

Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations

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From: Murray Stech Director Timber Pricing Branch

Re: Controlled Recreation Area Stumpage Rates

Pursuant to Section 7.8 of the *Coast Appraisal Manual*, and Section 6.8 of the *Interior Appraisal Manual*, I hereby approve the average appraised coniferous saw log stumpage rate for cutting authorities in controlled recreation areas located in the coast and interior. This rate is effective April 1, 2013 to June 30, 2013.

Region	Rate (\$/m ³)
Coast	2.92
Interior	8.49

This stumpage rate is recalculated quarterly and will be posted on the Timber Pricing Branch website: <u>www.for.gov.bc.ca/hva/cra-rates.htm</u> as available.

Murray Stech Director Timber Pricing Branch

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