Department of Environment and Conservation Environmental Assessment Division

ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT BULLETIN

Honourable Clyde Jackman, Minister of Environment and Conservation, has announced the following event relative to Part 10 Environmental Assessment of the Environmental Protection Act.

UNDERTAKING REGISTERED:

Corner Brook Pulp and Paper District 17 (Northern Peninsula) Five Year Forest Operating Plan (08-12)

Proponent: Corner Brook Pulp and Paper (Reg. 1350)

The proponent proposes a five year forest operating plan for District 17 that outlines timber harvest plans, silviculture treatments and primary road locations. The projected harvest is approximately 357, 500 m³ of timber and 64 km of primary access roads are proposed for constructed.

The undertaking was registered on September 20, 2007; the deadline for public comments is October 26, 2007; and the Minister's decision is due by November 4, 2007.

Comments on submitted documents are invited from the public, addressed in writing to the Minister, prior to the deadline date shown.

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