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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal: Midge Sorts Timber Sale, App. No. 103158 and Forest Practice Application No. 2818606. Variable retention harvest (VRH) of 803 MBF of timber from 20.8 acres. Proposal includes 1,095 feet of road construction, 240 feet of road reconstruction, 32,224 feet of road maintenance and 1,280 feet of existing road to be abandoned after completion of use.

Proponent: Department of Natural Resources

Location of proposal, including street address, if any: Sections 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15 and 16 of Township 36 North, Range 3 East, W.M. Proposal is located approximately 4 miles by road west of Alger in Skagit County, off of I-5, Lake Samish Road, Barrel Springs Road and the BL-ML forest road.

Lead agency: 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 June 9, 2022. Comments must be submitted by June 23, 2022.

Responsible official: Jay Guthrie

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Date: 6/7/22 Signature: ____________________________

There is no DNR administrative SEPA appeal.