DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Forest Practice Application Number: 2818494

Description of proposal: Even-Aged timber harvest of 4,200 MBF on approx. 140 acres, approx. 9,050 feet of road construction, and 575 feet of road abandonment, including a portion of road construction across a Bedrock Hollow Landform.

Proponent: Sierra Pacific Land & Timber Co.

Location of proposal, including street address, if any: Portions of Sections 4 and 5, Township 40 North, Range 06 East and portions of Section 32, Township 41 North, Range 06 East, all in Whatcom County, WA.

Lead agency: Washington State Department of Natural Resources

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21c.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

[ ] There is no comment period for this DNS

[x] This DNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from April 5, 2022. Comments must be submitted by April 19, 2022.

Responsible official: Dean Warner

Position/Title: District Manager, Forest Practices    Phone: 360-856-3500

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Date: 4/5/2022    Signature: [Signature]

There is no DNR administrative SEPA appeal.