

(B) IN THE EXERCISE OF THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES EVERY STATE UNIT SHALL RECOGNIZE THE INTENT OF THE WILD AND SCENIC RIVERS SYSTEM AND SHALL TAKE ALL NECESSARY ACTION TO PROTECT AND ENHANCE THE WILD AND SCENIC QUALITIES OF EACH INCLUDED RIVER.

(C) IF ANY STATE UNIT PROPOSES ANY DEVELOPMENT THAT WILL HAVE AN IMPACT ON THE WILD OR SCENIC RIVER AND ITS RELATED SHORELINES INCLUDED IN THE SYSTEM, WRITTEN APPROVAL OF THE DEPARTMENT SHALL BE OBTAINED PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION. IN DETERMINING THE APPROVAL, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL CONSIDER WHETHER OR NOT THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT IS CONSISTENT WITH THE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM APPLICABLE TO THE RIVER, WHETHER IT WILL ALTER THE CLASSIFICATION OF THE RIVER, WHETHER THERE ARE FEASIBLE ALTERNATIVES TO THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT AND WHETHER IT IS ESSENTIAL TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC WELFARE.

8-408.

THE DEPARTMENT SHALL NOTIFY EVERY STATE DEPARTMENT OF EACH RIVER INCLUDED IN THE WILD AND SCENIC RIVERS SYSTEM. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL UTILIZE THE WILD AND SCENIC RIVERS SYSTEM AND ALL RELATED INFORMATION TO ASSIST AND COOPERATE WITH ANY OTHER STATE UNIT WHICH EXERCISES JURISDICTION AND AUTHORITY OVER LAND USE MANAGEMENT AND PLANNING.

8-409.

(A) EVERY BUILDING PERMIT ISSUED BY ANY COUNTY OR ANY OTHER APPROVAL FOR DEVELOPMENT WITHIN A SCENIC OR WILD RIVER ZONE SHALL BE CERTIFIED BY THE ISSUING AUTHORITY AS CONSISTENT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE AND RULES AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO IT.

(B) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL REVIEW AT LEAST ONCE A YEAR ACTIONS TAKEN BY EACH COUNTY RELATING TO CONSISTENCY AND CONFORMITY WITH THIS SUBTITLE AND RULES AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO IT.

8-410.

THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE DO NOT PREVENT A FARMER FROM CONSTRUCTING ANY BUILDING USUALLY ASSOCIATED WITH THE RAISING OF CROPS, LIVESTOCK OR POULTRY IN AN AREA SUBJECT TO THE GUIDELINES AND RULES AND REGULATIONS OF A SCENIC OR WILD RIVER.

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THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE MAY NOT BE INTERPRETED TO DEPRIVE ANY PERSON, PARTNERSHIP, CORPORATE