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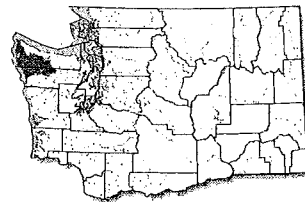
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May 28, 2002

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Mr. Jack A. Anderson
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Dear Mr. Anderson:

RE: Former Hoko River Logging Camp

Thank you for submitting the results of your independent remedial action for review by the State of Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology). Ecology appreciates your initiative in pursuing this administrative option under the Model Toxics Control Act (MTCA).

Ecology's Toxics Cleanup Program has reviewed the following information regarding the Rayonier Former Hoko River Logging Camp facility located at 116 Quillayute Road, Forks, WA:

1. Independent Cleanup Action, Former Hoko Logging Camp, Sekiu, WA dated October 22, 2001 by Landau Associates, Inc. along with the VCP application
2. Reconnaissance Sampling Results, Former Hoko Logging Camp, Forks, WA dated January 4, 2001 by Landau Associates, Inc.

The above listed reports will be kept in the Central Files of the Southwest Regional Office (SWRO) of Ecology for review by appointment only. Appointments can be made by calling the SWRO resource contact Sherri Greenup at (360) 407 - 6365.

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Based upon the above listed information Ecology has determined that, at this time, the release of diesel, and heavy oil into the soil no longer poses a threat to human health or the environment.

Therefore, Ecology is issuing this determination that no further remedial action is necessary at this site under MTCA, chapter 70.105D RCW. However, please note that because your actions were not conducted under a consent decree with Ecology, this letter is written pursuant to RCW 70.105D.030(1)(i) and does not constitute a settlement by the state under RCW 70.105D.040(4) and is not binding on Ecology.

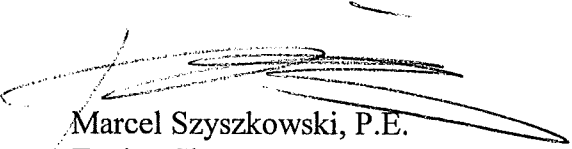
Ecology's no further action determination is made only with respect to the release identified in the Independent Cleanup Action, Former Hoko Logging Camp, Sekiu, WA dated October 22, 2001. This no further action determination applies only to the area of the property affected by the release identified in the report at 116 Quillayute Road, Forks, WA. It does not apply to any other release or potential release at the property, any other areas on the property, nor any other properties owned or operated by Rayonier.

Ecology will update its database to reflect this "No Further Action" determination. Your site will not appear in future publications of the Confirmed & Suspected Contaminated Sites Report (previously known as the Affected Media and Contaminants Report.)

The state, Ecology, and its officers and employees are immune from all liability and no cause of action of any nature may arise from any act or omission in providing this determination.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (360) 407-6363.

Sincerely,



Marcel Szyszkowski, P.E.
Toxics Cleanup Program
Southwest Regional Office

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CC: Brian Butler, Landau Associates, Inc.
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