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## **BY EMAIL**

To: Regional Executive Directors

From: Allan Bennett, Director, Timber Pricing Branch

Re: Amendment No. 4 to the Provincial Logging Residue and Waste Measurement

Procedures Manual - Coast Version

I hereby approve Amendment No. 4 to the *Provincial Logging Residue and Waste Measurement Procedures Manual – Coast, Woodlot Licences, and Community Forests.* 

The manual can be found here:

<u>Provincial Logging Residue and Waste Measurements Procedure Manual - Coast, Woodlot Licenses and Community Forest Agreements</u>

The purpose of this amendment is to:

- update the application of the Fibre Recovery Zone waste rates, and
- provide clarity throughout.

Amendment No. 4 comes into effect August 1, 2022.

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Director

**Timber Pricing Branch** 

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Jason Smith, Provincial Waste Specialist Michael Wedel, Cruising Policy Forester

## Amendment No. 4 - Provincial Logging Residue and Waste Procedures Manual - Coast Highlights

Section, Table or Appendix Number	Description
Throughout	Removed references to Interior Waste Procedures.
Throughout	Minor wording changes.
Throughout	Updated Ministry of Forests name.
Introduction	The applicable manual or amendment is the one in effect when the survey is submitted.
1.2.6	This section was reorganized for clarity.
7.2	A statement by an RPF or RFT must be submitted into the waste system for each cutblock, which declares the harvest start date, PLC date, and harvest method areas.
7.4.1.2	FRZ adjustment factor of 3x and FRZ map version 4 are in effect as of August 1, 2022. The FRZ map and rates are based on harvest start date as described in this section. Red cedar and cypress are volumes are excluded. Obligation adjustment values are updated in Table 7-3 for BCTS waste assessments.
Appendix 1	A definition is provided for Harvest Start Date in the Glossary
Appendix 5	Unnecessary detail is removed. Actual harvest method areas must inform the benchmark calculation, regardless of appraisal method or changes after the initial appraisal.
Appendix 7	This appendix has been removed.