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Henry E. (Gene) Kodama, State Forester

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Attached is the South Carolina BMP Courtesy Exam Log for February 2011. Twenty-seven sites were closed out during the month. One of these sites was found to be out of compliance with applicable BMPs, and no water quality impacts resulted from these forest operations.

Piedmont 2021 in Lexington County was rated Unacceptable in the category of Streamside Management Zones. This operation included skidding and rutting within an SMZ between a perennial stream and a property line. Additional stabilization was required to prevent water quality impacts.

On the courtesy exams completed this month BMP Foresters provided recommendations to assist with compliance on four sites, and requested additional action to achieve compliance on one site. BMPs were properly applied by those responsible on twenty-two sites reported this month.

Please contact the appropriate BMP Forester or me if you need further information concerning this report. I can be reached by phone at (803) 896-8593 and email at gsabin@forestry.state.sc.us. Thank you for your interest in our BMP program.

Sincerely,

Guy R. Sabin
Environmental Program Manager

Enclosure

Courtesy Exam Log for February 2011

SOUTH CAROLINA FORESTRY COMMISSION

Site Identification Number	County	Landowner Category	Forestry Operator	Road Systems	SMZs	Stream Crossings	Harvesting Systems	Site Preparation	Minor Drainage	Has NonCompliance w/ BMPs Resulted in In-Stream Impacts?
Coastal 1474	Orangeburg	NIPF<1000	A&H Logging	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1475	Hampton	NIPF>1000	Seckinger Forest Products	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1476	Dorchester	Industry	Gruber Wood, Inc.	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1477	Orangeburg	NIPF<1000	Carter Logging	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1478	Calhoun	NIPF<1000	Streamline Timber	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1479	Calhoun	NIPF<1000	Streamline Timber	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1480	Orangeburg	NIPF>1000	R&R Thinning	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2019	Richland	Industry	Leitzsey Construction	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2020	Richland	Industry	North Edisto Logging	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2021	Lexington	NIPF>1000	Hendrix Builders, Inc.	Accept.	U	N/A	Accept	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2022	Richland	Industry	Welch Land Clearing	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	No
Piedmont 2023	Cherokee	Industry	Foster Jackson & Sons	N/A	Accept.	Accept.	Accept	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2024	Chester	NIPF<1000	JMC Logging	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2025	Greenville	NIPF<1000	Pittman Logging	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2026	Greenville	NIPF<1000	Owens Logging	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2027	Laurens	NIPF<1000	Pulp Co	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2028	McCormick	NIPF>1000	Scott Timber	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2029	Greenville	NIPF<1000	Tony Price	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2111	Clarendon	NIPF<1000	Nole Boys Logging	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2112	Chesterfield	NIPF<1000	Hammond Landclearing	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2113	Lee	NIPF<1000	BLT Brothers, Inc.	Accept.	Accept.	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2114	Kershaw	NIPF<1000	Wilkes Logging, Inc.	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2115	Clarendon	NIPF<1000	Howard Timber Corporation	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2116	Florence	NIPF<1000	Owens Logging	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2117	Florence	NIPF<1000	Jimmy Witherspoon Jr., Inc	Accept.	Accept.	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2118	Florence	NIPF<1000	J & J Timber	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2119	Florence	NIPF<1000	Wencil Franklin Logging	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No