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**BY EMAIL**

To: Interior Regional Executive Directors

From: Allan W. Bennett, RPF  
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**Re: Stumpage Appraisal Parameters (Interior)**

For stumpage rates calculated from November 1, 2023 to November 30, 2023 under the Market Pricing System (Interior), the stumpage appraisal parameters are attached.

These parameters can also be found on the Timber Pricing Branch website:

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/industry/forestry/competitive-forest-industry/timber-pricing/interior-timber-pricing/interior-appraisal-parameters>

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

FOR THE TWO MONTHS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2023

**FOR MARKET PRICING STUMPAGE CALCULATIONS BETWEEN NOVEMBER 1 - 30, 2023**

AMV ZONE	BALSAM	CEDAR	FIR / LARCH	HEMLOCK	LODGE-POLE PINE	WHITE PINE	YELLOW PINE	SPRUCE
5	486	1656	506	413	486	486		486
6	413	1656		413	486			486
7	582	1656	680	413	582	582	582	582
8	484	1656	506	413	484	484	484	484
9	466				466			466

B.C. Consumer Price Index (1992 = 100) effective for this period: *	179.9
Bank of Canada - US Exchange Rate US\$/C\$ (2 month Average)	0.7491
12-Month Running AAC minus Harvest (million m3)	9.70

\* 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

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