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RE: Border Town to California 120Kv Power Line SCH# 2014122075

If this project will occur on private land, the project will require a Timberland Conversion and Timber Harvest Plan as per the following:

California Code of Regulations, per section 1103, and Public Resources Code 4581 requires a Timberland Conversion Permit and/or Timber Harvest Plan be filed with the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection if the project involves the removal of a crop of trees of commercial species (regardless of size of trees or if trees are commercially harvested).

The Timberland Conversion Permit shall address the following:

- a. The decrease in timber base in the county as a result of the project.
- b. The cover type, including commercial species, density, age, and size composition affected by the project.
- c. The ground slopes and aspects of the area affected by the project.
- d. The soil types affected by the project.
- e. Any significant problems that may affect the conversion.

If you require further clarification, please contact Forester Jeff Dowling at (530) 587-8926.

Sincerely, George Morris III

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Jeff Dowling

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