UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOREST SERVICE
NATIONAL FORESTS IN NORTH CAROLINA
PISGAH NATIONAL FOREST

Order Number 01-03-05

CAMPFIRE RESTRICTION

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited in the Shining Rock and Middle Prong Wilderness areas on the Pisgah Ranger District of the Pisgah National Forest. This closure order is effective from January 20, 2010 until January 20, 2015.

1. **Building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, campfire, or stove fire.**
   36 CFR 261.52 (a)

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

1. Persons using portable lanterns or stoves using gas, jellied petroleum or pressurized liquid fuel or a portable enclosed campstove with spark arrester, commonly referred to as a sheepherders stove.

2. Persons with a special use permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or ommissio, issued by the District Ranger.

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

Executed in Asheville, North Carolina, on this 1 day of April, 2010

Marisue Hilliard for
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National Forests in North Carolina

Violation of these 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.