

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY
Draft Supplement to Hearst Forests' Program Timberland Environmental Impact Report
April 18, 2013

In accordance with provisions of the Title 14 California Code of Regulations Section 15087(a) of the California Environmental Quality Act, notice is hereby given of the availability of a Draft Supplement to Hearst Forests' Program Timberland Environmental Impact Report. The Draft Supplement has been prepared in order to programmatically address the project's effects on greenhouse gas emissions per Title 14 California Code of Regulations Section 15064.4. The California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection is the lead agency under the California Environmental Quality Act.

Project Description: Hearst Forests conducts timber operations and associated activities on its timberland in southern Siskiyou and northern Shasta Counties, California. Hearst Forests' Program Timberland Environmental Impact Report addresses all aspects of its proposed timber operations, including, but not limited to, timber harvest levels, silvicultural methods, harvesting practices, erosion control, site preparation, watercourse and lake protection, hazard reduction, fire protection, wildlife protection, logging road and landing practices, archaeological resource protection, and rare plant protection. Such timber operations are implemented on an individual Program Timber Harvesting Plan basis. The Draft Supplement assesses the project's effects on greenhouse gas emissions.

Project Location: Project activities occur on 61,036 acres of Hearst Forests' timberland in southern Siskiyou and northern Shasta Counties, California. Hearst Forests' timberland is located south of Highway 89 and southeast of McCloud, California.

Environmental Impacts: The Draft Supplement to the Program Timberland Environmental Impact Report has not identified any potentially significant impacts.

Public Review and Document Availability: The public is hereby invited to submit written comments regarding the Draft Supplement to Hearst Forests' Program Timberland Environmental Impact Report.

Comment Period: The 45-day time frame for submittal of written comments is April 18, 2013 through June 3, 2013.

Where the Document Can Be Found: The Draft Supplement to Hearst Forests' Program Timberland Environmental Impact Report is available at the following: The California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Shasta-Trinity Unit, 875 W Cypress Ave., Redding, CA 96001; the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Siskiyou Unit, 1809 Fairlane Road, Yreka, CA 96097; the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Northern Region Operations Headquarters, 6105 Airport Rd., Redding, CA 96002; and on the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection's web site at:
http://www.fire.ca.gov/resource_mgt/resource_mgt_EPRP_PTEIR.php.

How to Comment: Written comments should be submitted on or before 5:00 PM June 3, 2013 to: Chris Browder, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Resource Management, P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460 or submitted by email to: sacramentopubliccomment@fire.ca.gov (please include "Hearst Forests' PTEIR" in the email subject line).

Additional Information: For information about the Draft Supplement to Hearst Forests' Program Timberland Environmental Impact Report please contact Chris Browder at the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection at chris.browder@fire.ca.gov or (916) 653-4995.