

Staff Recommended Committee Assignments and Notes for Issues Raised During Annual Call for Regulatory Review

January 26, 2017

The below data represents recommendations for committee assignment of individual issues if the Committee or Board decide that the issue should become a priority for 2017. A recommendation for committee assignment does not represent a recommendation for a particular issue to be selected for prioritization. Recommendations for committee assignment are subject to revision by a standing committee or the Board. This list does not include items raised by CAL FIRE. Other issues that may be considered in the selection of 2017 priorities may be:

- 1) AB 2029 and the Forest Fire Prevention Pilot Project (14 CCR 1038, already underway in FPC/MGMT committee;
- 2) Aspen, meadow and wet are restoration (14 CCR 913.4(e));

Commenter	Issue Raised	Recommended Standing Committee			Staff Notes
		FPC	MGMT	RPC	
Associated California Loggers	RPF/LTO Responsibilities	X			FPC Priority 1
Associated California Loggers	LTO Licensure Renewals	X			
DFW	Less Than 3 Acre Conversions		X		Could be added to MGMT Priority 2 (Issues pertaining to conversion of Timberland).

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DFW	Interim Joint Policy on Pre, During, and Post, Fire Activities and Wildlife Habitat			X	This is a policy request and not consistent with the published call for regulatory review, which requests input on regulation.
DFW	NSO (895.1, 919.9 [939.9]; 919.10 [939.10])	X			FPC Priority 2 (Consistency of NSO rules with USFWS Guidance and Definitions of Activity Center)
DFW	Changes without regulatory effect (Section 100), change DFG to DFW in FPRs.				Not recommend for committee. Board staff is currently working upon this Section 100 project.
Ebbets Pass Forest Watch	Maximum Sustain Production 913.11		X		MGMT Priority 2 (Maximum Sustained Production (MSP) 14 CCR 913.11(a) [933.11(a)m 953.11(a)])
Ebbets Pass Forest Watch	Habitat Loss and Large Tree Inventory		X		
Ebbets Pass Forest Watch	Post-harvest stocking/plantation management				
Environmental Protection Information Center	Less > 3 Acre Conversions (marijuana cultivation)	X			Could be added to MGMT Priority 2 (Issues pertaining to conversion of Timberland).

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Environmental Protection Information Center	Maximum Sustain Production, Option a, NTMP Growth and Yield		X		MGMT Priority 2 (Maximum Sustained Production (MSP) 14 CCR 913.11(a) [933.11(a)m 953.11(a)])
Environmental Protection Information Center	Emergency Notice 14 CCR 1052.1	X			FPC Priority 2 (Stocking levels - Existing Stocking Standards may be too high to achieve landowner goals within some forest types)
Susan and William Brown	Definition of Habitable Structure (condominiums)			X	
Heather Campbell	Self-Certification of home loss			X	
Dennis Cullen	Self-Certification of home loss			X	
Latham Watkins on behalf of Rancho Guejito	Recind the 45-Day Notice on CRM Program Guidelines 14 CCR 1651	X			This is a request for Board action that does not require a committee review or deliberation.
Latham Watkins on behalf of Rancho Guejito	Establish a transparent, fair, and non-arbitrary system for CRM regulation, including discipline.	X			Possible delegation to the PFEC if the Board selects to prioritize this issue.
Latham Watkins on behalf of Rancho Guejito	PFEC Policy 8. - assure that this policy is consistent with the APA.	X			Possible delegation to the PFEC if the Board selects to prioritize this issue.

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Latham Watkins on behalf of Rancho Guejito	Adopt a policy regarding CRM licensing and certification that delineates the duties and responsibilities of the Board, PFEC and RMAC (if any).				This is a policy request and not consistent with the published call for regulatory review, which requests input on regulation. Possible delegation to the PFEC if the Board selects to prioritize this issue.
Latham Watkins on behalf of Rancho Guejito	Enact guidelines consistent with public transparency laws, including guidelines on email utilization, PRA requests and Bagley-Keene.				This is a policy request and not consistent with the published call for regulatory review, which requests input on regulation. No staff recommendation for a standing committee on this matter.
UC Extension	AB1958 (oak woodland Exemption)	X			Currently being worked upon in FPC/MGMT and added to draft priorities.
Calforests	Post-harvest stocking (point count and basal area)/plantation management		X		FPC Priority 2 (Stocking levels - Existing Stocking Standards may be too high to achieve landowner goals within some forest types)