NOTICE OF TIMBER SALE

(R)

SALE NAME/NO.: West Standard 341-02-29

AUCTION DATE/TIME: August 21, 2001, starting at 10:00 a.m.

AUCTION LOCATION: Oregon Department of Forestry Headquarters

4907 East Third Street Tillamook, Oregon 97141

(503) 842-2545 FAX (503) 842-3143

DISTRICT/UNIT Oregon Department of Forestry Headquarters

OFFICE (MAILING 4907 East Third Street ADDRESS FOR BIDS): Tillamook, Oregon 97141

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HARVEST TYPE: Thinning: 975 acres; Regeneration harvest: 24 acres. Approximate stand age: 40

years.

SALE LOCATION: Portions of Sections 7, 8, 17, 18, 19, 21, 29, and 30, T2N, R7W, and Sections 12, 13,

23, 24, 25, and 26, T2N, R8W, W.M., Tillamook County, Oregon.

DIRECTIONS TO TIMBER East from Tillamook via Highway 6 to Milepost 22, North Fork Wilson River, West

SALE AREA: Fork, North Fork West Fork, and Gilmore Roads.

APPRAISED VOLUMES AND QUALITY:

| SPECIES | AVG DBH | TOTAL MBF | | | | | | | | GR | ADES BY | MBF | | | | | | | |
|--------------|------------|--------------|----|----|----|---|----|----|-----|-------|---------|-----|----|-----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| | | | 1P | 2P | 3P | Р | SM | 18 | 2S | 38 | 4S | 5S | 6S | SEL | SC | UT | CR | WRM | PLP |
| Douglas-fir | 10" | 8,133 | | | | | | | 813 | 6,507 | 813 | | | | | | | | |
| W Hem. / fir | 11" | 70 | | | | | | | | 70 | | | | | | | | | |
| Sale Total | | 8,203 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

NO-BID SPECIES Hemlock and other conifers \$ 81.87 per MBF**
Hardwoods \$216.87 per MBF

**THE PRICE PER MBF FOR NO-BID CONIFER SPECIES SHALL BE DETERMINED BY MULTIPLYING THE MINIMUM PRICE FOR NO-BID CONIFER SPECIES BY A BID-UP FACTOR. THE BID-UP FACTOR SHALL BE DETERMINED BY DIVIDING THE BID PRICE FOR DOUGLAS-FIR BY THE MINIMUM PRICE FOR DOUGLAS-FIR.

There is no project amortization. ODF will **not** reduce the price of a species to amortize the project work. Instead ODF will credit PURCHASER's timber account in the amount of \$691,408 after the project work is completed and accepted, as described in the section titled, "Credit for Project Work."

The timber sale areas contain negligible volumes of other logs to be paid for at the prices in Section 44.

PERFORMANCE SECURITY: 20% of bid value (unknown) or the total value of the project work (\$692,000),

whichever is greater. Actual bond amount will be rounded up to an even \$1,000 unit.

EXPIRATION DATE: October 31, 2004 BID METHOD: Sealed Bids

BID DEPOSIT: \$136,100 SALE TYPE: Recovery/BOF - 100%

\$1.000,000 Commercial General Liability; \$1,000,000 Automobile Liability; INSURANCE:

\$1,000,000 Logger's Broad Form

HARVEST METHOD: 95% cable, 5% ground.

PROJECTS: 0.1 mile road construction, 21.9 miles road improvement, rock pit development, and

rock crushing.

FEES: None.

THREATENED AND **ENDANGERED SPECIES** INFORMATION:

THIS STATE TIMBER SALE CONTRACT REQUIRES THAT PURCHASER COMPLY WITH ALL LAWS, INCLUDING THE ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT (ESA). BECAUSE OF THE LACK OF SUITABLE HABITAT, THE DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY (ODF) HAS NOT SURVEYED THE SALE AREA SHOWN IN EXHIBIT "A" FOR NORTHERN SPOTTED OWLS OR MARBLED MURRELETS. HOWEVER, ODF IS ENGAGED IN AN ACTIVE THREATENED OR ENDANGERED SPECIES SURVEY PROCESS AND DOES NOT GUARANTEE THAT A THREATENED OR ENDANGERED SPECIES WILL NOT BE FOUND AS A RESULT OF THOSE SURVEYS OR THE SURVEYS OF OTHERS THAT MIGHT IMPACT THIS SALE. ODF MAY TAKE STEPS, INCLUDING CONTRACT ALTERATION OR TERMINATION AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 32 OF THE CONTRACT, IF ODF BELIEVES THOSE STEPS ARE NECESSARY TO PROTECT THE INTERESTS OF STATE. PURCHASER SHOULD TAKE APPROPRIATE STEPS TO BE CERTAIN THAT NO ESA VIOLATIONS OCCUR.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CONTACT THE ODF WILDLIFE INFORMATION COORDINATOR (503-945-7374) FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR QUESTIONS RELATIVE TO THREATENED OR ENDANGERED SPECIES SURVEYS, FUTURE PLANNED SURVEY INFORMATION, OR OTHER

THREATENED OR ENDANGERED SPECIES INFORMATION.

SEASONAL RESTRICTIONS APPLY - SEE SECTION 39. SPECIAL REMARKS:

> Acreage was calculated from a GIS digital orthophoto. See the Logging Plan in the Cruise Report for acres required to be harvested.

Locked Gate: A key can be obtained from the Tillamook or Forest Grove District offices for the locked gates on Gilmore Road and Standard Grade.

Thinning to increase growth on residual trees and promote an understory structure. SALE OBJECTIVES:

> See inside front cover of Auction Schedule booklet for disclaimer regarding all governmental regulatory actions.

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TIMBER SALE NAME: West Standard

TIMBER SALE NO.: 341-02-29

OPENING DATE: August 21, 2001

FORM OF PROPOSAL

The undersigned agrees to accept and perform all of the above terms and conditions as stated in the form of contract for the above-cited timber sale, and bids, and will pay:

ON THE BASIS OF PRICE PER THOUSAND BOARD FEET FOR:

| Bid Species: | | | | |
|------------------|---|---|--------------------------|------------------|
| Douglas-fir, sav | wmill grade or better, | | | |
| | | | Dollars (\$ |) per MBF. |
| Minimum grades | s and volumes for bid | species are stated in the timber sale p | prospectus. | |
| | | T PRICE FOR NO-BID CONIFER SPI E PER MBF FOR NO-BID CONIFER | | |
| No-bid species | will remain as shown: | | | |
| Hardwoods | | | \$216.87 per MBF. | |
| | d deposit as required ble to the State Fores | , consisting of ater. | | in the amount of |
| performance bo | | and deliver the contract, initial payment lays of the date of the written notifications sale payment. | | |
| | he thirty-day period, t | e bid is irrevocable and further agrees he bid deposit shall become the prope | | |
| | BIDDER _ | (Name of company or individu | ual) | |
| | TAX ID NO | | | |
| | ADDRESS _ | | | |
| | - PHONE | | | |
| | RV | | | |

COMPLETE PURCHASER'S STATUS ON PAGE 2

(Signature of Authorized Official & Title)

| PURCHASER'S STAT | <u>'US</u> | | | | |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| C Purchaser is a corpora | heck ation () | Incorporated in | the State of | | |
| President's N | lame | | | | |
| Secretary's N | lame | | | | |
| Purchaser is: () a | n partnership nn individual | () an assumed (b name | ousiness) | | |
| List names of | f all persons doing b | ousiness under the par | tnership or assumed nam | e: | |
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| If assumed na | ame is subsidiary to | a corporation, fill in da | ata requested of corporati | on also and write in co | rporation name |
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CERTIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY TO BID ON STATE TIMBER

| | hereby certifies that they: |
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| EXPOR | <u>T</u> |
| (a) | Will not export the unprocessed State timber as defined in OAR 629-031-0020 which is the subject of this transaction |
| (b) | Will not sell, transfer, exchange, or otherwise convey the unprocessed timber as defined above which is the subject of this transaction to any other person without first obtaining a certification from that person which meets the requirements of OAR 629-031-0030. |
| (c) | Are not prohibited by OAR's 629-031-0005 through 0045 from bidding for unprocessed State timber as defined above directly from the State Forester. |
| (d) | Understand that falsely entering into this certification is a violation of the Forest Resources Conservation Amendments Act of 1993 and OAR Chapter 629, Division 31, and is subject to any and all penalties contained therein. |
| (e) | Have not exported unprocessed timber originating from private lands in Oregon in the last 24 months. |
| (f) | <u>HAVE</u> exported unprocessed timber originating from private lands in Oregon in the last 24 months, but <u>HAVE NOT</u> exported unprocessed hardwood timber originating from private lands in Oregon in the last 24 months and meet the requirements of OAR 629-031-0010(2). |
| <u>DEFAU</u> | LT, TERMINATION, AND OTHER RELATED MATTERS |
| (a) | Are not currently in default status under any timber sale contract sold by the State Forester. |
| (b) | Has not, within a 3-year period preceding this bid, had one or more Federal, State, or local timber sales terminated for cause or default. |
| (c) | If (b) above is Yes, has submitted an explanation, in writing, with this bid for consideration by STATE. Any such explanation shall be submitted at the time of bid on a separate piece of paper. |
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| Cianad | <u> </u> |
| Signed | |
| | |
| Title | |

[NOTE: For the purpose of this form, the definition of unprocessed timber is the same as in OAR 629-031-0005.]

Dated

Memorandum

Subject: Biological Survey of West Standard

Timber Sale Number 341-02-29

To: Potential Bidders

From: Marcia Humes, Wildlife Biologist

Date: June 19, 2001

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS OF STATE TIMBER SALES NEED TO BE AWARE THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY IS ENGAGED IN AN ACTIVE THREATENED AND ENDANGERED SPECIES SURVEY PROGRAM. AS PART OF THAT PROGRAM, ODF SURVEYS ITS LANDS ON A CONTINUING BASIS FOR LAND MANAGEMENT, SPECIES PROTECTION, RESEARCH, AND OTHER REASONS. PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS ARE REMINDED THAT ODF SURVEYING EFFORTS MAY TAKE PLACE DURING THE LIFE OF ANY TIMBER SALE CONTRACT, AND THAT THE DISCOVERY OF A THREATENED OR ENDANGERED SPECIES IN THE VICINITY OF A TIMBER SALE MAY AFFECT OPERATIONS CONTEMPLATED UNDER THE CONTRACT. THIS INCLUDES TIMBER SALES THAT HAVE BEEN DETERMINED TO BE UNSUITABLE HABITAT OR NOT DETRIMENTAL TO HABITAT. PLEASE REFER TO SECTIONS 30, 32, AND 33 OF YOUR CONTRACT PROSPECTUS, OR CONTACT OUR WILDLIFE INFORMATION COORDINATOR AT (503) 945-7374 FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

This sale does not contain suitable habitat for northern spotted owls. Surveys for northern spotted owls are not necessary.

This sale does not contain suitable habitat for marbled murrelets. Surveys for murrelets are not necessary.

There are no seasonal operating restrictions or felling deadlines associated with spotted owls or marbled murrelets for this sale.

cc: Tillamook District