Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations

Timber Pricing Branch

**MEMORANDUM** 

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### BY EMAIL

To: Interior Regional Managers

From: Murray Stech

Director

**Timber Pricing Branch** 

## Re: Market Pricing System - Interior

The appraisal parameter values for the Market Pricing System, the consumer price index and Interior lumber values for stumpage rates calculated from March 1, 2015 to March 31, 2015, are attached.

These parameters can also be found on the Timber Pricing Branch home page on the Internet at: <a href="http://www.for.gov.bc.ca/hva/parameters.htm">http://www.for.gov.bc.ca/hva/parameters.htm</a>.

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Murray Stech

Director

**Timber Pricing Branch** 

Attachments

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# MARKET PRICING SYSTEM LUMBER VALUES (\$/MBM)

FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 30, 2014

# FOR MARKET PRICING STUMPAGE CALCULATIONS BETWEEN MARCH 1 - 31, 2015

SPRUCE	348	348	398	344	358
YELLOW SPRUCE PINE		Total Contract Contra	398	344	
WHITE PINE	348		398	344	
LODGE- POLE PINE	348	348	398	344	358
HEMLOCK	293	293	293	293	
FIR / LARCH	364		387	364	
CEDAR	1003	1003	1003	1003	
AMV BALSAM ZONE	348	257	398	344	358
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B.C. Consumer Price Index (1992 = 100) effective for this period: *	139.2
Bank of Canada - US Exchange Rate US\$/C\$ (3 month Average)	9088.0

\* Note: 1.1787 factor has already been applied in order to restate CPI to 1992 base year.

For Appraisals Effective January 1, 1999 Zone 5: Northern Interior & Quesnel

Zone 6: Skeena

Zone 7: Southern Interior

Zone 8: Southern Cariboo

Zone 9: Fort Nelson - Peace

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