UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE

NATIONAL FORESTS IN ALABAMA ORDER NUMBER 2012-00-08

OCCUPANCY AND USE -Storage of Food, Refuse and Baiting

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), and for protection of public health and safety, the following acts are hereby prohibited throughout the **National Forests in Alabama**. This closure order is effective until **Rescinded by the Forest Supervisor**.

The following acts are **PROHIBITED** as set forth in 36 CFR 261.58:

- 1. Failure to properly store food or refuse to prevent access by wildlife. 36 CFR 261.58 (cc)
- 2. Placing, leaving, depositing any food, bait or refuse in a manner likely to attract or concentrate any wildlife, whether for purposes of hunting or viewing animals.

36 CFR 261.58 (cc)

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e) the following persons are exempt from this order:

Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.

Any Federal, State, or local officer or member of any organized rescue or fire fighting force in performance of any official duty.

Done at Montgomery, Alabama this the 29th day of June, 2017.

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National Forests in Alabama

Violation of these prohibitions are 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 months, or both. Title 16 USC Section 551 and Title 18 USC 3559 and 3571.