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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal: Rockit Launch SWT Timber Sale #30-106713 and associated Forest Practice Application No. 2424161; more than 380 acres considered for harvest was reduced to 281 net acres consisting of nine small wood thinning units, and one right of way unit, removing approximately 1,806 MBF of merchantable timber. Road work associated with this proposal consists of 44,415 feet of required pre-haul maintenance, 3,405 feet of required abandonment, if constructed/reconstructed, 1,641 feet of optional construction, 1,764 feet of optional reconstruction, and 350 feet of optional pre-haul maintenance.

Proponent: Department of Natural Resources, State Lands

Location of proposal, including street address, if any:

This proposal is located in Sections 2, 3, and 4 in Township 14 North, Range 06 East, W.M., and Sections 28, 29, 33, and 36 in Township 15 North, Range 06 East, W.M. This proposal is located approximately 1 mile by road west of Ashford off State Route 706, within Lewis and Pierce Counties. See the associated Forest Practices Application and driving map.

Lead agency: Department of Natural Resources, State Lands

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21c.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

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[x] This DNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from November 5, 2024 Comments must be submitted by November 19, 2024.

Responsible official: Don Melton

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Date: 11/04/2024 Signature: Don Melton A

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