

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
FOREST SERVICE  
SHOSHONE NATIONAL FOREST  
SPECIAL ORDER: OCCUPANCY AND USE

Pursuant to the provisions of 36 CFR 261.50(a) & (b) it is hereby ordered that the following acts are prohibited during occupancy and use of the Shoshone National Forest.

**Possessing a beverage, which is defined as an alcoholic beverage, in violation of State law. 36 CFR 261.58(bb)**

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. 261.50(e) The following persons are exempt from this order.

**1. None**

Done at Cody Wyoming

this 7 day of June 2001

/s/ Rebecca Aus  
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Forest Supervisor  
Shoshone National Forest

Violations of this prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 or imprisonment for not more than (6) six months or both.

**Title 16 USC 551**

## Justification Statement

This Order is intended to give Forest Service Law Enforcement Officers the ability to effectively respond and react to minors and adults in possession of alcoholic beverages on National Forest administered land.

This authority will be used in those situations when State Law Enforcement agencies are unable to respond in a reasonable time period and/or Employee and Public safety may be a factor such as Operating motor vehicles while under the influence of alcohol on Forest Road Systems.

This Order is designed to reduce the liability concerns for Forest Service Law Enforcement Officer and the Agency in these situations.