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Comments: Protection ESSENTIAL for Tongass and Chugach National Forests

Dear Secretary Perdue,

We must maintain the No-Action Alternative for the Draft Environmental Impact Statement on the proposed Alaska Roadless Rule, Alternative #1.

PLEASE assure us that the federal Roadless Rule is kept intact and current protections REMAIN in place for national forests in Alaska.

ANY plans to reduce and remove protections from our national forest's roadless areas MUST BE STOPPED NOW.

The Roadless Rule preserves America's best fish and wildlife habitat, AND saves untold millions of taxpayer dollars that might otherwise be spent to subsidize money-losing timber sales.

The value of the Roadless Rule in preventing environmentally damaging and economically wasteful road-building and logging is particularly relevant in the Tongass, where logging costs vastly exceed timber revenues and require unconscionable taxpayer subsidies.

Sincerely,

Signed,

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