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MEMORANDUM

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File No. 24-010901

TO: Clallam County Planning Director
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FROM: Tracy Cooper, SEPA Center

SUBJECT: **SEPA LEAD AGENCY & MITIGATED DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE**

This is to advise you that pursuant to WAC 197-11-900 (922 through 948), the Department of Natural Resources has determined that it is Lead Agency for the following:

Pistol Pete Sorts Timber Sale #104814 and Forest Practice Application #2618212 proposal encompasses approximately 240 gross acres, with a cruised volume of 3,687 MBF of timber, consisting of ten variable retention harvest units, one variable density thinning unit, and four right of way units, with a net harvest acreage of 149 acres. The proposal includes approximately 7,825 feet of new road construction, 2,145 feet of road reconstruction, and 23,005 feet of required pre-haul maintenance to meet access needs to the sale area. Located in Sections 23, 24, 36, Township 30 North, Range 05 West, Sections 30, 31, Township 30 North, Range 04 West, and Section 01, Township 29 North, Range 05 West, W.M., Clallam County.

Information about this proposal including the Threshold Determination, SEPA Checklist and Forest Practice Application can be accessed through DNR's website at:

<http://www.dnr.wa.gov/state-environmental-policy-act-sepa>

Pursuant to WAC 332-41-504, this proposal was filed in the department's SEPA Center at the Natural Resources Building, 1111 Washington Street SE, P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington, on **January 9, 2024**. We will consider comments on this proposed MDNS received by 4:30 p.m. on **January 23, 2024**. Comments should be submitted to the SEPA Center at, sepacenter@dnr.wa.gov or P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington 98504-7015 for distribution to the responsible official. Please include the file number listed above on all comments.