

## Ministry of Forests and Range

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**MEMORANDUM** 

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## **BY EMAIL**

To:

Regional Executive Directors

District Managers

From: T.R. (Tim) Sheldan

Assistant Deputy Minister **Operations Division** 

Re: Timber Supply Assessment for Long-Term Community Forest Agreements

Further to my memo of March 30, 2006, I wish to provide subsequent guidance regarding the standard of timber supply assessment required for Long-Term Community Forest Agreements (LTCFA).



A detailed timber supply analysis is required for the regional executive director to adequately determine the AAC and area for LTCFAs. However, if a detailed timber supply analysis was completed at the application stage or during the term of the probationary community forest agreement being replaced by the LTCFA, and it is still consistent with the approved management plan, then another timber supply analysis will not be required.

If you require further information or clarification, please call Ron Greschner, Senior Timber Tenures Forester, Resources Tenures and Engineering Branch at (250) 371-3794.

T.R. (Tim) Sheldan Assistant Deputy Minister

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