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Hon Paul Harriss MLC

Chair

Legislative Council Select Committee on the Tasmanian Forests Agreement Bill 2012

By email: stuart.wright@parliament.tas.gov.au

Dear Mr Harriss

In response to the questions taken on notice from the Legislative Council Select Committee on the Tasmanian Forests Agreement Bill 2012, as detailed in your letter dated 22 January 2013, I am pleased to provide the following responses:


Further to the maps tabled as part of the Government's response to questions on notice today titled 'Future Reserve Land' and the Future Reserve land and Existing Reserves on Public Land', it would be appreciated if possible if you would provide a larger scale reproduction of map broken down into regional maps by tranche.

I am advised by DPIPWE that the maps required have been prepared and will be delivered separately from this letter and its attachment. I also understand that DPIPWE will be providing poster copies of the TWWHA Map C overlaying the proposed reserve classifications.

A flow chart outlining the Carbon Farming Initiative (CFI) under the Carbon Credits (Carbon farming Initiative) Act 2011 including an outline of the steps in the process and the implications of each of those stages.

The requested flowchart is attached and shows that the application of the Carbon Farming Initiative to prospective carbon projects is a complex process. Work is currently underway to understand the resources and processes that will be required to complete work described in the flowchart and this will inform subsequent advice to relevant Ministers.

Yours sincerely


Norm McIlfratrick
SECRETARY

30th January 2013

An Overview of CARBON FARMING INITIATIVE Steps Considered Material To a TASMANIAN FOREST AGREEMENT Based Project

Key Carbon Farming Initiatives (CFI) steps required for submitting a successful proposal

Implications and notes

