

1 **Board of Forestry and Fire Protection**
2 **“Electronic Filing Amendments, 2017”**

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

4 **Division 1.5, Chapter 4:**

5 **Subchapter 7, Article 2**

6 **Subchapter 7, Article 6.5**

7 **Subchapter 7, Article 7**

8
9 **Amend:**

10 **§ 1032 Timber Harvesting Plan Filing Locations**

11 The Timber Harvesting Plan for proposed timber operations required by PRC § 4581
12 shall be submitted in writing ~~to the Director~~ on a form prescribed by the Director that
13 meets these regulations at the following CAL FIRE Review Team Offices as
14 appropriate:

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16 **§ 1034 Contents of Plan (x)**

17 The plan shall serve two functions: to provide information the Director needs to
18 determine whether the proposed timber operation conforms to the rules of the Board;
19 and to provide information and direction to timber operators so that they comply with the
20 rules of the Board. For the plan to serve these functions, it shall, as a minimum, contain
21 the following information:

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23 *******(x)** On titled USGS (if available) or equivalent topographic maps of a scale not less
24 than two (2") inches to the mile, the information in subsections (1)-(3), (4)(A), (B) and
25 (E) ((4)(B) and (E) for sites within the harvest area), (8), (9), and (11)-(13) shall be

1 clearly shown. Additional maps, which may be topographic or planimetric, may be used
2 to provide the information required in the other subsections, to show specific details, to
3 improve map clarity. The appurtenant roads referenced in subsections (4)(B), (C), (D),
4 and (E) ((4)(B) and (E) for sites not within the harvest area) may be shown on a map
5 which may be planimetric with a scale as small as one-half inch equals one mile. [~~Color~~
6 ~~coding shall not be used.~~] A legend shall be included indicating the meaning of the
7 symbols used. See the district rules for the appropriate minimum mapping acreages.
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9 **§ 1035.4 Notification of Commencement of Operations**

10 Each calendar year, within fifteen days before, and not later than the day of the start up
11 of a timber operation, the Timber Harvesting Plan Submitter, unless the THP identifies
12 another person as responsible, shall notify CDF of the start of timber operations. The
13 notification, by email, by telephone or by mail, shall be directed to the appropriate CDF
14 Ranger Unit Headquarters, Forest Practice Inspector, or other designated personnel.
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16 **§ 1038.2 Exemption Form**

17 A person submitting an exemption under 14 CCR §1038 shall submit to the Director a
18 notice of proposed timber operations, prior to commencement of timber operations, on a
19 form prescribed by the Director ~~provided by the Department~~. The form shall contain the
20 following information:
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22 **§ 1051 Modified THP**

23 (a) On an ownership of 160 acres, or a quarter (¼) section or less of timberland, a
24 modified timber harvest plan may be filed by a plan submitter on a form prescribed by
25 the Director, providing that the following conditions and mitigations are met:

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2 **§ 1051.4. Modified THP for Fuel Hazard Reduction Conditions and Mitigations.**

3 (a) A Modified THP for Fuel Hazard Reduction (hereafter also referred to as
4 “MTHP-FHR”) may be filed by a plan submitter on a form prescribed by the Director for
5 a project area not to exceed 2,500 acres, providing that the following conditions and
6 mitigations are met:
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8 **§ 1052 Emergency Notice**

9 (a) Before cutting or removing timber on an emergency basis, an RPF on behalf of
10 a timber owner or operator shall submit a Notice of Emergency Timber Operations on a
11 form prescribed by the Director ~~to the Director, on form RM-67 (1/1/10), or form RM-65~~
12 ~~(1052.4)(1/1/10)~~ including those emergencies for a Fuel Hazard Reduction emergency,
13 ~~or form RM-66 (1052.5) (2/1/11) and~~ and for a Sudden Oak Death Disease. emergency,
14 ~~herein incorporated by reference, as prescribed by the Director.~~ The notice shall
15 include, but not be limited to, the following:
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17 **§ 1075 Report of Stocking**

18 A Report of Stocking on a form prescribed by the Director ~~acceptable to the Director,~~
19 certifying that the area logged does not meet or meets minimum stocking standards,
20 shall be submitted by the timber owner or the agent thereof to the Director within five
21 years after completion of timber operations, or as otherwise specified in the rules. The
22 report shall contain the following information:
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24 **§ 1090.1 Timber Management Plan and Notice of Timber Operations Filing**
25 **Locations**

1 The Nonindustrial Timber Management Plan (NTMP) or Notice of Timber Operations
2 (Notice) for proposed timber operations provided for by Article 7.5, Chapter 8, Part 2,
3 Division 4 of the PRC (commencing with Sec. 4593) shall be submitted in writing on a
4 form prescribed by the Director ~~to the Director~~ at the appropriate CAL FIRE Review
5 Team Office specified under 14 CCR § 1032 ~~having jurisdiction for the timber~~
6 ~~operations~~, and shall contain the information specified in 14 CCR § 1090.5.

8 **§ 1090.5 Contents of NTMP (v) and (w)**

9 The plan shall serve three functions: (1) to provide information the Director needs to
10 determine whether the proposed NTMP conforms to the rules of the Board; (2) to
11 provide information and direction for timber management so it complies with the rules of
12 the Board and the management objectives of the landowner; and (3) to disclose the
13 potential effects of timber management to the public. For the plan to serve these
14 functions, it shall, as a minimum, contain the following information:

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16 ~~*******(v)** A copy of the forest practice regulations in effect at the time of submission.~~

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18 ~~*******(w)** On a USGS quadrangle or equivalent topographical map of a scale not less~~
19 ~~than 2" to the mile, the following information shall be clearly provided. Additional maps~~
20 ~~may be required to show specific details, and may be planimetric. [Color coding shall~~
21 ~~not be used.] A legend shall be included indicating the meaning of the symbols used.~~
22 See the district rules for the appropriate minimum mapping acreages.

23 24 **§ 1090.7 Notice of Timber Operations Content (n)**

25 The purpose of the Notice of Timber Operations is to provide guidance for

1 implementation of the standards and protective measures in the approved NTMP or
2 most recent amended NTMP and the applicable rules of the Board. For the Notice to
3 serve these functions, it shall as a minimum, contain the following:

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5 *******(n)** On a USGS quadrangle or equivalent map of a scale not less than 2" to the
6 mile, the following information pertinent to the Notice of Operations shall be clearly
7 provided. Additional maps may be required to show specific details, and may be
8 planimetric. [~~Color coding shall not be used.~~] A legend shall be included indicating the
9 meaning of the symbols used. See the district rules for the appropriate minimum
10 mapping acreages.

11 12 **§ 1090.24 Amendment**

13 Amendments proposing substantial deviation from an original plan shall be submitted to
14 the Director in writing by the person who submitted the original plan, or the successor in
15 interest, on a form prescribed by the Director. Substantial deviations shall not be
16 undertaken until such amendment has been filed and acted upon by the Director in the
17 manner as required in Article 6.5 of Subchapter 6 of these rules for the original plan.

18 19 **§ 1090.25 Report Minor Deviations**

20 Minor deviations may be undertaken by the person who submitted the NTMP or Notice
21 without submission of an amendment to the plan and shall be reported immediately in
22 writing ~~to the Director~~ on a form prescribed by the Director.

23 Actions described in 14 CCR 1090.14 which are normally presumed to be substantial
24 deviations may, in a given instance, be minor deviations. Actions listed as substantial
25 deviations in 14 CCR 1090.14 but considered to be minor by the submitter, may be

1 undertaken only if the person who submitted the plan submits the proposed deviation in
2 writing to the Director for review and receives approval.

3 Approval shall be given if the Director determines that the proposed minor deviation
4 conforms to the standards provided in 14 CCR 1090.14(a). The Director shall have 5
5 working days to act on the application. If the Director or the representative of the
6 Director does not act within 5 working days of receipt of such a deviation, timber
7 operations may commence pursuant to such amendment.

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9 **§ 1092.03 Program Timber Harvesting Plan Filing Locations**

10 The PTHP shall be submitted in writing on a form prescribed by the Director ~~to the~~
11 ~~Director~~ at the appropriate CAL FIRE Review Team Offices listed in 14 CCR § 1032.

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13 **§ 1092.09 PTHP Contents (I)**

14 The purpose of the PTHP is to provide guidance for implementation of the standards
15 and protective measures in the certified PTEIR. For the PTHP to serve these functions
16 it shall contain the following:

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18 ***** (I) On a titled USGS quadrangle or equivalent topographic map of a scale not less
19 than 2" to the mile, the information subsections (1)-(5)(A)5., (6)(A)-(G), if applicable, and
20 (7)-(11) shall be clearly shown. Additional maps, which may be topographic or
21 planimetric may be used to provide the information required in other subsections or
22 show specific details, and to improve map clarity. The appurtenant roads referenced in
23 subsection (5) may be shown on a map which may be planimetric with a scale as small
24 as one-half inch equals one mile. ~~[Color coding shall not be used.]~~ A legend shall be
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1 included indicating the meaning of the symbols used. See the district rules for the
2 appropriate minimum mapping acreage.

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4 **§ 1094.1 Working Forest Management Plan and Working Forest Harvest Notice**
5 **Filing Locations**

6 The Working Forest Management Plan (WFMP) or Working Forest Harvest Notice for
7 proposed timber operations, pursuant to PRC § 4597.1 et seq., shall be submitted in
8 writing on a form prescribed by the Director ~~to the Director~~ at the appropriate CAL FIRE
9 Review Team Office specified under 14 CCR § 1032, and shall contain at a minimum
10 the information specified in 14 CCR §§ 1094.6 or 1094.8.

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12 **§ 1103 Conversion of Timberland**

13 Any person, firm, corporation, company, partnership or government agency owning
14 timberland for which the timberland owner proposes conversion as defined in Section
15 1102 shall apply ~~to the Director~~ on a form prescribed by the Director ~~him~~ for issuance of
16 a Timberland Conversion Permit.

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18 **§ 1104.1 Conversion Exemptions (a)(1)**

19 ******* (a) (1)** A Notice of Conversion Exemption Timber Operations (notice) must be
20 prepared by an RPF and submitted ~~to the Director~~ on a form prescribed by the Director.

21 The notice shall contain the following:
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