UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
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ORDER OF FOREST SUPERVISOR
Stikine Area
Tongass National Forest

ORDER NO. 99-02

Occupancy and Use

Pursuant to Public Law 16 USC, Section 551, Title 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), the following activities are prohibited in portions of the Blind Slough Picnic Area (see attached map, Exhibit A) within the Tongass National Forest.

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Between the last Friday of May and September 1, annually:

a. Launching a motorized boat or watercraft [36 CFR 261.58 (r)].

The area to be closed is located in Petersburg (C-3) Quadrangle, and includes portions of Sections 5 and 6, T61S R81E, CRM, and consists of the ramp at the Blind Slough Picnic Area as shown on the attached map (Exhibit A).

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

1. Any Federal, State, local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.

2. Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act.

This Order is effective beginning July 5, 1999, and will remain in effect until rescinded.

Done at Petersburg, Alaska, this 30th day of June, 1999.

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Violations of these prohibitions are punishable by a fine of not more than $5,000.00; or imprisonment for not more than 6 months; or both. Title 16 USC, Section 551.