

NEW SECTION

WAC 244-12-100 HARDWOOD PROCESSORS QUARTERLY ASSESSMENT REPORT FORM.

**HARDWOOD PROCESSORS
QUARTERLY ASSESSMENT REPORT**

QUARTER YEAR

Processor Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax: _____

Prepared By: _____ Email Address: _____

QUARTERLY QUANTITY OF LOGS PROCESSED

Tons

Red Alder Logs: _____ PC Maple Logs: _____

Cottonwood/Poplar: _____ Other Hardwood: _____

Total Tons of Logs: _____

Assessment to be paid pursuant to WAC 244-12-050 and remitted with this report: \$ _____

I hereby certify that the information contained on this form is true, accurate, and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Title: _____

PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS PRODUCED

VOLUME

Kiln Dried hardwood Lumber	_____	BF
Green Hardwood Lumber	_____	BF
Hardwood Veneer	_____	SqF
Hardwood Log Export	_____	BF Scribner
Hardwood Chips	_____	Bone Dry Tons
Hardwood Firewood	_____	Cords
Other Hardwood Products (List)	_____	
_____	_____	
_____	_____	
_____	_____	

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*Upon receipt by the Commission, this information will be excised from the report form to ensure processor anonymity. This information will be used to compile aggregate industry volumes to determine the size and scope of various products.

Please forward report and Assessments to:

Washington Hardwoods Commission
c/o Office of Financial Management
PO Box 41465
Olympia, WA 98504-1465

WAC 244-12-030 DEFINITION OF TERMS. For the purpose of this order:

- (1) "Person" means any person, firm, association, or corporation.
- (2) (2) "Affected processor" means a person who processes hardwood logs of any species into (a) lumber, and/or construction timbers regardless of size manufactured to standard specifications suitable for end product use including cut-up stock, (b) chips suitable for pulp, paper, of other uses, (c) plywood, (d) veneer, (e) commercial firewood. An "affected processor" also means any person who processes hardwood logs of any species by remanufacture into other lengths or diameters, or reloads hardwood logs for shipment to destinations outside the state of Washington.

WAC 244-12-050 ASSESSMENTS AND COLLECTIONS

(1) The assessment shall be based upon the following schedule:

<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>Quarterly Production (M) Tons</u>	<u>Quarterly Assessment</u>	<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>Quarterly Production (M) Tons</u>	<u>Quarterly Assessment</u>
1	5 to 7.5	\$ 150	9	125 to 175	\$ 4,500
2	7.5 to 15	\$ 300	10	175 to 250	\$ 6,000
3	15 to 25	\$ 600	11	250 to 350	\$ 9,000
4	25 to 35	\$ 900	12	350 to 450	\$ 12,000
5	35 to 45	\$ 1,200	13	450 to 625	\$ 15,000
6	45 to 62.5	\$ 1,500	14	625 to 875	\$ 22,500
7	62.5 to 82.5	\$ 2,250	15	875 to 1125	\$ 30,000
8	82.5 to 125	\$ 3,000	16	Over 1125	\$ 35,000

- (2) For purposes of determining the appropriate production category, the following equivalent will apply.
 - (a) One ton of logs, scaled weight, input for a processor equals one ton of production; or
 - (b) One thousand board feet, Scribner scale, input for a processor equals 7.25 tons of production.
- (3) Processors who produce less than five thousand tons of hardwood products in a calendar quarter will not be assessed.
- (4) Assessment shall be paid to the Commission according to the levy schedule in subsection (1) of this section.

AMENDATORY SECTION

- (1) Effective July 1, 1993, each affected processor, and each person who has been an affected processor during one or more of the preceding four quarters, shall, on a quarterly basis, complete and submit to the Commission a hardwood processor's quarterly assessment report form, as set forth in WAC 244-12-100.
- (2) Each affected processor levied a quarterly assessment pursuant to RCS 15.74.060 and WAC 244-12-020 shall remit said assessment to the Commission on a quarterly basis, along with the affected processor's quarterly assessment report.
- (3) Quarterly assessments and quarterly assessment reports required by this section are due to the Commission within forty-five days after the end of the quarter.