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RE: February - March 2016 Progress Report
Stimson Lumber Company, Bonner Cooling Pond Removal Project
Administrative Order on Consent, Docket No. SF-10-0001

Messrs. Large and Martin:

Pursuant to Section 81A of the referenced Administrative Order on Consent (AOC), this letter is submitted on behalf of Stimson Lumber Company as a monthly progress report for the preceding period of February through March 2016.

Compressor Building: Excavations were started in early January on the Compressor Building. Confirmation sampling resulted in an expansion of the areas for removal, but all excavations have now been completed. Overburden stockpiles have also been cleared. However, there is some indication that removal of residual material may be needed on some of the haul roads. We are currently evaluating the latest haul road samples.

Respectfully Submitted,

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