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ASSESSOR'S CLASSIFICATION OF POREST LAND

Sec. 5, RCW Chapter 187, Laws of 1974 let Ex. Secs.

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Stevenson Rolzs c/o Rdytha Ray ADDRESS: 723 8 128th Sextile, Warb. 9/168

Description of Land to be Classified: 24 acres in Top. 1 No. Rg 5 Men described in Pools 55 Page 327

Beginning in 1975, the county assessor is directed by RCW Chapter 187 to assess and value as <u>CLASSIFIED FOREST LAND</u>, all lands of 20 or more acres which are primarily devoted to, and used for, the growing and bervesting of timber.

This land has been classified as forest land as of January 1, 1975 and will continue to be assessed as CLASSIFIED SCREET LAND until removal of such classification for one of the following reasons:

- (at Hetice from owner to remove classification;
- (b) Sale to an ownership making land exempt from taxation;
- (c) Determination by assessor that land is no longer primarily devoted to, and used for, growing and harvesting
- (d) Determination that a higher and better use exists for the land than greeing and harvesting timber.

Upon removal of this land as CLASSIFIED FOREST LAND, a compensating tax shall be supposed upon the land based upon the following formulary procedure:

	MULTIPLIED Last Levy Rate Extended Against Land	1	Compensating Fax

The compensating wax shall not be imposed if the removal and Ited solely from:

- (a) Transfer to government entity in exchange for other forest land;
- (b) A taking or transfer to entity having power of eminent domain;
- (c) Sale of la. . within two years after death of owner owning at least fifty percent (50%) imterest in the land.

IF YOU DO NOT WANT THIS LAND CLASSIFIED AS FOREST LAND, PLEASE NOTE:

If it is not your desire to have such land assessed and valued as classified for est land, you must give the assessor's office written notice thereof, on or before March 31, 1975. (See written notice below.)

If you have any questions regarding the classification of this land as forest land, please contact the county assessor's office.

Phone: 509-427-5633 Ext. 44

Annette Hatcheson

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NOTICE TO ASSESSOR

As owner(s) of the land described in this letter, I hereby indicate by signature that I do not desire to have this land classified as forest land by the assessor.

Owner(s) or Contract Purchaser(s):

THIS NOTICE MUST BE RETURNED TO THE ASSESSOR ON OR BEFORE MARCH 31, 1975.

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