DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT - NOTIFICATION OF INTENT TO SAW OR CUT

In accordance with Chapter 12-15 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as amended, 1956; "Before any such person, firm, or corporation shall cut or saw…(s)he shall at least five (5) days prior to such cutting or sawing notify the Department of Environmental management on forms prepared by [the Division of Forest Environment], of the location of the area and/or property." This law pertains to all holdings of five (5) or more acres, or if the annual cut exceeds five thousand (5,000) board feet or twenty-five (25) cords in any one year.

The undersigned operator hereby notifies the Department of Environmental management that (s)he will cut or saw forest products on or after _____
Month/Day/Year

Operator's name: _____ Operator's signature: _____

Operator's telephone No. _____ Date of Application: _____ Registration No. _____

Location of Land (street address or pole number): _____

_____ Town: _____

Landowner's name: _____ Landowner's Signature _____

I have read the brochure: "Be a Smart Consumer – Call Before You Cut" YES_____ NO_____
NOTICE TO LANDOWNER: If you do not have a copy of the above brochure, but would like to obtain one, contact the Division of Forest Environment at the address below, or telephone the office at (401) 568-2013 and a free copy will be sent to you.

Landowner's Address: _____
(If different from property being cut or sawn)

Landowner's phone No. _____

NOTICE

Limited cutting or clearing of vegetation in freshwater wetlands must be done in accordance with Rules 6.01 and 6.02 of the State of Rhode Island, Department of Environmental Management Rules and Regulations Governing the Administration and Enforcement of the Freshwater Wetlands Act (Chapter 42-35 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as amended 1956); adopted April 1998.

Are wetlands present on the property to be cut or sawn? (YES) If yes, type of wetland: _____ (NO) (NOT SURE)

Approximate acreage to be cut or sawn: _____ Approximate Volume of wood product(s) to be removed

in thousand board feet (MBF) or cords: _____

mixed oaks: _____ white pine: _____ mixed hardwoods: _____ red pine _____ red maple: _____

other: _____

Instructions: *Print three* **(3)** *copies of filled form. Return three copies of form, along with a check or money order for twenty-five dollars* **($25.00)**, *payable to* **Division of Forest Environment**. *Completed forms and payments may be left in any Division of Forest Environment office or mailed to*:

RIDEM Forestry
260 Arcadia Road
Hope Valley, RI 02832

OR

RIDEM Forestry
235 Promenade Street
Providence, RI 02908

Incomplete, unclear, unsigned forms, or forms submitted without the twenty-five dollar ($25.00) fee will be returned.

Date Received: _____ Date Inspected: _____ Date Approved: _____

$25.00 fee received: (YES) (NO) Received by: _____ Check No. _____ **File No**. _____

Inspecting Officer's Signature: _____ Copy to Compliance and Inspection: (YES) (NO)

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