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**[Fairbanks 012151]****ALASKA****Additions to Clarence Rhode National Wildlife Range**

Whereas, by Public Land Order No. 2213 of December 6, 1960, the Kuskokwim National Wildlife Range was established in southwestern Alaska, and

Whereas, the name of the range was changed by Public Land Order No. 2253 of January 13, 1961, to the Clarence Rhode National Wildlife Range, and

Whereas, substantial areas of prime waterfowl breeding habitat are adjacent to the existing wildlife range, and

Whereas, the said waterfowl nesting habitat has outstanding value for nesting colonies of white fronted geese, black brant, emperor geese, pintails, whistling swans, and many other species of waterfowl, and

Whereas, in order to preserve and protect the said waterfowl, other wildlife values, and the habitat, it is deemed essential to add the said lands to the Clarence Rhode National Wildlife Range.

Now therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in the President and pursuant to Executive Order No. 10355 of May 26, 1952 (17 F.R. 4831), it is ordered as follows:

1. Subject to valid existing rights and the provisions of existing withdrawals, the following described public lands which are under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Interior, are hereby withdrawn from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws, except the mining and mineral leasing laws, and disposals of materials under the act of July 31, 1947, as amended (30 U.S.C. 601, 604), are hereby added to and made a part of the Clarence Rhode National Wildlife Range, and hereafter shall be subject to all laws, rules and regulations applicable to the said national wildlife range:

**NELSON ISLAND UNIT****SEWARD MERIDIAN**

All land on Nelson Island including islands in the Kolavinarak and Ninglick Rivers within the following protracted townships:

T. 2 N., R. 89 W.  
T. 3 N., Rs. 88, 89, 90, and 91 W.  
T. 4 N., Rs. 88, 89, 90, and 91 W.  
T. 5 N., Rs. 86, 87, 89, and 90 W.  
T. 6 N., Rs. 86 and 87 W.  
T. 7 N., Rs. 85 and 86 W.  
T. 8 N., Rs. 88, 89, and 90 W.  
T. 9 N., Rs. 86, 87, and 88 W.  
T. 10 N., R. 88 W.

**KOKECHIK RIVER UNIT**  
**SEWARD MERIDIAN**

All lands lying adjacent to the Clarence Rhode National Wildlife Range within the following protracted townships:

T. 15 N., Rs. 89, 90, 91, and 92 W., north of the Clarence Rhode National Wildlife Range.  
T. 16 N., Rs. 89, 90, 91, and 92 W., north of the Clarence Rhode National Wildlife Range.  
T. 17 N., Rs. 88, 89, 90, 91, and 92 W.  
T. 18 N., Rs. 88, 89, 90, 91, and 92 W.  
T. 19 N., Rs. 88, 89, 90, and 91 W.

**YUKON UNIT**

All lands of the Yukon River Delta lying northeast of Kwilpak Pass and Kawanak Pass and northwest of Apoon Pass and Okega Pass within the following protracted townships:

**KATEEL RIVER MERIDIAN**

T. 26 S., Rs. 26, 27, 28, 29, and 30 W.  
T. 27 S., Rs. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31 W.  
T. 28 S., Rs. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31 W.  
T. 29 S., Rs. 27, 28, 29, and 30 W.

**SEWARD MERIDIAN**

T. 32 N., Rs. 78 and 79 W.  
T. 33 N., Rs. 76, 77, 78, and 79 W.  
T. 34 N., Rs. 76, 77, 78, and 79 W.

2. This order shall not affect any area within the boundaries of any native town or village, and should not be construed to abrogate or impair any legal or aboriginal claim or right, if any, of the natives to use the lands, and they may hunt, fish and trap in accordance with applicable law, and carry on any lawful activity.

Signed at 10 a.m. on January 20, 1969.

**STEWART L. UDALL,**  
*Secretary of the Interior.*

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