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District Manager B.C. Ministry of Forests 9000-17th Street Dawson Creek , B.C.

RE: FOREST OPERATIONS SCHEDULE FOR THE FORT ST. JOHN PILOT PROJECT AREA

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find a copy of the final Fort St. John Pilot Project's Forest Operations Schedule (FOS), submitted on behalf of the Pilot Project Participants. The FOS covers proposed harvesting and road operations for participants tenures covered under the Pilot Project, for the period December 1st, 2004 through November 30th, 2010.

The Forest Operations Schedule has been prepared consistent with the FSJ Pilot Project Regulation, and the approved Sustainable Forest Management Plan. The plan was made available for public review and comment, and referred to interested parties as directed in your letter of June 24th, 2004. Consultation documentation is included in Appendix C (participants referral letters to trappers, guides and range tenure holders) Appendix D (public and stakeholder comments and participant responses), Appendix E (agency correspondence and comments), and Appendix F (First Nations meetings and correspondence). Comments received were reviewed and responses provided. As a result of the comments received, some changes were made to this submission of the FOS, which are summarized in Appendix G.

If you have any questions concerning this submission, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

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cc: WALP, OGC











