

ORDER NO 324

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Cherokee National Forest

Camping Restriction

Pursuant to 36 CFR, Section 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts or omission is prohibited along the corridors of North River, from Round Mountain west to the Tellico River; Tellico River, from Highway 165 east to the North Carolina State Line; Citico Creek, from the Warden Fields north to the northernmost Forest Service boundary line; and Bald River, from the confluence of Henderson Creek and Bald River west to 100 ft beyond the Cantrell Bridge, Tellico District, within the Cherokee National Forest, shown on the attached map.

1. Camping within 100 feet of either side of the restricted rivers or creeks.
Excluded from this order are designated campsites and campgrounds.
36 CFR 261.58(c)

The above-prohibited act is set forth in Title 36 C.F.R. Section 261.58

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

1. Persons with a special use permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission, issued by the District Ranger.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.

Executed in Cleveland, Tennessee, this twenty-second day of May 2008.

s/ Leslie Auriemmo for
H.THOMAS SPEAKS, JR
Forest Supervisor
Cherokee National Forest

ORDER EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM DATE OF SIGNATURE

Violation of the prohibitions set forth above is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual and \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or both. See 16 U.S.C. 551, 18 U.S.C. 3559 and 3571.

