

Board of Forestry and Fire Protection

“Notice of Intent Amendments, 2022”

Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations (14 CCR),

Division 1.5, Chapter 4,

Subchapter 7, Articles 2 and 6.8

§ 1032.7. Plan Submittal and Notice of Intent.

(a) A Plan shall be submitted by the Person who owns, leases, contracts, or operates on Timberland to harvest timber for commercial purposes.

(b) Where the land or timber is owned or operated by parties other than the Person executing the Plan, the Person submitting the Plan shall give prompt written notice of such Plan to those parties.

(c) The RPF preparing the Plan shall submit to the Director, with the Plan, a Notice of Intent to Harvest Timber (Notice of Intent) if:

(1) any proposed Plan boundary lies within three-hundred (300) feet of any property not owned by the Timberland owner, or

(2) any Plan amendment that changes a Plan boundary so that the new boundary lies within three-hundred (300) feet of property not owned by the Timberland owner, or

(3) any Plan amendment changes the silvicultural method if a Notice of Intent was required for the Plan by condition (1) or (2) above or,

(4) any overhead electrical power line, except a line from a transformer to a service panel, is present within the Plan area or within two-hundred (200) feet outside the Plan boundary, or

1 (5) any Plan amendment changes a Plan boundary so that any overhead
2 electrical power line, except a line from a transformer to a service panel, is within
3 the new boundary or is within two-hundred (200) feet outside the new Plan
4 boundary.

5 (d) A Notice of Intent shall include the following information:

6 (1) The names of the Timberland owner, RPF who prepared the Plan, and the
7 Plan submitter.

8 (2) The location of the Plan area by county, section, township, and range, and
9 the approximate direction and distance to the Plan area from the nearest
10 community or well-known landmark.

11 (3) The name of and distance from the nearest perennial Stream and major water
12 course flowing through or downstream from the Plan area.

13 (4) The acres proposed to be harvested.

14 (5) The Silvicultural Systems to be used, including Regeneration Methods, and
15 Intermediate Treatments, Special Prescriptions, and Alternative Prescriptions.

16 (6) The estimated earliest date that the Director may approve the Plan. This is
17 fifteen (15) days from receipt of the Plan by the Department, except in counties
18 for which Rules and regulations have been adopted pursuant to §§ 4516.5 or
19 4516.8 of the Public Resources Code where the earliest date the Director may
20 approve the Plan is forty-five (45) days after receipt of the Plan by the
21 Department.

22 (7) A statement that the public may review the Plan at the appropriate CAL FIRE
23 Review Team Office and that a copy of the Plan may be obtained from the
24 Department upon payment of the applicable charge.

1 (8) A map which provides the approximate boundary of the THP area, a map
2 legend, and a scale. This map shall be posted with the Notice of Intent.

3 (9) A statement that questions or concerns regarding the specific Plan should be
4 directed to the applicable CAL FIRE Review Team Office for public input
5 incorporation into an Official Response Document.

6 (10) A statement of whether there is a known overhead electric power line within
7 the proposed Plan area except a line from a transformer to a service panel.

8 (e) The RPF preparing the Plan shall furnish to the Department at the time of
9 submission of the Plan, the names and mailing addresses of all property owners within
10 three-hundred (300) feet of the plan boundary. Either a list compiled from the latest
11 equalized assessment roll or a list provided by a title company doing business in
12 California compiled within sixty (60) days of submission of the Plan shall be deemed
13 sufficient for compliance with the subsection.

14 (f) The RPF preparing the Plan shall furnish to the Department at the time of submission
15 of the Plan, the names and mailing addresses of utilities that operate overhead
16 electrical power lines within the Plan boundary or within two-hundred (200) feet outside
17 the Plan boundary. This information shall be obtained from the Utility Contact List.

18 (g) The Department shall mail copies of the Notice of Intent within two (2) working days
19 of receipt of the Plan to all Persons identified in (e) and (f) above.

20 (h) Prior to submission of the Plan, the Person submitting the Plan shall post a copy of
21 the Notice of Intent including a map as described in (d)(8) at a conspicuous location on
22 the Public Road nearest the Plan. Said Notice of Intent shall be on colored paper or
23 identified with colored flagging so as to be easily visible to the public.
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1 Note: Authority cited: Sections 4551 and 4582.3, Public Resources Code. Reference:
2 4551, 4581, 4582.3, 21080 and 21092, Public Resources Code.

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4 **§ 1092.04. Program Timber Harvesting Plan (PTHP) Submittal.**

5 (a) A PTHP shall be submitted by the Person who owns, leases, contracts, or operates
6 on Timberland and Plans to harvest timber for commercial purposes.

7 (b) Where the land or timber is owned or operated by parties other than the Person
8 executing the PTHP the Person submitting the PTHP shall give prompt written notice of
9 such PTHP to those parties.

10 (c) The RPF preparing the PTHP shall submit to the Director, with the PTHP, a copy of
11 a Notice of Intent to Harvest: (1) if any proposed boundary lies within 300 feet of any
12 property not owned by the Timberland owner, or (2) any PTHP amendment that
13 changes a PTHP boundary so that the new boundary lies within 300 ft. of property not
14 owned by the Timberland owner.

15 (d) A Notice of Intent shall include the following information:

16 (1) The names of the Timberland owner, the RPF who prepared the PTHP, and
17 the PTHP submitter.

18 (2) The location of the PTHP area by county, section, township, and range, and
19 the approximate direction and distance to the PTHP area from the nearest
20 community or well-known landmark.

21 (3) The name of and distance from the nearest perennial Watercourse flowing
22 through or downstream from the PTHP area.

23 (4) The acres proposed to be harvested.

24 (5) The Silvicultural Systems to be used, including Regeneration Methods, and
25 Intermediate Treatments, Special Prescriptions, and Alternative Prescriptions-

1 (6) The estimated earliest date that the Director may approve the PTHP. This is
2 15 days from receipt of the PTHP by the Department, except in counties for
3 which Rules and regulations have been adopted pursuant to §§ 4516.5 and
4 4516.8 of the PRC where the earliest date the Director may approve the PTHP is
5 45 days after the receipt of the PTHP by the Department.

6 (7) A statement that the public may review the PTHP at the appropriate CAL
7 FIRE Review Team Office and that a copy of the PTHP may be obtained from
8 the Department upon payment of the applicable charge.

9 (8) A map which provides the approximate boundary of the PTHP area, a map
10 legend, and a scale.

11 (9) A statement that questions or concerns regarding the specific PTHP should
12 be directed to the appropriate CAL FIRE Review Team Office.

13 (e) The RPF preparing the PTHP shall furnish to the Department at the time of
14 submission of the PTHP the names and mailing addresses of all property owners within
15 300 ft. of the PTHP boundary. Either a list compiled from the latest equalized
16 assessment roll or a list provided by a title company doing business in California
17 compiled within 60 days of submission of the PTHP shall be deemed sufficient for
18 compliance with the subsection.

19 (f) The Department shall mail copies of the Notice of Intent within two working days of
20 receipt of the PTHP to all Persons identified in (e) above.

21 (g) Before PTHP submission, the Person submitting the PTHP shall post a copy of the
22 Notice of Intent including a map as described in (d)(8) at a conspicuous location on the
23 Public Road nearest the PTHP site. The Notice shall be on colored paper or identified
24 with colored flagging so as to be easily visible to the public.

1 (h) A statement of whether there is a known overhead electric power line on the
2 proposed Plan area except lines from transformers to service panels.

3 Note: Authority cited: Sections 4551 and 4552, Public Resources Code. Reference:
4 Section 4581, Public Resources Code.