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FOREST ROAD AND TRAIL ACT PRIVATE ROAD EASEMENT

THIS EASEMENT, dated this Joth day of September, 1990, from the United States of America, acting by and through the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, hereinafter called Grantor, to LONGVIEW FIBRE COMPANY, a corporation of the State of Washington, and its contractors, assignees, and successors in interest, hereinafter collectively called Grantee.

## WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Grantee has applied for a grant of an easement under the Act of October 13, 1964 (78 Stat. 1089, 16 U.S.C. 532-538) for a road over certain lands owned by the United States in the County of Skamania, State of Washington, and administered by the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture.

NOW THEREFORE, Grantor, for and in consideration of reciprocal easements received by Grantor, does hereby grant to Grantee, its successors and assigns, and to successors in interest to any lands now owned or hereafter acquired by Grantee, subject to existing easements and valid rights, a perpetual easement for a road along and across a strip of land, over and across the following described lands in the County of Skamania, State of Washington:

Road No. 6808123

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sec. 6, Lots 1 and 2.

The location of said easement is shown on exhibit A attached hereto.

Said easement shall be 33 feet on each side of the center line with such additional width as required for accommodation and protection of cuts and fills. If the road is located substantially as described herein, the centerline of said road as constructed is hereby deemed accepted by Grantor and Grantee as the true centerline of the premises granted.

This grant is made subject to the following terms, provisions, and conditions applicable to Grantee:

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- A. Grantee shall comply with all applicable State and Federal laws, Executive Orders, and Federal rules and regulations, except that no future administrative rule or regulation shall reduce unreasonably the rights herein expressly granted.
- B. Grantee shall have the right to cut timber upon the premises to the extent necessary for constructing, reconstructing, and maintaining the road. Timber so cut shall, unless otherwise agreed to, be cut into logs of lengths specified by the timber owner and decked along the road for disposal by the Grantor.
- C. Grantee shall have the right to use the road on the easement without cost for all purposes deemed necessary or desirable by Grantee in connection with the protection, administration, management, and utilization of Grantee's lands and resources, now or hereafter owned or controlled.
- D. Upon the change of ownership of the Grantee's land served by this road, the rights granted under this easement can be transferred or assigned to the new owner upon written notification to the Regional Forester.
- E. The Grantee shall maintain the right-of-way clearing by means of chemicals only after the Regional Forester has given specific written approval. Application for such approval must be in writing and must specify the time, method, chemicals, and the exact portion of the right-of-way to be chemically treated.
- F. The Grantee shall provide maintenance so that damage will not result on adjacent National Forest land. Lead-off drainage and water barriers shall be constructed and maintained as necessary to prevent erosion.
- G. All construction or reconstruction of the road shall be in accordance with plans, specifications, and written stipulations approved by the Forest Supervisor prior to beginning such construction or reconstruction.
- H. The rights herein conveyed do not include the right to use the road for access to developments used for short-or long-term residential purposes, unless and until traffic control regulations, rules, and other provisions to accommodate such use of the road are agreed upon by the Grantor and Grantee.

The foregoing notwithstanding, this easement is granted subject to the following reservations by Grantor, for itself, its permittees, contractors, and assignees:

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- 1. The right to use the roads without cost for all purposes deemed necessary or desirable by Grantor in connection with the protection and administration of Grantor's lands or resources, now or hereafter owned or controlled, including the use for commercial hauling purposes for removal of timber cut in construction or maintenance of the road and other occasional incidental use.
- 2. The right alone to extend rights and privileges for use of the road constructed on the premises to other users provided that such users shall pay a fair share of the current replacement cost less depreciation of the road to the Grantee and to reconstruct the road as necessary to accommodate their use.
- 3. The Grantor retains the right to occupy and use the right-of-way and to issue or grant rights-of-way for land uses for other than road purposes, upon, over, under, and through the easement area provided that the occupancy and use do not interfere unreasonably with the rights granted herein.
- 4. The right to cross and recross the premises and road at any place by any reasonable means and for any purpose in such manner as does not interfere unreasonably with use of the road.
- The right to all timber now or hereafter growing on the premises, subject to Grantee's right to cut such timber as hereinbefore provided.
- 6. The right to terminate this easement if jurisdiction and control of the road are assumed by the Grantor as a Forest Development Road and issue a replacement easement providing for use of the road. At such time, the Grantor will pay its proportionate share of the current replacement cost less depreciation of the road to the Grantee as consideration for the termination of this easement. The replacement easement shall be in the current standard format that provides the Grantee the right to use the road for all purposes deemed necessary or desirable by Grantee in connection with the protection, administration, management, and utilization of Grantee's lands and resources served by this road, now or hereafter owned or controlled, subject to such traffic control regulations and rules as Grantor may reasonably impose upon or require of other users of the road without unreasonably reducing the rights herein granted.

The Chief, Forest Service, may terminate this easement, or any segment thereof, (1) by consent of the Grantee, (2) by condemnation, or (3) after a five (5) year period of nonuse, by a determination to cancel after notification and opportunity for hearing as prescribed by law; Provided, That the easement, or segment thereof, shall not be terminated for nonuse as long as the road, or segment thereof, is being preserved for prospective future use.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantor, by its <u>Auth Duritor of Junes</u>, Pacific Northwest Region, Forest Service, has executed this easement pursuant to the delegation of authority to the Chief, Forest Service, 7 CFR 2.42, and the delegation of authority by the Chief, Forest Service, dated August 22, 1984 (49 FR 34283) on the day and year first above written.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

NORMAN F. DAY
Acting Director of Lands
Pacific Northwest Region
Forest Service
Department of Agriculture

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF <u>Arlaou</u>)
county of <u>Multnomak</u>)

On the Josh day of Slate, personally appeared norman 1. News, acting histories of fands. Pacific Northwest Region, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, the same person who executed the within and foregoing instrument, who being by me duly sworn according to law, did say that he executed said instrument in behalf of the United States of America by its authority duly given and by him delivered as and for its act and deed. And he did further acknowledge that he executed said instrument as the free act and deed of the United States of America, for the purposes and considerations herein mentioned and set forth, and I do hereby so certify.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year above written.

Notary Public in and for the State of

Residing at Portland
My commission expires 8/3/91

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