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By Representatives Kristiansen, Blake, Linville, Schoesler, Hatfield, Eickmeyer and Orcutt

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1 AN ACT Relating to extending the expiration date for reporting  
2 requirements on timber purchases; amending RCW 84.33.088; and providing  
3 an expiration date.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 84.33.088 and 2001 c 320 s 16 are each amended to read  
6 as follows:

7 (1) A purchaser of privately owned timber in an amount in excess of  
8 two hundred thousand board feet in a voluntary sale made in the  
9 ordinary course of business shall, on or before the last day of the  
10 month following the purchase of the timber, report the particulars of  
11 the purchase to the department.

12 (2) The report required in subsection (1) of this section shall  
13 contain all information relevant to the value of the timber purchased  
14 including, but not limited to, the following, as applicable:  
15 Purchaser's name and address, sale date, termination date in sale  
16 agreement, total sale price, total acreage involved in the sale, net  
17 volume of timber purchased, legal description of the area involved in  
18 the sale, road construction or improvements required or completed,  
19 timber cruise data, and timber thinning data. A report may be

1 submitted in any reasonable form or, at the purchaser's option, by  
2 submitting relevant excerpts of the timber sales contract. A purchaser  
3 may comply by submitting the information in the following form:

- 4 Purchaser's name: . . . . .
- 5 Purchaser's address: . . . . .
- 6 Sale date: . . . . .
- 7 Termination date: . . . . .
- 8 Total sale price: . . . . .
- 9 Total acreage involved: . . . . .
- 10 Net volume of timber purchased: . . . . .
- 11 Legal description of sale area: . . . . .
- 12 Property improvements: . . . . .
- 13 Timber cruise data: . . . . .
- 14 Timber thinning data: . . . . .

15 (3) A purchaser of privately owned timber involved in a purchase  
16 described in subsection (1) of this section who fails to report a  
17 purchase as required may be liable for a penalty of two hundred fifty  
18 dollars for each failure to report, as determined by the department.

19 (4) This section expires July 1, ((2004)) 2007.

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