



**ORDER – Wildlife Habitat Areas # 1-033, 1-034 and 1-040**

**Marbled Murrelet WHAs in the South Island Forest District**

This order is given under the authority of sections 9(2) and 10(1) of the *Government Actions Regulation* (B.C. Reg. 582/04).

The Deputy Minister of Environment orders that:

1. the wildlife habitat areas shown in the map set out in the attached Schedule A's (1-033, 1-034 & 1-040) and boundaries contained in the GIS file *twha\_bc* are established;
2. the wildlife habitat areas in the attached Schedule As and boundaries contained in the GIS file *twha\_bc* are established for Marbled Murrelet (*Brachyramphus marmoratus*);
3. the general wildlife measures outlined in Schedule 1 are established for the wildlife habitat areas in the attached Schedule As and boundaries contained in the GIS file *twha\_bc*;
4. for the purposes of section 2(3)(a) of the *Government Actions Regulation*, these General Wildlife Measures apply to minor tenures; and
5. where there is discrepancy between the wildlife habitat area boundaries as shown in the attached Schedule As and the GIS file *twha\_bc*, the boundaries as detailed in the GIS file will take precedent. The centre point of the line on the map denoting the wildlife habitat area is what establishes the boundary.

## Schedule 1 – General Wildlife Measures

### *Access*

- Do not construct or widen roads unless the Minister of Environment or delegate is satisfied there is no other practicable option and approves an exemption.

### *Harvesting and Silviculture*


- Do not harvest timber except for salvage or traditional aboriginal purposes when the Minister of Environment or delegate approves an exemption.

### *Pesticides*

- Do not use pesticides unless an exemption is approved by the Minister of Environment or delegate.

### *Recreation*

- Do not develop recreational structures, trails or facilities.

  
Signed this 4<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2006  
Chris Trumpy, Deputy Minister  
Ministry of Environment