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AREA RESTRICTION BEAVERHEAD-DEERLODGE and BITTERROOT NATIONAL FORESTS ANACONDA-PINTLER WILDERNESS

Pursuant to 36 CFR Section 261.50(a), the following acts are prohibited in the Area described in this order within the Beaverhead-Deerlodge and Bitterroot National Forests until further notice.

GROUP SIZE

Group size within the Anaconda-Pintler Wilderness is limited to a maximum number of 12 people and 12 head of pack and riding stock. (Title 36 CFR 261.58 (f)).

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

- (1) Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
- (2) Any Federal, State, local officer or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.

Location description – This restriction includes all National Forest lands within the boundaries of the Anaconda-Pintler Wilderness Area located on the Beaverhead-Deerlodge and Bitterroot National Forests.

Done at Dillon, Montana, this day of september, 2001

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Violation of this order is prohibited by the provisions of the regulations cited, and under 7 USC 1011(f), 16 USC 551 and 18 USC 3571. Any violation is subject to punishment by a fine of not more than \$5,000 or imprisonment of not more than six months or both.

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