DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal: True Blue Timber Sale, App. No. 102673 and Forest Practice Application No. 2818382. Variable retention harvest (VRH) of 1,516 MBF of timber from 46.1 (46) acres. Proposal includes up to 2,005 feet of temporary road construction (road to be abandoned after completion of use, if built) and 7,769 feet of pre-haul maintenance.

Proponent: Department of Natural Resources

Location of proposal, including street address, if any: Sections 31 and 32 of Township 38 North, Range 6 East and Section 36 of Township 38 North, Range 5 East, W.M. Proposal is located 6 miles east of Acme, in Whatcom County, off of Hwy 9, Mosquito Lake Road and the MM-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 January 4, 2022. Comments must be submitted by January 18, 2022.

Responsible official: Jay Guthrie

Position/Title: Northwest Region Manager Phone: (360) 856-3500

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Date: 12/22/21 Signature: 

There is no DNR administrative SEPA appeal.