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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal: Highlander Timber Sale, Agreement No. 30-107290 and Forest Practices Application No. 2943118. This is a variable retention harvest with 184 acres in 3 units, removing approximately 8,257 MBF of timber, with 5,002 feet of road construction, and 38,890 feet of pre-haul maintenance.

Proponent: Department of Natural Resources

Location of proposal, including street address, if any: Sections 1, 11 and 12 in Township 14 North, Range 4 West, W.M., and Sections 6 and 7 in Township 14 North, Range 3 West, W.M. approximately 13 miles by road, West of Chehalis, off the D-1000, D-1010, D-1200, D-1300, D-1400, D-1410, D-1520, and D-3000 road systems in Lewis County, Washington.

Lead agency: <u>Department of Natural Resources</u>

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 February 11, 2025. Comments must be submitted by February 25, 2025.

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Date: 2/11/2025 Signature: Scott Sargent Scott Sargent

There is no DNR administrative SEPA appeal.