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PROSPECTIVE TIMBER PURCHASER:

The California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection's Jackson Demonstration State Forest will be offering the following timber sale:

Scissors #2 - 2012 Timber Sale (299 acres), approximately 3,310 MBF (net), March 13, 2012. The Scissors #2 Timber Sale is located in Sections 3, 4, and 10 T17N, R16W MDB&M.

Enclosed are copies of the NOTICE OF TIMBER SALE, BID FORM and General Location Map. This information as well as the SAMPLE TIMBER SALE AGREEMENT and SUMMARY OF SALE INFORMATION are available via the internet: http://www.fire.ca.gov/resource_mgt/resource_mgt_stateforests_jackson.php Please note that the Timber Sale Agreements are in draft form as CAL FIRE is reviewing them and the existing language may be modified.

The pre-bid tour is scheduled on February 23, 2012 to visit the timber sale area.

SCISSORS #2 - 2012

The minimum bid rate per thousand board feet for redwood is \$370.00 and the minimum bid rate per thousand board feet for Douglas-fir is \$75.00. The fixed price for other whitewoods (grand fir/western hemlock) is \$20 per thousand board feet. A single tree selection harvest will be implemented. Timber volume within the sale area has been estimated by a point sampling timber cruise comprised of 125 plots placed on a 4x5 chain grid measuring the timber marked for harvest. Sale acreage has been determined from the map. Trees selected for harvest have been marked with blue paint.

A copy of the THP is available via the internet:

ftp://thp.fire.ca.gov/THPLibrary/North_Coast_Region/THPs2011/1-11-099MEN/

Scissors #2 - 2012 THP (1-11-099 MEN). *The anticipated date for THP approval is February 21, 2012 (it is the final stage of review, e.g. awaiting the Director's determination).*

We are planning on holding a field tour on February 23, 2012 immediately following the field tour for the West Berry Gulch timber sale. The meeting time and location for the West Berry Gulch timber sale are: 8:30 a.m. at ~mile post 8, Highway 20 (JDSF Road 500). ATVs will not be necessary.

If you would like more information and/or are planning on attending the field tour, please contact Chief Sales Officer Pam Linstedt at 707-964-5674, ext. 113.

Please RSVP for the field tour and advise if you are only planning on attending the Scissors #2 tour.

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