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**ORDER – Wildlife Habitat Areas # 1-085 to 1-088 and 1-090 to 1-096**

The following order applies to the areas shown in the maps set out in the attached Schedules A and takes effect on the 1 day of Dec, 2004.

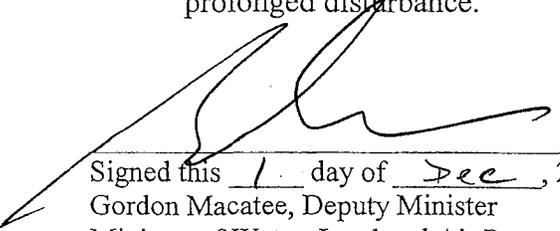
This order is given under the authority of sections 9(2) and 10(1) of the *Government Actions Regulation* (B.C. Reg. 17/04) and section 7(3) of the *Forest Planning and Practices Regulation* (B.C. Reg. 14/04).

The Deputy Minister of Water, Land and Air Protection orders that:

1. the wildlife habitat areas shown in the maps set out in the attached Schedules A (# 1-085 to 1-088 and 1-090 to 1-096) are established;
2. the wildlife habitat areas in the attached Schedules A are established for Queen Charlotte Goshawks (*Accipiter gentiles laingi*); and
3. the general wildlife measures outlined in Schedule 1 are established for the wildlife habitat areas in the attached Schedules A
4. pursuant to section 7(3) of the *Forest Planning and Practices Regulation* the person(s) required to prepare a forest stewardship plan are hereby exempted from the obligation to prepare results or strategies in relation to the objective set out in section 7(1) of the *Forest Planning and Practices Regulation* for Queen Charlotte Goshawk in the Campbell River Forest District.

**Schedule 1 – General Wildlife Measures**

1. *Access*
  - Do not construct roads within WHA unless an exemption is approved by the designated decision maker.
2. *Harvesting and Silviculture*
  - Do not harvest timber or salvage (e.g., cedar) except for traditional aboriginal purposes when an exemption is approved by the designated decision maker.
  - Do not commercial thin, cedar-shake harvest or salal harvest within WHA unless the designated decision maker approves an exemption or harvest of these items is for traditional aboriginal purposes.
3. *Additional Management Considerations:*
  - Minimize disturbance when working adjacent to a WHA between 15 February and 1 September. In general, avoid blasting, road construction, helicopter activity and other prolonged disturbance.



Signed this 1 day of Dec, 2004  
Gordon Macatee, Deputy Minister  
Ministry of Water, Land and Air Protection