

LCB File No. R056-01

**PROPOSED REGULATION
OF THE DIVISION OF FORESTRY OF THE STATE
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES**

(This proposed regulation was previously adopted as LCB File No. T044-01)

NOTE: Matter in *italics* is new; matter within brackets ~~⌈~~ is to be omitted.

Authority: NRS 527.050, 527.260 through 527.300, and 472.

Purpose and Explanation: The Legislature has charged the State Forester of the Nevada Division of Forestry with developing and administering a program for the listing, conservation, protection, restoration and propagation of native flora threatened with extinction and for the perpetuation of the habitats of such species. The State Forester finds that two species of native plants that he previously declared to be critically endangered and threatened with extinction pursuant to NRS 527.270 no longer require such protection. Consequently, the following amendment to the list of fully protected species is proposed.

Section 1. NAC 527.010 is hereby amended to read as follows:

NAC 527.010 List of fully protected species of native flora.

The State Forester has declared the following species and subspecies of native plants to be critically endangered and threatened with extinction pursuant to NRS 527.270. Although common names are included, they cannot be relied upon for identification of any specimen, since they may vary greatly in local usage. The State Forester will rely to the extent practicable on the International Code of Botanical Nomenclature.

Arctomecon californica, Las Vegas bear poppy

Torrey & Fremont

~~Astragalus beatleyae, Beatley milkvetch ————— Barneby]~~

Astragalus geyeri var. triquetrus, threecorner milkvetch

(A. Gray) M.E. Jones

Astragalus lentiginosus Douglas var. sesquimetalis,

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| Sodaville milkvetch | (Rydberg) Barneby |
| <u>Astragalus mohavensis</u> var. <u>hemigyris</u> , halfring milkvetch | (Clokey) Barneby |
| <u>Astragalus phoenix</u> , Ash Meadows milkvetch | Barneby |
| <u>Astragalus yoder-williamsii</u> , Osgood Mountains milkvetch | Barneby |
| <u>Castilleja salsuginosa</u> , Monte Neva paintbrush | N. Holmgren |
| <u>Centaureum namophilum</u> , spring-loving centaury | Reveal, Broome & Beatley |
| <u>Cryptantha insolita</u> , unusual cats-eye | (MacBride) Payson |
| <u>Enceliopsis nudicaulis</u> var. <u>corrugata</u> , Ash Meadows sunray | (A. Gray) A. Nelson |
| <u>Eriogonum argophyllum</u> , Sulphur Springs buckwheat | Reveal |
| <u>Eriogonum ovalifolium</u> , var. <u>williamsiae</u> Steamboat buckwheat | Reveal |
| <u>Eriogonum viscidulum</u> , sticky buckwheat | J.T. Howell |
| <u>Frasera gypsicola</u> , Sunnyside green gentian | (Barneby) D.M. Post |
| <u>Grindelia fraxino-pratensis</u> , Ash Meadows gumplant | Reveal |
| <u>Ivesia kingii</u> var. <u>eremica</u> , Ash Meadows ivesia | (Coville) Ertter |
| <u>Mentzelia leucophylla</u> , Ash Meadows blazingstar | Brandegee |
| <u>Nitrophila mohavensis</u> , Amargosa niterwort | Munz & Roos |
| <u>Opuntia whipplei</u> var. <u>multigeniculata</u> , Blue Diamond cholla | (Clokey) Benson |
| <u>Phacelia inconspicua</u> , obscure scorpion plant | E.L. Greene |
| <u>Polyctenium williamsiae</u> , Williams combleaf | Rollins |
| [<u>Primula capillaris</u>, Ruby Mountain primrose — N. Holmgren & A. Holmgren —] | |
| <u>Rorippa subumbellata</u> , Tahoe yellowcress | Rollins |
| <u>Spiranthes diluvialis</u> , Ute lady's tresses | Sheviak |