

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
RESOLUTION NO. 83-14  
CERTIFICATION OF U.S. FOREST SERVICE  
MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR MINIMIZATION  
OF SIDECASTING AND OBLITERATION OF  
TEMPORARY ROADS AS BEST MANAGEMENT  
PRACTICES

WHEREAS:

1. The State Water Resources Control Board is responsible for conducting Statewide Section 208 Planning in accordance with the Federal Water Pollution Control Act of 1972 and subsequent amendments, and
2. On August 16, 1979, the State Water Resources Control Board conditionally certified "Water Quality Management on U.S. Forest Lands" and other supporting information as best management practices for silvicultural activities on U.S. Forest Lands.
3. The State Water Resources Control Board designated the U.S. Forest Service as the management agency for National Forest System lands, effective upon execution of a Management Agency Agreement (MAA), and
4. State Board Executive Director has executed an MAA with the U.S. Forest Service which describes a prioritization and schedule for the development and updating of Best Management Practices, and
5. Pursuant to the MAA, the U.S. Forest Service has submitted Management Practices for "Minimization of Sidecasting" (2.11), "Obliteration of Temporary Roads" (2.26) and Pesticide Management Practices (5.8 - 5.14) for certification by the State Board.
6. The State Water Resources Control Board has reviewed the management practices for, "Minimization of Sidecasting" (2.11) and "Obliterations of Temporary Roads" (2.26) and found that they meet the criteria for 208 plan certification.
7. The State Water Resources Control Board has reviewed the Pesticide Management Practices (5.8 - 5.14) and finds that they are incomplete.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Board:

1. Certifies the U.S. Forest Service Management Practices for "Minimization of Sidecasting" (2.11) and "Obliteration of Temporary Roads" (2.26) as Best Management Practices for inclusion in the State's Areawide Treatment Management Plan, and
2. Withholds certification of the U.S. Forest Service Pesticide Management Practices (5.8 - 5.14) pending publication and incorporation of the referenced "Aerial Herbicide Application Handbook" into the Pesticide Management Practices.

3. Directs the Executive Director to transmit copies of the "Minimization of Sidecasting" (2.11) and "Obliteration of Temporary Roads" (2.26) Management Practices to EPA for its review and approval.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Executive Director of the State Water Resources Control Board, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on March 17, 1983.



Clint Whitney  
Executive Director