

High Bar First Nation
Forest Consultation and Revenue Sharing Agreement (FCRSA)
(The “Agreement”)
Amendment Agreement

WHEREAS:

- A. The parties entered into the Agreement on March 15th, 2022.
- B. The parties wish to amend the Agreement as set out in this Amendment Agreement to align the Agreement with the revised interim FCRSA template and revenue calculation mandate.

THEREFORE:

The parties agree to amend the Agreement as follows:

- 1. **Definitions.** “Traditional Territory” is replaced with “Territory” and the term “Traditional Territory” is replaced with “Territory” throughout the agreement and appendixes.

- 2. **Article 5. Conditions of Payment,** is amended as follows:

5.1 Reporting and compliance requirements. For each BC Fiscal Year following the First Fiscal Year of the Term, the requirement to make a Revenue Sharing Contribution is subject to:

- (a) High Bar First Nation having published all of the necessary statements and reports before the applicable dates as set out in Article 8; and
- (b) Revenue Sharing Contributions not having been suspended under Article 11.

- 3. **Article 6. Consultation,** is amended as follows:

6.1 Satisfaction of Consultation Obligations. Subject to section 6.3, the process set out in Appendix B will be the means by which British Columbia will fulfil its obligation to consult on proposed Operational Plans or proposed Administrative and/or Operational Decisions and, where appropriate, the means by which British Columbia and High Bar First Nation will identify potential measures to accommodate any potential adverse impacts on High Bar First Nation’s Aboriginal Interests resulting from Operational Plans or Administrative and/or Operational Decisions.

4. **Article 7. Acknowledgments and Covenants**, is amended as follows:

7.2 Revenue Sharing Contributions are accommodation. High Bar First Nation agrees that the Revenue Sharing Contributions made under this Agreement constitute a contribution towards any accommodation that may be required for any potential adverse impacts of Administrative and/or Operational Decisions, and any forest or range development practices that may be carried out under an Operational Plan, on High Bar First Nation 's Aboriginal Interests.

7.3 Where consultation process is followed. High Bar First Nation agrees that if the consultation process set out in this Agreement is followed, British Columbia has consulted, and this will be the process through which British Columbia will identify potential accommodation measures to address the potential adverse impacts of Administrative and/or Operational Decisions, and any forest or range development practices that may be carried out under an Operational Plan, on High Bar First Nation 's Aboriginal Interests.

5. **Article 8. Community Priorities, Annual Reports and Records**, is amended as follows:

8.1 Statement of Community Priorities; 8.4 Audit; and 8.5 Delivery of Report are deleted.

6. **Article 9. Security Deposits** is deleted.

7. **Article 10. Set Off and Notice**, are deleted.

8. **Article 11. Assistance**, is amended as follows:

11.1 Non-Interference is deleted.

11.2 Cooperation and Support. Renumbered as 9.1. High Bar First Nation will work in partnership with British Columbia and in a timely manner to discuss and seek to resolve issues in relation to any action that might be taken by a Member that is inconsistent with this Agreement.

9. **Article 13. Suspension and Termination**, is amended as follows:

13.1 Suspension of Revenue Sharing Contributions. Renumbered as 11.1. British Columbia may suspend further Revenue Sharing Contributions under this Agreement where High Bar First Nation is in material breach of its obligations under this Agreement.

13.4. Proceedings inconsistent with acknowledgments, is deleted.

10. **Appendix C**, is amended as follows:

1.3 The Territory Forest Revenue Sharing Component will be calculated by multiplying 8 percent of non BC Timber Sales forest revenue attributed to the High Bar First Nation and 11 percent of BC Timber Sales forest revenue, as described in section 1.2 of this Appendix.

3.0. is deleted.

In all other respects the Agreement remains the same.

These amendments will take effect on the date that the last party signs this Amendment Agreement.

Signed on behalf of:

High Bar First Nation



Chief Roy Fletcher
Signature

July 12, 2022

Date



Witness of High Bar First Nation
Signature

Signed on behalf of:

Government of British Columbia



Minister of Indigenous Relations and
Reconciliation

August 4, 2022

Date



Witness of Provincial Signature