

Forest Practices Act 1985

Forest Practices Plan

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It is necessary to read this Forest Practices Plan in its entirety for the specifications required by Section 18(2) of the Forest Practices Act 1985. This Forest Practices Plan authorises forest practices and operations to which it refers on the land specified in the Plan and during the period specified in the Plan, provided that the operations are carried out in accordance with the Plan.

This authority is given for the purposes of the Forest Practices Act 1985 only. Those carrying out the operations under the Plan should ensure that they comply with all relevant laws including the conditions of licences, permits and other authorities issued under other laws.

Coupe Name:	<input type="text" value="JV111A"/>	Location:	<input type="text" value="BRIDPORT BACK ROAD"/>	PTR Number:	<input type="text" value="-"/>
Tenure:	<input type="text" value="Permanent Timber Production Zone Land"/>	IBRA 4 region:	<input type="text" value="Ben Lomond"/>	UPI or PID Numbers:	<input type="text" value="-"/>
District:	<input type="text" value="Bass"/>	Municipality:	<input type="text" value="Dorset"/>	Landowners:	<input type="text" value="Forestry Tasmania"/>
Map Sheet:	<input type="text" value="NABOWLA : 5244"/>	Grid reference:	<input type="text" value="533671mE, 5447421mN"/>	Principal Processors:	<input type="text" value="Forestry Tasmania"/>
Applicant:	<input type="text" value="Forestry Tasmania, PO Box 126, Scottsdale TASMANIA 7260"/>				

Parent Rock 1:	<input type="text" value="Silurian-Devonian Sandstone & Siltstone (SDS)"/>	Soil 1: Description	<input type="text" value="Sandy or Loamy over clayey (SLC)"/>	Stoniness 1:	<input type="text" value="L"/>
Parent Rock 2:	<input type="text" value=""/>	Soil 2: Description	<input type="text" value=""/>	Stoniness 2:	<input type="text" value=""/>

Erodibility Class 1: 2: Majority Slope: Maximum Altitude:

Within town water catchment:	<input type="text" value="Yes"/>	Within a landscape zone in a Municipal Planning Scheme:	<input type="text" value="No"/>
Water Intake:	<input type="text" value="29 - Brid River - Bridport"/>	Known Domestic Water Supply Intake within 2km:	<input type="text" value="No"/>
Distance to Intake:	<input type="text" value="19.0 km"/>	Net Area of Crown Land Reserve:	<input type="text" value="<not defined>"/>

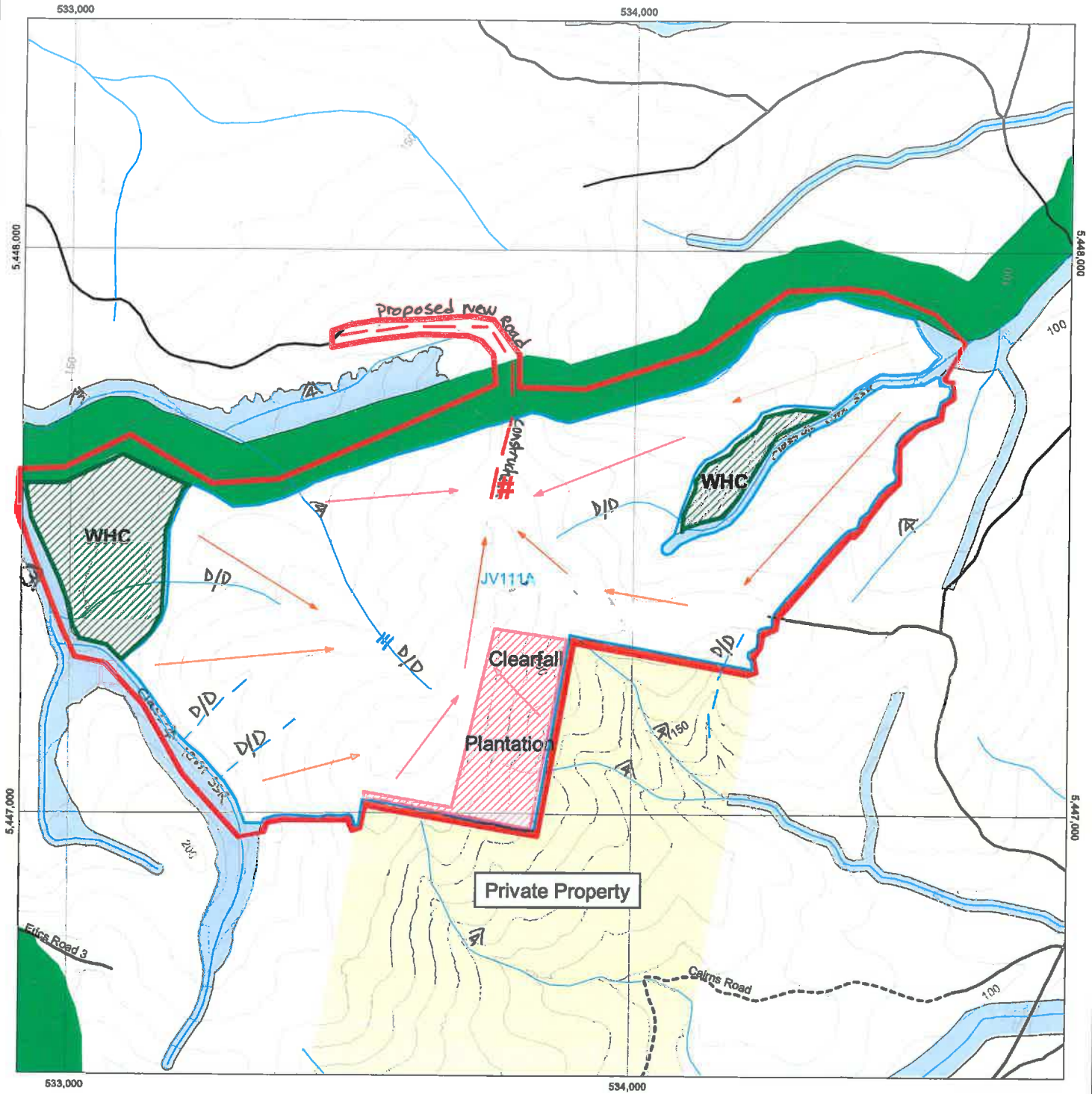
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Discrete Operational Phase	Estimated Start Date	Estimated End Date	Details
Roading	<input type="text" value="01/12/2015"/>	<input type="text" value="31/08/2016"/>	Main Road Outlet: <input type="text" value="No"/> Road lengths (km): 1: <not defined> 2: <not defined> 3: <not defined> 4: 0.55
Timber Harvesting	<input type="text" value="01/12/2015"/>	<input type="text" value="31/08/2017"/>	Minimum Class of Equipment to be used Dry: <input type="text" value="C1"/> Wet: <input type="text" value="C1"/> Cable: <input type="text" value="NA"/>
Reforestation	<input type="text" value="01/08/2017"/>	<input type="text" value="31/08/2019"/>	
Reforestation Assessment	<input type="text" value="01/08/2017"/>	<input type="text" value="31/08/2020"/>	

Current RFA Forest Community and/or Land Use	Prescription	Ha
Dry E. obliqua forest (O)	Seed Tree Retention (SED)	<input type="text" value="48.10"/>
Coastal E. amygdalina dry sclerophyll forest (AC)	Seed Tree Retention (SED)	<input type="text" value="16.10"/>
Plantation : E. globulus (PEG)	Clearfall followed by Hardwood Plantation (CF-HP)	<input type="text" value="3.40"/>
Net Operational Area:	<input type="text" value="67.60"/> Total Area to be Reforested: <input type="text" value="67.60"/> Total Area to be Harvested: <input type="text" value="67.60"/> Total Area of Operation:	<input type="text" value="67.60"/>

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Scale 1:10,000

Mapsheet: NABOWLA 5244

Harvest Area 67.6 hectares

A4P



LEGEND

Map Centre Coordinates: 533739 mE, 5447445 mN

Date: Friday, November 27, 2015

FPP boundary	Located or marked out road	Contractor boundary	Formal reserves	Private land
Harvest boundary	Provisional mapped road	Landing	Future Potential Production Forest	Constraint
Classed Stream	Walking Tracks	Crossing	Informal reserves on PTPZ	Hazard
Unclassed Stream	Hydro/Comms	Bridge	Informal reserves on other tenures	Water
Road class 1-3	Contours		Streamside reserves	WHC
Road class 4	Snig direction		Conditional areas	



NOTE: Map co-ordinates are based on GDA94. Topographic map data is supplied by DPIWE.

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A - GENERAL

- Forest Practices shall be carried out in accordance with the principles and approaches specified in the Forest Practices Code. All Forest Practices Code mandatory statements (“will” statements) apply, whether or not they are highlighted below. Other specific provisions listed in this plan are also mandatory.
- The FPP map is a pictorial representation of the logging coupe. Features on the FPP map are not plotted with absolute accuracy. All features such as roads, landings, streamside reserves, stream crossings and coupe boundaries have been located on the ground prior to the operation commencing.
- As part of the Forest Practices Planning process a comprehensive risk assessment will be completed for the operational area by the Forest Practices Officer, or the author of this Forest Practices Plan (FPP), or alternatively any suitably qualified person/s.
- Operations will not commence until the contractor is fully briefed on site by a Forestry Tasmania representative and all relevant documentation has been sighted and signed.
- The Contractor is required to have a copy of the Forest Practices Plan, and any subsequent Variations, on site during periods of active operations.
- Operations will comply with the Forest Industry Fire Management Committee Procedure when applicable: **Fire Prevention at Forest Operations** with specific attention to:
 - **Fire Fighting Equipment Required**
 - **Severe Weather Suspension of Hazardous Activities.**

B - BUILDING ACCESS TO THE FOREST (ROADING)

GENERAL

- Person or organisation assuming primary responsibility of management of forest practices under this section of the plan: **Forest Engineering Section – Forestry Tasmania North East Region.**
- See also section **D. CONSERVATION OF NATURAL AND CULTURAL VALUES** and section **F - MANAGEMENT OF FUELS, OILS, RUBBISH AND EMISSIONS** for additional information/prescriptions that are to be implemented across the operational phases.

ACCESS

- Access to JV111A is via Bridport Back Road maintained by Dorset Council and associated roads owned and maintained by Forico Pty Ltd and Forestry Tasmania.

PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION

- One (1) class 4 spur road.
- The class 4 spur road construction will be to Forest Practices Code standard.
- The total planned length of this construction is approximately 550m.
- The centre line of the proposed road is marked with red tape.

CLEARING AND FORMATION

- The centre line of the proposed road is marked with red tape.
- The roadline clearing width should not exceed 20 meters, unless otherwise directed by the Forestry Tasmania representative to facilitate construction on steeper sections.
- Trees may be pushed if deemed safe by the contractor, otherwise they will be felled.
- Trees will not be felled outside the clearing width of the proposed road upgrade unless approved by

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Forestry Tasmania however dangerous trees outside this clearing width that are likely to fall across the new construction should be removed. **In any event in which decisions are made between Forestry Tasmania, the Contractor or any other third party, notes should be taken and attached to the Forest Operations Monitoring Report for future reference.**

- The formation is to be constructed using subsoil and it will be crowned and then rolled for consolidation.
- Culvert spacing will meet the requirements of the Forest Practices Code for mod-high erodibility.
- Patch gravelling will be done where necessary to provide a stable running surface.
- A minimum pavement thickness of 150mm consolidated is generally recommended.
- Where possible gravel is to be run from the start of the road to avoid trucks turning on the formation.

MANAGEMENT OF ROAD THROUGH WHS

- The width of the road should be minimised.
- As a guide, roads constructed through a strip should ideally be no greater than 15 metres wide.
- Roads should not pass longitudinally through the strip. Trees in the path of the road should be felled parallel to the road.

MAINTENANCE

- If, during the operation, the roads show signs of structural damage and/or fatigue (rutting, formation damage or drainage failure etc) the contractor will contact the Forestry Tasmania representative immediately and cease carting until such time that the road has been repaired.
- The harvesting contractor is responsible for keeping table drains, culverts and trafficable grips clear and functioning at the completion of the operations or prior to leaving the area for extended periods.
- Roads will be maintained and restored to their original shape, ensuring a stable running surface and a drainage system that operates effectively. This includes all silt traps and drainage structures that are to be regularly inspected and maintained by clearing accumulated sediment.
- **It is the responsibility of the contractor to cease carting when:**
 - Trucks are unable to travel under their own motive power;
 - Turbid water or mud runs in wheel ruts deeper than 100mm in the running surface of the road for a distance greater than the required culvert distance for that section of road.
- At completion of operations the road will be graded by Forestry Tasmania, if necessary, to provide a surface profile which will effectively drain the road pavement.

C - HARVESTING OR CLEARING OF TIMBER

GENERAL

- Person or organisation assuming primary responsibility for management of forest practices under this section of the plan: **Harvesting Section - Forestry Tasmania North East Region.**
- Refer also section - **D. CONSERVATION OF NATURAL AND CULTURAL VALUES** and section **F - MANAGEMENT OF FUELS, OILS, RUBBISH AND EMISSIONS** for additional information/prescriptions that are to be implemented across the operational phases.

LANDINGS

- Landing sites will be located generally as indicated on the attached Forest Practices plan map.
- All landings (inclusive of logging debris) should be kept back as far as practically possible from watercourses and should be at least 40 metres from the boundary of a streamside reserve.
- Landings should be kept as small as practical and will not exceed 0.2ha or 40m x 50m excluding stockpile areas.
- The landings will be well drained at all times.
- Landings may be moved or new landings constructed with the prior approval of the Forestry Tasmania Representative and will be recorded on a map and filed with the original FPP.

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BARK & SLASH HEAP MANAGEMENT

- As much bark as practically possible will be returned to the forest.
- The residual bark on landings will be dealt with in accordance of section C/1 – Harvest Restoration of this Forest Practices Plan.
- Bark and debris is to be removed from the spur roads surface and table drains at the landing sites.

SNIG TRACKS

- Snigging directions are indicated (approximately) on the attached Forest Practices Plan Map.
- Main snig tracks will be temporary gripped prior to periods of extended shutdowns.
- Snig tracks are to be located to allow for best drainage and no more than 3 major snig tracks should be in use at any one time.
- Snigging will not be conducted along drainage depressions.
- **It is the responsibility of the contractor to cease logging when wet weather limitations apply as per Section C2 of the Forest Practices Code 2015.**

BOUNDARY MANAGEMENT.

- Permanent Timber Production Zone Land harvesting boundaries will be flagged with **BLUE** tape.
- Private Property boundary will be flagged with **PINK** tape.
- **NO MACHINERY IS TO CROSS OVER ANY BOUNDARIES AS MARKED.**
- Any tree/s that accidentally fall across/over, or outside the Harvest boundary/Private Property/Wildlife Habitat Strip boundary, will require a decision to be made by a Forest Practices Officer (FPO) as to whether the tree/s are to be left in place or extracted in a safe and efficient manner.
- The felling/removal of any hazardous trees outside the boundary and within Permanent Timber Production Zone land will require prior approval of a Forest Practices Officer (FPO).
- If the contractor identifies any hazardous trees outside the boundary within any other land tenure the contractor will consult with the Forestry Tasmania Representative and alternative arrangements will be made.
- Any decisions made by the Forest Practices Officer (FPO) with respect to the above will be recorded on the Harvest Monitoring Form.

FELLING PRESCRIPTION

The prescription for this operation is **Advance Growth** and **Seed Tree Retention**.

- All advance growth and potential sawlogs of good form up to 20cm DBHOB should be retained.
- Regrowth of poor form in dense clumps may be removed provided that stems to be removed can be felled clear of the clump, and that minimal damage is done to the larger, more vigorous retained stems.
- Where insufficient advance growth is present i.e. <500 sph seed trees will be retained at an approximate spacing of one tree every 1 – 1.5 tree lengths (7 – 12 trees/ha).
- Seed trees to be of good form with large, healthy crowns wherever possible. A representative selection of the species composition existing on the site is to be retained.
- Damage to retained trees from felling and recovery must be minimised as far as practical.
- Heads and other logging debris must not be left up against retained trees.
- Trees will not be felled into or out of a WHC (Wildlife Habitat Clump) any SSR (Streamside Reserve) or any other marked harvest boundary unless authorised by a FPO for safety reasons. If this occurs accidentally a decision will be made by the Forestry Tasmania representative in charge of the operation as to whether the tree will be pulled out or left in place.
- Damage to retained standing eucalypts outside the harvest boundary/ around the perimeter of the coupe should be avoided.
- Any debris which falls outside the marked boundary should be carefully pulled back inside the harvesting boundary.

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- A small section of E. glob plantation is to be clearfelled.

Damage

Damage to Advance Regrowth trees during the felling and snagging procedures shall be minimised. To achieve this objective please refer to the following guiding principles:

- Felling operations should commence at the furthest point from the active landing where practical.
- Directional felling methods are to be used to protect retained trees from damage and to assist in snagging recovery.
- Felled trees are to be de-limbed of crown/stem branches before snagging to the landing.
- Pivot trees/stumps should be used for the purpose of protecting retained trees and will be removed/felled nearing completion of the operation.
- Logging residues should not be pushed up or left against retained trees or within patches of Advance Growth.

STREAMSIDE MANAGEMENT AND SPECIAL WATER QUALITY PROTECTION MEASURES

General

- Refer also section - **D. CONSERVATION OF NATURAL AND CULTURAL VALUES** and section **F - MANAGEMENT OF FUELS, OILS, RUBBISH AND EMISSIONS** for additional information/prescriptions that are to be implemented across the operational phases.
- Streamside reserve (SSR) boundaries to be marked by: **Harvesting Section - Forestry Tasmania North East Region.**

Waterbodies / Streams

The following water bodies and streams have been identified in planning and are as follows,

- Seven drainage depressions are located within the coupe.
- Two Class 4 streams are located within the coupe or form part of the western boundary of the coupe and are protected by 10 meter Streamside Reserve (SSRs).

Drainage Depressions

- There are no further known drainage depressions within the coupe.
Note: If any additional Streams or Drainage Depressions are identified during the period of operations, the contractor will avoid such areas until a Forestry Tasmania representative can assess the stream/Drainage Depression and make a decision in accordance with the Forest Practises Code 2015.

HARVESTING RESTORATION

General

- The harvesting contractor is responsible for restoration of the coupe.
- There will be limited movement of machinery until restoration is completed to the satisfaction of Forestry Tasmania.

Landings

- Drainage – On completion of each logging section or where areas are to be left for periods of three months or more, the landing will be drained and water flowing toward will be diverted into surrounding vegetation or silt traps.
- Bark heap management – Residual landing bark and waste wood will be treated and burnt in accordance with the following guidelines:
 - 1) On a landing bark and large diameter (>25cm) waste wood will be separated and piled in heaps at least 40 metres from the harvest boundary.
 - 2) Heaps will be piled on a raft of <20cm diameter limbwood on a well drained site previously cleared

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to mineral earth. The preference is for tee-pee style bark heaps that must be separated to allow walking access.

- 3) The group of heaps must be separated from adjacent flammable materials with a 3 meter wide mineral earth firebreak.
- 4) Waste wood heaps should not be any larger than 6 meters long, 3 meters wide, and 3 meters high.
- 5) Bark on the landing site is to be heaped and kept clear of access tracks and roads, and circled by a 3m mineral earth fire break.

Snig Tracks

- Snig track restoration and drainage will be done progressively as harvesting of sections of the coupe are completed.
- Where snig tracks are rutted to a depth of more that 300mm below the original ground level over a 20 meter section or longer, the snig track will be restored by filling and draining.
- Snig tracks will be gripped to a standard satisfactory of Forestry Tasmania in conjunction with the Forest Practices Code 2015 prior to the completion of the operation.
- Grips will be constructed at approximately right angles to the flow of water and have an outlet so that water captured in the grip will discharge into the surrounding vegetation or logging slash.

Roads

- See section **B - BUILDING ACCESS TO THE FOREST (ROADING), MAINTENANCE** of this Forest Practices Plan.

Other

- The contractor shall retain at least one excavator on site until logging and restoration is completed to Forest Practises Code specifications.

D - CONSERVATION OF NATURAL & CULTURAL VALUES

GENERAL

- This section provides site specific prescriptions to manage, flora, fauna, geomorphic, cultural heritage, landscape, soil and water values.

Reporting new sites for threatened fauna and flora

- If new sites for threatened fauna (e.g., raptor nests, devil dens etc.) or flora are found during the implementation of a Forest Practices Plan, the sites must be reported to the Forest Practices Authority as soon as practical.

(WHC) Wildlife Habitat Clump

- An area of 38ha will require the retention of a minimum of **8 WHC's**.
- WHC are to be consolidated into 2 large clumps located in the Northwest corner of the coupe and adjacent to the internal Class 4 SSR.
- WHC's should contain at least 2 – 3 mature trees with hollows, and a range of other ages of trees/shrubs. Where a harvest area does not contain any habitat trees, WHC's should include the most mature trees present. Wildlife Habitat Clumps have been consolidated where appropriate as per the attached FPP map.
- WHC's should be protected from disturbance from any forestry activities. Low intensity fuel reduction burning and top disposal burning should be minimised but are acceptable.

Informal Reserve

- There is an informal reserve that borders the coupe to the North; see boundary management section for prescriptions for this area.

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FLORA

Machinery washdown

- All earthmoving machinery (eg. dozers, excavators, loaders) and forest harvesting machinery (eg. skidders, forwarders and excavators) must be washed down prior to entering the FPP area.
- The washdown should follow the procedures detailed in the Washdown Guidelines (DPIWE 2004). Washdown should be done either at the point of departure from the previous operation, or at a designated washdown facility with a well-drained hard surface.

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Tasmanian Devil

- Wildlife Habitat Clumps should target sites of potential denning habitat (burrows, overhangs, rock outcrops etc).
- Wildlife Habitat Clumps should target mature habitat rather than young habitat.
- Potential denning habitat set aside for the Tasmanian Devil is intended for long-term retention. WHCs should be identified on the planning map and flagged in the field prior to commencement of the operation. WHCs should be protected from disturbance from forestry activities. Low intensity fuel reduction burning and top disposal burning should be minimised but are acceptable.
- A minimum 50 m buffer should be placed around all entrances to a known den, within which all vegetation should be retained and protected, and no machinery must enter.

Wedge-tailed Eagle and WBSE

- Even though a pre-operational survey on the 18/06/2015 has not detected a nest, it is still possible that a nest will be detected during operations. Contractors must be instructed to notify the Forest Practices Authority via the Forest Practices Officer in charge of the operation if any nests are found during the operation, and the following seasonally-based guidelines applied.
- If a nest is discovered during the management constraint period (i.e. discovered during July to February inclusive), cease all forestry activity within 500 m of the nest, or within 1 km if in line-of-sight of the nest. The Forest Practices Authority may need to inspect the nest site and will provide advice on appropriate further action. If it is **not** a late eagle breeding season, activities may resume in February. The FPA or DPIPWE will notify all planners as early in the season as possible if the breeding season is late.
- If a nest is discovered outside the management constraint period (i.e. discovered during March to June inclusive), cease all forestry activities within 500 m of the nest. The Forest Practices Authority may need to inspect the nest site and will provide advice on appropriate further action. At this time of year, in most situations the operation can resume outside the agreed 10 ha nest boundary.

Masked Owl

- If a suspected nest or roost site is located within the operational area during operations, operations should cease within 100 m of the site and the FPA notified as soon as practical. Nests are usually located in large trees with large hollows/spouts, and may have evidence of use (e.g. pellets of regurgitated skin and bones; feathers; droppings) at the base of the tree (within the canopy drip-zone). Roost sites can be associated with similar habitat features but may also occur in understorey shrubs with dense canopies (e.g. native cherry, sheoaks, banksia in dry forests) or rocky outcrops with overhangs, ledges and caves. Such sites may also show evidence of use.

New Holland Mouse

- Avoid major snig tracks in sandy areas containing Grass Trees if they are found within the coupe during forest operations including harvesting and burning.

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GEOSCIENCE

- No special prescriptions

CULTURAL HERITAGE

- Road line to be surveyed post roading by an FPA endorsed Aboriginal Heritage FPO.

LANDSCAPE MANAGEMENT

- No special prescriptions required.

SOIL AND WATER

- Apply 10m SSR to class 4 streams.
- Where significant areas (e.g. 10m) of white or grey sandy soils are exposed on snig tracks, snig tracks will be covered with slash matting before any more passes are made over that track.
- Apply Section F Use of Fuel, Grease and Oils from *Forest Practices Code* to reduce the risk of any spills impacting on water quality.

E - ESTABLISHING AND MAINTAINING THE FOREST.

General.

- See also section **D CONSERVATION OF NATURAL AND CULTURAL VALUES** and section **F - MANAGEMENT OF FUELS, OILS, RUBBISH AND EMISSIONS.**
- Person or organisation responsible for reforestation and having primary responsibility for management of forest practices under this section of the plan. **Forestry Tasmania North East Region.**

Burning.

- Burning of heaps on the landing should be undertaken between March and June, depending upon suitable weather conditions.
- A low intensity (Top Disposal) or excavator heap burn may be carried out to improve the seed-bed and/or reduce the fire hazard.
- A burn plan must be prepared and approved prior to the commencement of any burning activities.
- Bark heaps will be inspected at the end of winter or early spring. Any heaps identified with "hotspots" will be checked again and extinguished in accordance with Forestry Tasmania's bark heap protocols.
- All fires will be contained on the property of the landowner.
- Burning will be conducted under Forestry Tasmania's standard operating procedures to minimise damage to adjacent forest.

Firebreaks.

- N/A.

Site Preparation Procedures.

- The site may be excavator heaped to facilitate management of logging slash.

Sowing Treatment.

- Regeneration will be achieved through a combination of retained Advance growth and natural regeneration.
- Retained trees should also provide an adequate seed source. Forestry Tasmania will check seed supply periodically during the course of the operation.

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- Artificial sowing may be carried out if mature seed is not present on site.
- Seed is to be collected on site if available at the time of the harvesting operation, or otherwise obtained from within seed zone LO7. If seed is not available from seed zone LO7, then seed from an alternative zone may be used.
- The small section of E glob. Plantation will be left to coppice of the stump.

Weed control.

- Monitoring of weeds will be undertaken periodically and problems will be addressed as they are identified.

Protection of growing stock

- Annual checking on the health of the new forest should be undertaken.
- Refer - Fire Management below for forest asset protection documentation.

Browsing.

- The frequency and period of monitoring will be determined based on the browsing risk.
- Browsing transects and indicator plots may be established to assess for vertebrate browsing damage.
- Appropriate control methods will be identified if browsing impacts on regeneration establishment. These methods may include, but are not limited to, shooting, trapping or fencing.
- The use of any of the programs as mentioned will only be carried out with the permit conditions as issued by the Department of Primary Industries, Water and the Environment (DIPWE) – more specifically the Parks and Wildlife Division (PWS).

Fire Management

- This operational area is covered by Forestry Tasmania's Northern Region Tactical Fire Management Plan.
- Forestry Tasmania – Northern Region also prepares a Fire Action Plan annually that details all arrangements for fire suppression over the summer period and is inclusive of multi-agency operations.

E1 - ASSESSMENT OF REFORESTATION

Stocking standards.

- A multi age survey will be carried out approximately 24 months following sowing and/or harvesting/excavator heaping or burning in accordance with standards specified in Forestry Tasmania Technical Bulletin No6, 2010.
- The survey result minimum standard should be 40% of 16m² plots stocked.
- If the coupe fails to reach minimum ecological standards, it will have remedial treatment operations applied.
- Survey to be organised, undertaken and completed by FORESTRY TASMANIA – North East Region by (date): 31/08/2020.

F - MANAGEMENT OF FUELS, OILS, RUBBISH AND EMISSIONS

Use of fuels, oils etc

- Equipment will be maintained so that fuel leaks are minimised.
- Fuel, grease and oils will be stored in a location where any inadvertent leaks will not enter watercourses, swamps or other still waters either directly or indirectly.
- Any spills will be contained as soon as possible.
- FT Environmental Management System (EMS) Emergency Response Procedures, *Spill Control – Fuel and Oils* will be strictly adhered to.

Rubbish

- Trade waste such as oily wastes, fuel and oil drums, filters and oily rags, wire ropes, expired mechanical parts will be regularly removed as they are generated or emptied to a collection depot

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suitable for receiving hazardous wastes.

- All other rubbish of a domestic nature e.g. plastic food wrappings, cordial bottles/cans, smoke packets etc., will be removed regularly to a collection depot or transfer station or recycled if appropriate.

Emissions

- No special prescriptions required.

Forest Practices Officer (Planning)

Certified by (signature):..... [Redacted Signature] Date: 01/12/2015

Name: [Redacted Name]

Pursuant to a delegation from the Forest Practices Authority under section 43 of the *Forest Practices Act 1985*.

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**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PERSONS/ORGANISATIONS IN RELATION TO
FOREST PRACTICES PLAN No PWJ0217**

1. Landowners consent

I am the owner of the land or the authorised agent of the owner of the land referred to in the attached Forest Practices Plan No. **PWJ0217** and have given my approval for the plan to be submitted to the Forest Practices Authority for certification under section 19 of the *Forest Practices Act 1985*. I understand that, under section 25C of the *Private Forests Act 1994*, if I am a private landowner, I may be required to pay a levy to Private Forests Tasmania based on the net area of forest operations under the plan.

Name [REDACTED]
Company or other entity FORESTRY TASMANIA
Australian Business Number (ABN) 91628769359
Address PO BOX 126
SCOTTSDALE
Phone [REDACTED]
Signature [REDACTED]
Date 01-12-2015

Acknowledgement of applicant

I submit the attached Forest Practices Plan No. **PWJ0217** to the Forest Practices Authority and apply for its certification. I acknowledge that I understand the provisions of the plan, and that I am responsible for ensuring that the plan is complied with unless otherwise stated in the plan. I understand that I am responsible for the lodgment of interim compliance reports with the Forest Practices Authority within 30 days of the completion of each discrete operational phase* under the plan; and further, for the lodgment of a final compliance report with the Forest Practices Authority within 30 days of the expiry of the plan. I understand that under sections 18(4A) and 18(4B) of the *Forest Practices Act 1985*, I must pay a prescribed application fee at a time, and in a manner, determined by the Authority.

Name [REDACTED]
Company or other entity FORESTRY TASMANIA
Australian Business Number (ABN) 91628769359
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Date 01-12-2015

- *Discrete operational phases under this plan include (tick box against each forest practice proposed):
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Roading | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reforestation assessment (i.e. stocking survey) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tree fern harvesting | <input type="checkbox"/> Non commercial clearing (i.e. tree clearing; non-commercial thinning) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Timber harvesting | <input type="checkbox"/> Quarrying |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reforestation i.e. re-stocking land with trees) | |

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Initials of parties to the Plan: Landowner: [Signature] Applicant: [Signature] FPO: [Signature]
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