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TO: MEMBERS OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REVIEW OF THE MANAGED

FOREST LAND PROGRAM

FROM: Terry C. Anderson, Director

RE: Council Consideration of Committee Report

DATE: April 20, 2011

The Joint Legislative Council will be considering the report of the Special Committee on Review of the Managed Forest Land Program on *Wednesday, April 27, 2011, in Room 412 East (the Joint Finance Room), State Capitol, Madison.* The meeting is scheduled to begin at 8:30 a.m. An agenda is enclosed for your reference.

Senator Dale Schultz, Committee Chair, and Representative Fred Clark, Committee Vice-Chair, will present these materials previously sent to you:

- 1. **Proposed Report to the Legislature, No. 2011-02**, Legislation on Review of the Managed Forest Land Program.
 - 2. WLC: 0044/1, relating to leasing of managed forest land.
 - 3. **WLC: 0050/2**, relating to designation of additional managed forest land.
 - 4. **WLC: 0054/1**, relating to the taxation of managed forest land.
- 5. **WLC: 0056/1**, relating to modification of management plans for large ownerships of managed forest land and group enrollments, and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.
- 6. **WLC: 0061/1**, relating to creating forest enterprise areas, requiring the exercise of rule-making authority and making an appropriation.
- 7. **WLC: 0062/1**, relating to annual allowable timber harvests, modification of management plans for large ownerships of managed forest land and group enrollments, and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.



8. WLC: 0067/1, relating to the creation of a managed forest land board of review and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

This meeting of the Joint Legislative Council is to consider the recommendations of several Special Committees, including the Special Committee on Review of the Managed Forest Land Program. Traditionally, the Joint Legislative Council has not taken public testimony at their meetings. You are, of course, welcome to attend to observe the presentation. We are unable to reimburse Public Members for expenses since it is not a meeting of the Special Committee. We will notify you of the action taken by the Council on the Special Committee's recommendations.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Rachel Letzing or Scott Grosz at this office.

TCA:wu Enclosure