

State of California - The Natural Resources Agency
Department of Forestry & Fire Protection

**BID FOR ADVERTISED TIMBER
MERIDIAN 2016 TIMBER SALE**

Dear Gentleperson:

In response to the Notice of Sale for timber on the Soquel Demonstration State Forest, ____ (I or we) bid for the timber advertised to be cut from the described land as follows:

SPECIES	ESTIMATED NET VOLUME	UNIT OF MEASURE (SCRIBNER)	BID PRICE PER MBF	Total Estimated Price
Redwood Sawlogs	1,583	MBF	\$ / MBF	\$
Douglas-Fir Sawlogs	54	MBF	\$ / MBF	\$
Totals	1,637	MBF		
Total				\$
*25% Additional Cost for Estimated Maximum Overage (Multiply Total Cost by .25)				\$
Maximum Contract Amount				\$

*The 25 percent confidence interval represents the statistical variation that can be expected around the estimated sale value.

If declared the successful bidder, ____ (I or we) agree to execute a contract of sale and furnish a satisfactory bond, certificate of deposit, or irrevocable letter of credit, in the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) within 15 working days from the receipt of notice of the acceptance of bid. It is further agreed that if the contract of sale is not executed and a bond or approved security furnished within the time specified, then, in view of the difficulty of estimating the actual damages which will be sustained thereby, the deposit of the successful bidder may be retained by the State as liquidated damages and not as a penalty.

It is understood that a bid of less than a minimum acceptable price will invalidate this bid as a whole. Bids will be evaluated on the basis of the amount bid for redwood and Douglas-fir sawlogs required to be removed by conditions of the sale.

It is understood that pursuant to Section 4650.1, Public Resources Code, and Sections 1510-1521, Title 14, California Code of Regulations, the timber in this sale will not be manufactured outside of the United States or substituted for timber exported from private timberlands. ____ (I or We) have not sold unprocessed timber harvested from private timberlands and exported it into foreign commerce from California within one year prior to the bid date and agree to refrain from that activity for one year after contract termination.

Transmitted herewith is a certified check, cashier's check, bank draft, or money order in the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) made payable to the California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection as required by the Notice of Sale.

Sincerely,

Signature of Bidder Title

Company or Firm

Full Address

Date