

CERTIFICATION

I, Marvin Brown, State Forester of the Oregon State Department of Forestry and Secretary of the Oregon State Board of Forestry do certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of the Resolution and Order of the Oregon State Board of Forestry made at its regular meeting held on March 5, 2008, which pertains to the decertification of certain state-owned forest lands under provisions of ORS 530.470.

Marvin Brown, Secretary

STATE OF OREGON)
) ss.
County of Marion)

Signed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 2008 by
Marvin Brown.

Notary Public for Oregon
My Commission expires: _____

**BEFORE THE OREGON
BOARD OF FORESTRY**

In the Matter of the Decertification) **ORDER**
of 653.54 Acres of Common School) RECLASSIFYING
Forest Lands) COMMON SCHOOL
FOREST LANDS

WHEREAS, ORS 530.460, 530.470 and 530.480 provide a process for identifying, certifying and decertifying Common School Forest Lands, which are primarily suited for growing timber and other forest products, provided the lands are defined by ORS 530.460; and

WHEREAS, by separate resolution each board is required to so designate and set aside such lands;

WHEREAS, ORS 530.470(2) states that any lands so designated and set aside may, at any time, be returned to their original status by similar actions of said agencies, if said lands are to be used for higher and better use for the general public, including the sale of said lands where lawful;

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the following described 653.54-acre parcel is better suited to be managed for other natural resource values rather than for timber management;

Tax Lots 300 and 301 of Section 16, Township 38 South, Range 8 West of the Willamette Meridian, Josephine County, Oregon.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND ORDERED by the Board of Forestry that the above-described parcel of forest land be decertified pursuant to ORS 530.470(2) and removed from management for the State Land Board by the State Forester.

The State Forester, as Secretary of this board, is hereby directed to send a copy of this Resolution and Order to the Director of the Department of State Lands.

Adopted by the Board of Forestry at its meeting on March 5, 2008.

State Board of Forestry

Marvin Brown, Secretary

Dated