	NV-030	1983	130		
Montgomery Pass	NV-030	1983	141		
New Pass/Ravenwood	NV-060	1982	812		
S. Shoshone	NV-060	1982	85		
Bald Mtn.	NV-060	1982	362		
Callaghan	NV-060	1982	577		
Hickison	NV-060			1978	18
Rocky Hills	NV-060	1982	135		
Roberts Mtn.	NV-060	1982	127		
Whistler Mtn.	NV-060	1982	28		
Diamond	NV-060	1982	205		
Diamond Hills	NV-060	1981	30		
" "	NV-010		75		

Herd Area	District	Census Date	No. of Animals		
			No. Horses	Census Date	No. Burros
N. Monitor	NV-060	1980	50		
Fish Creek	NV-060	1982	446		
Seven Mile	NV-060	1982	105		
Dobbin	NV-060				
Fish Lake	NV-060	1978	58		
Monitor	NV-060	1978	12		
Peavine	NV-060	1980	30		
Sand Springs	NV-060	1978	43		
" "	NV-040	1983	494		
Saulsbury	NV-060	1978	43		
Stone Cabin	NV-060	1982	1,206		
Hot Creek	NV-060	1978	67		
Reveille	NV-060	1982	1,106		
S. Pancake	NV-060	1978	50		
Owyhee	NV-010	1982	58		
Rock Creek	NV-010	1982	52		
Little Humboldt	NV-010	1982	118		
Spruce-Pequop	NV-010		75		
Tomao	NV-010		25		
Goshute	NV-010	1981	120		
Maverick-Medicine	NV-010	1981	244		
Cherry Creek	NV-010	1981	64		
" "	NV-040				
Antelope Valley	NV-010				
" "	NV-040	1983	553		

Herd Area	District	Census Date	No. of Animals		
			No. Horses	Census Date	No. Burros
Buck and Bald	NV-040	1982	1,185		
Butte	NV-040		60		
Monte Cristo	NV-040	1982	365		
Jakes Wash	NV-040		20		
Moriah	NV-040	1981	-0-		
White River	NV-040	1981	20		
Seaman	NV-040	1983	84		
Dry	NV-040		59		
Patterson-Eagle	NV-040	1983	181		
Rattlesnake	NV-050	1982	25		
Highland Peak	NV-050	1982	27		
Deer Lodge Canyon	NV-050	1982	10		
Little Mtn.	NV-050	1982	16		
Miller Flat	NV-050	1982	42		
Apple White	NV-050	1981	12		
Clover Creek	NV-050	1982	9		
Clover Mtns.	NV-050	1982	55		
Delamar	NV-050	1982	95		
Blue Nose Peak	NV-050	1982	19		
Meadow Valley Mtns.	NV-050	1982	33		
Lower Meadow Valley	NV-050	1982	29		
Mormon Mtns.	NV-050	1982	27		
Muddy Mtns.	NV-050	1982	17	1982	59
Gold Butte	NV-050			1980	428
Eldorado Mtns.	NV-050			1982	72

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Red Rock/Bird Springs	NV-050	1982	50		
Blue Diamond	NV-050			1982	32
Potosi	NV-050			1982	34
Lucky Strike	NV-050	1982	40	1982	38
Mt. Stirling/Wallace Canyon	NV-050	1982	44	1982	60
Last Chance	NV-050			1982	12
Ash Meadows	NV-050	1982	68		
Bullfrog	NV-050	1982	12		218
Gold Mtn.	NV-050	1982	19		
Stonewall	NV-050	1982 ³	604	1982 ³	108
Goldfield	NV-050	1982 ³	267	1982 ³	83
Nevada Wild Horse Range (Neill's AFB Range)	NV-050	1982 ³	3,638		
Montezuma Peak	NV-050	1982	161		
Palmetto	NV-050	1982	184		
Silver Peak	NV-050	1982	307		
Dunlap	NV-050	1982	69		
Fish Lake Valley	NV-050	1982	62	1982	12
Paymaster/Lone Mtn.	NV-050	1982	48		
Amargosa Valley	NV-050	1982	19	1982	1
TOTAL			27,124		1,661