AGENCY: Idaho Department of Fish and Game (IDFG)

CLASSIFICATION: Species of Special Concern

<u>DEFINITION</u>: Native species which are either low in numbers, limited in distribution, or have suffered significant habitat losses. The list includes three categories of species: A) species which meet one or more of the criteria above <u>and</u> for which Idaho presently contains or formerly constituted a significant portion of their range (i.e., <u>priority species</u>), B) species which meet one or more of the criteria above <u>but</u> whose populations in Idaho are on the edge of a breeding range that falls largely outside the state (i.e., <u>peripheral species</u>), and C) species that may be rare in the state but for which there is little information on their population status, distribution, and/or habitat requirements (i.e., <u>undetermined status species</u>).

Source: Idaho Department of Fish and Game Nongame and Endangered Wildlife and Fisheries Management Plans 1991-1995.

<u>REGULATION</u>: No person shall take or possess those species of wildlife classified as Species of Special Concern at any time or in any manner, except as provided in Sections 36-106(e)5 and 36-1107, <u>Idaho Code</u>, or by Commission regulation.

CATEGORY A - PRIORITY SPECIES

Coeur d'Alene Salamander (Plethodon vandykei idahoensis)

Common Loon (<u>Gavia immer</u>)
American White Pelican (<u>Pelecanus erythrorhynchos</u>)
Trumpeter Swan (<u>Cygnus buccinator</u>)
Harlequin Duck (<u>Histrionicus histrionicus</u>)
Ferruginous Hawk (<u>Buteo regalis</u>)
Mountain Quail (<u>Oreortyx pictus</u>)
Upland Sandpiper (<u>Bartramia longicauda</u>)
Boreal Owl (<u>Aegolius funereus</u>)

Idaho Ground Squirrel (<u>Spermophilus brunneus</u>) Fisher (<u>Martes pennanti</u>) Wolverine (<u>Gulo gulo</u>)

CATEGORY B - PERIPHERAL SPECIES

Wood Frog (<u>Rana sylvatica</u>)
Mojave Black-collared Lizard (<u>Crotaphytus bicinctores</u>)
Longnose Snake (<u>Hypsiglena torquata</u>)
Western Ground Snake (<u>Sonora semiannulata</u>)

Great Egret (<u>Casmerodius albus</u>)
Merlin (<u>Falco columbarius</u>)
Yellow-billed Cuckoo (<u>Coccyzus americanus</u>)

Coast Mole (<u>Scapanus orarius</u>)
Cliff Chipmunk (<u>Tamias dorsalis</u>)
Uinta Chipmunk (<u>Tamias umbrinus</u>)
Rock Squirrel (<u>Spermophilus variegatus</u>)
Dark Kangaroo Mouse (<u>Microdipodops megacephalus</u>)
Little Pocket Mouse (<u>Perognathus longimembris</u>)
Northern Bog Lemming (<u>Synaptomys borealis</u>)
Kit Fox (<u>Vulpes macrotis</u>)
Lynx (Felis lynx)

CATEGORY C - UNDETERMINED STATUS SPECIES

Western Pond Turtle (Clemmys marmorata) Northern Alligator Lizard (Elgaria coerulea) Ringneck Snake (Diadophis punctatus) Smooth Green Snake (Opheodrys vernalis) Black-billed Cuckoo (Coccyzus erythropthalmus) Flammulated Owl (Otus flammeolus) Great Gray Owl (Strix nebulosa) Barred Owl (Strix varia) Northern Pygmy-Owl (Glaucidium gnoma) Three-toed Woodpecker (Picoides tridactylus) White-headed Woodpecker (Picoides albolarvatus) Pygmy Nuthatch (Sitta pygmaea) Preble's Shrew (Sorex preblei) Pygmy Shrew (<u>Sorex hoyi</u>) Spotted Bat (<u>Euderma maculatum</u>) Townsend's Big-eared Bat (Plecotus townsendii) Fringed Myotis (Myotis thysanodes) California Myotis (Myotis californicus) Western Pipistrelle (Pipistrellus hesperus) Northern Flying Squirrel (Glaucomys sabrinus)

AGENCY: Idaho Department of Fish and Game (IDFG)

CLASSIFICATION: Threatened and Endangered Wildlife, Protected Nongame Wildlife

DEFINITIONS:

Threatened Species - Any species likely to be classified as Endangered within the foreseeable future throughout all or a significant portion of its Idaho range.

Endangered Species - Any species in danger of extinction throughout all or a significant portion of its Idaho range.

<u>REGULATIONS</u>: No person shall take or possess those species of wildlife classified as Protected Nongame Species or Threatened or Endangered Wildlife at any time or in any manner, except as provided in Sections 36-106(e)5 and 36-1107, <u>Idaho Code</u>, or by Commission regulation.

Threatened Species:

Grizzly Bear (Ursus arctos)

Endangered Species:

Whooping Crane (<u>Grus americana</u>)
Peregrine Falcon (<u>Falco peregrinus</u>)
Bald Eagle (<u>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</u>)
Gray Wolf (<u>Canis lupus</u>)
Caribou (<u>Rangifer tarandus</u>)

Protected Nongame Wildlife Species

All birds except:

Feral Pigeon (<u>Columba livia</u>)
American Crow (<u>Corvus brachyrhynchos</u>)
European Starling (<u>Sturnus vulgaris</u>)
House Sparrow (<u>Passer domesticus</u>)

Mammals:

Pika (Ochotona princeps)
Least Chipmunk (Tamias minimus)
Yellow-pine Chipmunk (Tamias minimus)
Red-tailed Chipmunk (Tamias ruficaudus)
Golden-mantled Ground Squirrel (Spermophilus Lateralis)
Red Squirrel (Tamiasciurus hudsonicus)
Bison (Bison bison)

AGENCY: U. S. D. I. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS)

CLASSIFICATION: Threatened and Endangered Species, Candidates for Threatened and Endangered Species Status

DEFINITIONS: Listed Species (from 50 CFR 17.11 and 17.12):

LE = <u>Listed Endangered</u> Taxa in danger of extinction throughout all or a significant portion of their range.

LT = <u>Listed Threatened</u> Taxa likely to be classified as Endangered within the foreseeable future throughout all or a significant portion of their range.

Candidate Species (from Federal Register 56:58804-58836; November 21, 1991):

C1 = <u>Category 1</u> Taxa for which the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service currently has substantial information on hand to support the biological appropriateness of proposing to list as endangered or threatened. Proposed rules have not been issued, but development and publication of such rules are anticipated

C2 = <u>Category 2</u> Taxa for which information now in possession of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service indicates that proposing to list as endangered or threatened is possibly appropriate, but for which conclusive data on biological vulnerability and threat are not currently available to support proposed rules. Further biological research and field study may be needed to ascertain the status of taxa in this category.

C2 = Possibly Extinct Category 2 Possibly extinct taxon; needs verification.

<u>Category 3</u> Taxa that were once being considered for listing as endangered and threatened, but are no longer receiving such consideration. Subcategories are as follows:

3a - Taxon for which the Fish and Wildlife Service has persuasive evidence of extinction.

3b - Taxonomic status is in question.

3c - Taxon is more widespread or abundant than previously believed, or is not subject to identifiable threats.

THREATENED (LT) AND ENDANGERED (LE) SPECIES:

	Status
Bald Eagle (Haliaeetus leucocephalus)	LE
Peregrine Falcon (Falco peregrinus)	LE
Whooping Crane (Grus americana)	LE
Gray Wolf (Canis lupus)	LE
Grizzly Bear (Ursus arctos)	LT
Woodland Caribou (Rangifer tarandus caribou)	LE
CANDIDATE SPECIES:	
Spotted Frog (Rana pretiosa)	C2
White-faced Ibis (Plegadis chihi)	C2
Trumpeter Swan (Cygnus buccinator)	C2
Harlequin Duck (<u>Histrionicus histrionicus</u>)	C2
Northern Goshawk (Accipiter gentilis)	C2
Ferruginous Hawk (<u>Buteo regalis</u>)	C2
Columbian Sharp-tailed Grouse (Tympanuchus phasianellus columbianus)	C2
Mountain Quail (Oreortyx pictus)	C2
Black Tern (Chlidonias niger)	C2
Long-billed Curlew (Numenius americanus)	3c
Loggerhead Shrike (<u>Lanius ludovicianus</u>)	C2
Preble's Shrew (Sorex preblei)	C2

Pygmy Rabbit (Brachylagus idahoensis)	C2 **
Townsend's Big-eared Bat (Plecotus townsendii townsendii)	C2
Northern Idaho Ground Squirrel (Spermophilus brunneus brunneus)	C1
Southern Idaho Ground Squirrel (Spermophilus brunneus endemicus)	C2
North American Wolverine (<u>Gulo gulo luscus</u>)	C2
North American Lynx (Felis Lynx canadensis)	C2
Invertebrates:	
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Idaho Pointheaded Grasshopper (<u>Acrolophitus punchellus</u>)	
Idaho Dunes Tiger Beetle (<u>Cicindela arenicola</u>)	· C2
Blind Cave Leiodid Beetle (Glacicavicola bathyscoides)	C2
Marbled Disc (Discus marmorensis)	C2
Mission Creek Oregonian (Cryptomastix magnidentata)	C2
Idaho Banded Mountainsnail (Oreohelix idahoensis)	C2
Boulder Pile Mountainsnail (Oreohelix jugalis)	C2
Carinated Striate Banded Mountainsnail (Oreohelix strigosa goniogyra)	C2
Whorled Mountainsnail (Oreohelix vortex)	C2
Lava Rock Mountainsnail (Oreohelix waltoni)	C2

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AGENCY: U. S. D. I. Bureau of Land Management (BLM)

CLASSIFICATION: Sensitive Species

<u>DEFINITION</u>: Sensitive species are those designated by the state director usually in cooperation with the state agencies responsible for managing the species as sensitive. They are those species that are 1) under status review by USFWS/NMFS; or 2) whose numbers are declining so rapidly that federal listing may become necessary; or 3) with typically small and widely dispersed populations; or 4) those inhabiting ecological refugia or other specialized or unique habitats.

Source: BLM Manual 6840 9/16/88

SENSITIVE SPECIES

Herptiles:

Coeur d'Alene Salamander (<u>Plethodon vandykei idahoensis</u>)
Roughskin Newt (<u>Taricha granulosa</u>)
Wood Frog (<u>Rana sylvatica</u>)
Ringneck Snake (<u>Diadophis punctatus</u>)
Night Snake (<u>Hypsiglena torquata</u>)
Longnose Snake (<u>Rhinocheilus lecontei</u>)
Western Ground Snake (<u>Sonora semiannulata</u>)

Birds:

White-faced Ibis (<u>Plegadis chihi</u>)
Trumpeter Swan (<u>Cygnus buccinator</u>)
Swainson's Hawk (<u>Buteo swainsoni</u>)
Ferruginous Hawk (<u>Buteo regalis</u>)
Merlin (<u>Falco columbarius</u>)
Gyrfalcon (<u>Falco rusticolus</u>)
Sharp-tailed Grouse (<u>Tympanuchus phasianellus</u>)
Northern Bobwhite (<u>Colinus virginianus</u>)
Gambel's Quail (<u>Callipepla gambelii</u>)
Mountain Quail (<u>Oreortyx pictus</u>)
Long-billed Curlew (<u>Numenius americanus</u>)
Burrowing Owl (<u>Athene cunicularia</u>)
Boreal Owl (<u>Aegolius funereus</u>)

Mammals:

Preble's Shrew (<u>Sorex preblei</u>)
Pygmy Shrew (<u>Sorex hoyi</u>)
Spotted Bat (<u>Euderma maculatum</u>)
Idaho Ground Squirrel (<u>Spermophilus brunneus</u>)
Kit Fox (<u>Vulpes macrotis</u>)
Fisher (<u>Martes pennanti</u>)
Wolverine (<u>Gulo gulo</u>)
River Otter (<u>Lutra canadensis</u>)
California Bighorn Sheep (<u>Ovis canadensis californiana</u>)

AGENCY: U. S. D. A. Forest Service (USFS)

CLASSIFICATION: Sensitive Species

<u>DEFINITION</u>: Those animal species identified by the Regional Forester for which population viability is a concern as evidenced by significant current or predicted downward trends in population numbers or density or significant current or predicted downward trends in habitat capability that would reduce a species' existing distribution.

Source: Forest Service Manual Title 2600
Region 1 USFS list revised May, 1991.
Region 4 USFS list implemented August, 1990.

SENSITIVE SPECIES - REGIONS 1 AND 4 NATIONAL FORESTS IN IDAHO		
	<u>R1</u> X	R4
Coeur d'Alene Salamander (Plethodon vandykei idahoensis)	X	
Spotted Frog (Rana pretiosa)		X
Common Loon (Gavia immer)	X X X	X
Trumpeter Swan (Cygnus buccinator)	X	X
Harlequin Duck (Histrionicus histrionicus)	X	X
Northern Goshawk (Accipiter gentilis)		X
Sharp-tailed Grouse (Tympanuchus phasianellus)		X X X X
Mountain Quail (Oreortyx pictus)	X X	X
Flammulated Owl (Otus flammeolus)	X	X
Great Gray Owl (Strix nebulosa)		X
Boreal Owl (Aegolius funereus)	X X X	X X
White-headed Woodpecker (Picoides albolarvatus)	X	X
Black-backed Woodpecker (Picoides arcticus)	X	
Three-toed Woodpecker (Picoides tridactylus)		X
Spotted Bat (Euderma maculatum)		X
Townsend's Big-eared Bat (Plecotus townsendii)	X X	X
Northern Bog Lemming (Synaptomys borealis)	X	
Idaho Ground Squirrel (Spermophilus brunneus)		X X
Fisher (Martes pennanti)	X X	X
Wolverine (Gulo gulo)	X	X
Lynx (Felis lynx)	x	X