



File: 19720-75/W1897

December 14, 2015

Benner Forestry Ltd.
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Dear Licensee:

Your Woodlot Licence Plan (WLP) Extension and amendment for Woodlot Licence W1897 has now been fully reviewed.

Determination:

I am satisfied that the plan has been prepared and submitted in accordance with Section 13 of the *Forest and Range Practices Act* (FRPA) and the regulations. Accordingly, as the statutory decision-maker authority under Section 14 and Section 16 of the FRPA, I am approving your WLP extension and amendment.

The Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations remain committed to a meaningful consultation process with First Nations who may assert traditional aboriginal interests in an area covered by this WLP. The particulars of this WLP have been communicated to the appropriate First Nations and their input has been encouraged. To date, I have not been advised of any site-specific aboriginal interests that may be infringed upon by the proposed development described in this WLP.

The term of this plan has been extended from December 15, 2015, to December 14, 2025. Further development taking place on Woodlot Licence W1897 must be done in accordance with the approved WLP. This letter forms an integral part of the WLP for Woodlot Licence W1897 and should be attached to it.

If you need clarification of any aspect of this determination, please contact Jim Simpson at 250-286-9360 or by email at Jim.Simpson@gov.bc.ca.

Yours truly,

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