

SECTION EIGHT
COMPLIANCE OF ACTS AND REGULATIONS

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DETAILED FOREST MANAGEMENT PLAN

TEXT REPORT



BLUE RIDGE LUMBER INC.
A SUBSIDIARY OF WEST FRASER MILLS LTD.

8 Compliance of Acts and Regulations

Blue Ridge Lumber has been very conscientious to ensure that all applicable rules and regulations are being met. The Company intends to conduct all operations within the letter of the law and to comply with all applicable Provincial and Federal Acts, Rules, and Regulations. The following is a list of those Acts and Regulations of primary concern:

- The Forests Act and Timber Management Regulation
- The Forest and Prairie Protection Act and Regulations
- The Wildlife (Alberta) Act and Regulations
- The Fisheries (Alberta) Act and Regulations
- Pesticide Sales, Handling, Use and Application Regulation
- The Historical Resources Act
- The Surface Rights Act and Regulations
- The Public Lands Act and Regulations
- The Water Resources Act and Regulations
- The Environmental Protection And Enhancement Act and Regulations
- The Motor Transport Act and Regulations
- The Worker's Compensation Act and Regulations
- The Canada Wildlife Act
- The Canadian Environmental Assessment Act
- The Canadian Environmental Protection Act
- The Fisheries Act (Canada)
- The Migratory Birds Convention Act
- The Navigable Waters Protection Act
- Occupational Health and Safety Act
- The Weed Control Act

The Company is continuously striving to meet compliance of Acts and Regulations and to improve communication by proper training of employees and contractors, regular safety meetings, supervision of operators, contractor performance meetings, and quarterly review meetings with Alberta Sustainable Resource Development.

8.1 Natural ReSource (MediaLogic Inc.)

Blue Ridge Lumber subscribes to the newest regulatory information management system called *Natural ReSource* which is available from Specialized Communications Incorporated (MediaLogic Inc.) of Calgary. Natural.Re.Source is an Internet database that captures all of the legislative, policy and regulatory requirements for western Canada. This comprehensive database provides a library of all the documents you would require to stay in compliance with the energy, environment and forestry sectors. Since Natural.Re.Source's inception in 1996 it has been the #1 tool for companies to stay in regulatory compliance. There are over 7000 documents, covering the jurisdictions of Alberta, Saskatchewan, British Columbia and Federal, which are housed in the Natural.Re.Source database. An entire inventory of acts, regulations and key board level policy documents are housed in a single searchable location.

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