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## DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

**Description of proposal:** Smuggler VRH RMZ Timber Sale #30-099053 and associated Forest Practice Application No. 2421793; more than 274 acres considered for harvest was reduced to 182 net acres consisting of three variable retention units, three riparian restoration thinning units, and two right of way units, removing approximately 8,390 MBF of merchantable timber. Road work associated with this proposal consists of 4,498 feet of optional construction, 814 feet of optional reconstruction, 44,777 feet of required pre-haul maintenance, 5,660 feet of optional pre-haul maintenance, and 1,993 feet of abandonment if built.

**Proponent:** Department of Natural Resources, State Lands

**Location of proposal, including street address, if any:**

This proposal is located in Sections 15, 25, 26, 34, and 35 of Township 18 North, Range 03 West W.M. This proposal is located approximately thirteen miles by road West of Olympia off State Route 8, within Thurston County. See the associated Forest Practices Application and driving map.

**Lead agency:** Department of Natural Resources, State Lands

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 September 1, 2020 Comments must be submitted by September 15, 2020.**

**Responsible official:** Scott Sargent

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**Date:** 8/28/2020

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

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