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Comments: I strongly support Alternative 3. I oppose any and all commercial harvest in old-growth forests,

including Alternative 2 and especially Alternative 4. Old growth forests are far too precious and scarce to allow logging and harvesting for commercial purposes. By allowing commercial harvest for "proactive stewardship," opportunity for exportation is created. Similar to needing a near-total ban on elephant ivory, allowing any old growth to end up in a lumber yard will result in exploitation of any policies seeking to limit harvesting. The necessary solution is to ban all commercial harvesting of old growth.