



Reference: 38378

Dear Readers:

As Minister of Sustainable Resource Management, I am pleased to confirm approval of the Dease-Liard Sustainable Resource Management Plan (SRMP) as government policy, and convey it to all participating ministries for implementation. The Dease-Liard SRMP contains key management direction for resource development and conservation. Based on this plan, this ministry will establish land use objectives as legal direction to forest and range operations.

This document will assist government agencies by providing landscape-level strategic direction for resource management within the plan area. The Ministry of Sustainable Resource Management will continue to facilitate plan implementation, monitoring, review and amendment.

We recognize and appreciate the dedication and significant efforts of government staff, First Nations and stakeholders in developing this plan. I encourage their continued participation in the plan monitoring and implementation processes.

Yours truly,

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George Abbott
Minister

Order Establishing the Dease-Liard Landscape Unit and Objectives

Order


- I.** Pursuant to Section 4 (1) of the *Forest Practices Code of British Columbia Act*, the area covered by the Dease-Liard Sustainable Resource Management Plan, as indicated on Map 1 of the plan, is established as the Dease-Liard Landscape Unit.
- II.** Landscape units established under the “order establishing provincial non-spatial old growth objectives”¹ will, on the effective date of this order, cease to have effect for the area in this new order.
- III.** Pursuant to Section 4 (2) of the *Forest Practices Code of British Columbia Act*, objectives listed in the following table and contained in the Dease-Liard Sustainable Resource Management Plan are established as landscape unit objectives².
- IV.** Biodiversity emphasis for landscape units and old growth objectives established under the “order establishing provincial non-spatial old growth objectives” will, on the effective date of this order, cease to have effect for the area in this new order.

Section	Subsection	Objectives
3. Biodiversity/Wildlife	3.1.2.1	1
	3.1.2.4	1
	3.2.2.2	1, 2, 3, 4, and 6
	3.2.3.2	1
	3.2.7.2	1
4. Community Use	4.2	1
5. Cultural Heritage Resources	5.2	3, and 4
7. Timber	7.3 Timber Area B	1
8. Visual Quality	8.2	1

V. Transition

Pursuant to Section 10 (1) (d) (ii) of the *Forest Practices Code of British Columbia Act* and Section 16 (2) of the *Forest and Range Practices Act*, forest development plans and/or forest stewardship plans submitted for approval on or following the effective date of this proposed order are to be consistent with the objectives of this order.

¹ “Order establishing provincial non-spatial old growth objectives” came into effect on June 30, 2004.

² For convenience, the use of the symbol  in the Dease-Liard Sustainable Resource Management Plan document indicates that the objective is established as a landscape unit objective under this order.

Order establishing the Dease-Liard Landscape Unit and objectives (cont'd.)

VI. Effective Date of Order

This order takes effect on February 1, 2005.

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**Herb Langin, Regional Director
Northern Interior Region
Minister of Sustainable Resource Management**

2004/12/16
Date