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Steve Gray
General Manager
HFN Forestry Limited Partnership
P.O. Box 200
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Dear Steve Gray:

Thank you for your October 1, 2010, submission of the Huu-ay-aht First Nation Community Forest 1 Management Plan. The submission has now been reviewed.

I am satisfied this proposed Management Plan has been prepared and submitted in accordance with the requirements for community forest management plans. Accordingly, I hereby approve this plan with your proposed Allowable Annual Cut (AAC) of 16,992 m³ per year.

I note that the inventory used to propose this AAC is from the Tree Farm License 44 Management Plan 4 inventory, which dates back to 2001. Recently, through discussion between your forestry staff and district staff, it was indicated that this inventory would be updated in the near future and once this inventory was available a new AAC would be proposed.

Yours truly,

Calvin Ross
Acting District Manager
South Island Forest District

pc: Neil Edwards, Tenures Forester, Coast Forest Region

