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TIMBER HARVESTING PERMIT APPLICATION
Per Section 250-6 and 250-87 of the Code of the Township of Pocopson

Note: Application shall be accompanied by the site plan, timber harvest plan, erosion and sediment control plan, insurance certificates, and permit fee. Please visit our website at www.pocopson.org (Go to Township Government, then Township Code to view codes over the internet) to review Timber Harvest Ordinance, Section 250-6, 250-87 of the Code of the Township of Pocopson.

Date of Application: _____

Timber Harvest Operator Name: _____

Timber Harvest Operator Business Name: _____

Timber Harvest Operator Business Address: _____

Business Phone: _____ Email: _____

Property Owner Name: _____

Property Owner Address of Record: _____

Property Owner Phone: _____ Email: _____

Address of Timber Harvest Site: _____

Tax Map No. of Property _____ - _____ - _____

Date of Timber Harvest Start: _____ Date of Timber Harvest End: _____

List roads being traveled within Pocopson Township by log trucks and distances on each road:



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Attach a narrative site plan containing the following:

- ___ Purpose of the proposed operation
- ___ Total land area involved in the proposed timber harvesting operation
- ___ Total number of trees selected for harvesting
- ___ Reforestation narrative outlining the revegetation of the landing areas and steep slope portions of skid roads
- ___ Chart indicating the quantity of trees, the range (dbh) and species of the trees selected for harvesting
- ___ Storm water control measures to be used, which shall include the best management practices for storm water control
- ___ Stream Crossings, wetland protection measures to be used, and reference to an approved DEP 105 Encroachment Permit
- ___ Statement that each tree to be removed has been designated by the consulting professional forester with paint or other distinctive means at two points so to be readily visible by the harvester. One point shall be low enough on the trees so as to be visible on the stump after tree is removed
- ___ Evidence of an approved Chester County Conservation District erosion and sedimentation control plan
- ___ Evidence of a timber harvest plan
- ___ In the event timbering or harvesting is incidental to a land development, the harvesting operation shall comply with and requirements established for the assurance of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit for said land development

Site Plan shall indicate the following:

- ___ Location Map
- ___ North arrow
- ___ Contours as shown on a USGS topographical map
- ___ Location of any pre-existing roads/right-of-way, easements, streams and property lines. It shall also include the location of proposed roads or access/egress cartways
- ___ Total acreage
- ___ Areas of trees to be harvested must be depicted
- ___ Shall be drawn on a scale not to exceed 1" equals 100' and shall indicate the following:
 - Name and address of landowner and the adjacent property owners
- ___ U.S.D.A. Soils Survey information, i.e. slope stability, erodibility, etc.



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Timber harvest plan, prepared by a professional forester hired by owner or logger, shall indicate the following:

- ___ Point of access onto public roadway(s) where aggregate entrance is to be placed. Log landing areas, stream crossing and logging trails
- ___ Areas of trees to be harvested must be designated by the Cutting Block phase numbers. The phase number shall depict the order of harvesting
- ___ Type and rate of seeding/mulching to be used and where it will be placed to stabilize the soil after harvesting operations

Erosion and sedimentation control shall be provided and include the following:

- ___ Chester County Conservation District's review comments

If required, have all Federal and State Permits been granted to log on this property?

- ___ Yes. If yes, attach copies of permits
- ___ No. If no, attach exemption information

In consideration of the permit fee tendered, I (We) will abide by all provisions of Section 250-6 and 250-87 of the Code of the Township of Pocopson. I (We) will return the ditches, road right-of-way, and driveway access area to original condition. Harvester is required to call Township and request inspections.

Property Owner/Harvester

Signature: _____

(If harvester signing application, proof shall be provided of permission from property owner.)

Signature of Authorized Individual of Logging Business (if different than above)

Date: _____ Time: _____



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VERIFICATION:

MARKING DATE: ____/____/____

PAINT COLOR: ____ORANGE ____PINK

CUTTING DATE: ____/____/____

NO. OF TREES MARKED _____

DIAMETER RANGE: _____IN.

ALL PERMITS EXPIRE 18 MONTHS FROM DATE OF ISSUE.

(Note: An extension can be granted one (1) time for a (6) six month period, when requested in a statement from the professional forester hired by the property owner or timber harvest operator.)

For Township Use Only:

Date: _____

This application is hereby () approved or () denied as noted: _____

Code Enforcement Officer Signature: _____

Timber Harvest Permit# _____ Tax Map No.: _____

Fee: \$150.00 Date Paid: _____ () Cash () Check # _____

Following items received:

- ____ Narrative Site Plan
- ____ Site Plan
- ____ Timber Harvest Plan
- ____ Erosion and Sediment Control Plan