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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal: Frances 40 Sorts Timber Sale, Agreement No. 30-100023 and Forest Practices Application No. 2937343. This is a variable retention harvest (VRH) with 85 acres in two units of VRH removing approximately 3,560 MBF of timber, with 4,720 feet of road construction, and 62,800 feet of pre-haul maintenance.

Proponent: Department of Natural Resources

Location of proposal, including street address, if any: Sections 09, 10, and 24, Township 13 North, Range 07 West, W.M., and Section 19, T13 North, Range 06 West, W.M., approximately 12 miles by road, southeast of Raymond, off the P & E 1400 road systems in Pacific County, Washington.

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

This DNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from March 6, 2020. Comments must be submitted by March 20, 2020.

Responsible official: Eric Wisch

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Date: 3/5/2020 Signature:  Eric Wisch

There is no DNR administrative SEPA appeal.