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Dear Interested Public:

The comment period for scoping has ended for the Simplot Short Term Holding Facility Scoping Document and the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) has compiled, reviewed, and considered all comments received. The Environmental Assessment has incorporated these comments, concerns, and issues. The Environmental Assessment has been finalized and a Decision has been made after extensive consideration of the comments.

Enclosed are the Decision Record, Environmental Assessment, and Finding of No Significant Impact for the Simplot Short Term Holding Facility.

The Decision Record is being made available for a 30-day appeal period to the interested publics and other State and local governments of record for the Wild Horse and Burro Program in Idaho. Please follow the instructions outlined on the last page of the Decision Record for appeal procedures.

If you have any questions regarding any enclosed document or any other issue(s) associated with this mailing, please contact Chris Robbins, Idaho BLM Range/Wild Horse and Burro Program Lead at (208) 373-3804. Thank you for your interest.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:
- Simplot Short Term Holding Facility Decision Record
- Simplot Short Term Holding Facility Environmental Assessment
- Simplot Short Term Holding Facility Finding of No Significant Impact