

**UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT (BLM)  
5450-6**

Contract No.: OR134-TS-2022-0001

Sale Name: Palmer Mtn

Issuing Office: Wenatchee F.O.

**EXHIBIT B  
SCALE SALE**

**PURCHASE PRICE SCHEDULE AND MEASUREMENT SPECIFICATIONS**

**I. Total Actual Purchase Price** - In accordance with Section 3.(d). of the contract, the Purchaser agrees to pay the Government for the timber sold under the contract in accordance with the following schedule and measurement requirements. Timber sold is comprised of Merchantable Timber, Merchantable Timber Remaining, and Other Timber as defined below. In the event an Extension of Time is approved, the prices per measurement unit are subject to readjustment (refer to Section 9 of the contract).

Schedule of Species, Measurement Units, and Prices			
Species	Measurement Unit	Price Per Measurement Unit (MBF)	Price Per Measurement Unit (Tons)
Merchantable logs - Douglas-fir & Western Larch	1,015 MBF	49.14	8.48
Ponderosa Pine	62 MBF	49.14	8.48
Biomass and Utility logs	MBF	Not Applicable	1.00

**II. Merchantable Timber** - All timber which can be cut into logs, which equal or exceed the following specifications, shall be considered merchantable timber. Purchaser shall pay for same in accordance with Sec. 3 of the contract at the unit prices shown in Section I of this Exhibit.

Schedule of Minimum Material Specifications			
Species and Products	Length	Diameter (inside bark at small end)	Net Scale
All Species	8 feet	5 inches	33 1/3% of gross volume of any log segment or 10 bf.

**III. Merchantable Timber Remaining - Measurement Requirements** - The remaining volume of any merchantable sold timber on the contract area shall be determined as provided in Section 3.(e). of the contract. Purchaser shall pay for same in accordance with Sec. 3 of the contract at the unit prices shown in Section I of this Exhibit.

**IV. Scaling**

**A. Log Rule and Measurement** - All logs shall be scaled according to the Northwest Log Rules Eastside Log Scaling Handbook, as amended, or supplemented by BLM before the first advertisement date of the sale. A

Scaling Authorization Form (OR 5300-18) must be completed prior to beginning of operations. If sample log scaling is agreeable to Purchaser and the Contracting Officer, the procedures will be agreed upon in writing regarding sample design, number of log sorts, expansion of sample volumes for computation of Merchantable Timber volume, etc.

**B. Scaling Service** - Log scaling services shall be provided and performed by BLM personnel or parties under contract to BLM.

1. All logs shall be scaled and volumes determined by BLM or a certified contract scaler.

2. The BLM scaler or contract scaler is designated to collect Eastside MBF scale data from all loads.

**C. Other Timber** - If any timber is of a species or size not listed in Section II of this Exhibit (above) or is of a quality different from merchantable timber described herein, the Authorized Officer shall establish volumes and values in accord with Standard BLM methods.

**D. Defect Caused by Abnormal Delay** - Scaling deductions made for rot, check or other defect resulting from abnormal delay in scaling caused by Purchaser shall be recorded separately and charged to the Purchaser in accordance with Section 3. of the contract.

**E. Log Presentation** - Purchaser shall present logs so that they may be scaled in an economical and safe manner in accordance with the Memorandum(s) of Agreement for Yard Scaling required in Section IV.G.5. of this Exhibit.

**F. Check Scale** - The Government will conduct check scales as set forth in the following section.

Normally a check scale includes at least 200 short logs (20 feet or less) or at least 100 multiple-segment logs. Sample the species and defect situation as fairly as possible. Individually analyze more complex scaling situations and increase the number of logs check scaled if necessary.

The following standards will be used to determine the proficiency of individual scalers.

Gross Scale. A variance of one percent in gross scale is the standard unless otherwise justified.

Net scale. The allowable variance is as follows:

Check scaler's percent defect in logs	Scalers allowable variance
0-10 percent	2 percent
over 10 percent	.2 x percent defect to a maximum of 5 percent

Determinations as to volume of timber made by a government check scaler in conformance with the standards as set forth herein shall be final. All loads check scaled by BLM will be identified with the check scaler's initials legibly marked or painted in the face of the first

log in each load. When such checks show a variance in scale in excess of acceptable standards, in two or more consecutive check scales, an adjustment to the volume reported as scaled will be made by BLM. Such adjustments will be made based on the difference between available BLM check scales and the original scale during the period covered by the unsatisfactory check scales. Unless otherwise approved in writing by the Authorized Officer, the volume to which this difference will be applied will be 50 percent of the volume scaled between the last satisfactory check and the first unsatisfactory check, 100 percent of the volume scaled during the unsatisfactory check, and 50 percent of the volume between the last unsatisfactory check scale and the next satisfactory check scale.

#### **G. Accountability**

1. Purchaser shall notify the Authorized Officer three (3) days prior to starting or stopping of hauling operations performed under the contract.

2. All logs will be painted and branded at the landing and accounted for in accordance with Sec. 41(A)(1) of the contract. Each truck driver shall obtain a load receipt and a BLM scaler receipt from the Log Truck Ticket Book issued by the Authorized Officer and comply with the instructions specified on the cover of said book. While products are in transit, the truck driver shall display the load receipt and BLM scaler receipt on the bunk or wing log at the front of the load on the driver's side. All logs on each load shall be delivered to the destination listed on the woods receipt. The BLM scaler receipt shall be surrendered at the location of BLM scaling, the unloading location, or as requested by BLM.

3. The Purchaser shall not haul logs from the contract area on weekends; Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's holidays; or outside the hours of 4:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. daily, unless otherwise approved in writing by the Authorized Officer or designated in the Approved Logging Plan (Refer to Section 41 (B.10) of the contract).

4. The Purchaser shall furnish BLM a map showing the route which shall be used to haul logs from the timber sale area to the scaling location. Such route shall be the most direct haul route between the two points, unless another route is approved by BLM. The route of haul may be changed only with advance notice to and approval by BLM. The haul route map shall be attached to the Approved Logging Plan.

5. All loads will be scaled at scale locations listed on the Scaling Authorization (Form OR 5300-18) as approved by the Authorized Officer. The Purchaser shall ensure that all scale site owners listed on the Scaling Authorization enter into a Memorandum of Agreement for Yard Scaling before requesting BLM approval of the Scaling Authorization. Areas for scaling BLM logs will be designated on the ground and identified on the yard map as required in the Memorandum(s) of Agreement for Yard Scaling.

6. Any removal of logs from loaded trucks before being accounted for and/or scaled as required by the contract shall be considered

a willful trespass and render the Purchaser liable for damages under applicable law. Any payment made for purchase of such logs shall be deducted from amount due because of trespass.

**H. Scaling Lost Products** - The value of lost loads shall be equal to the highest value load for the month in which the lost load is hauled regardless of where the highest value load is scaled. If no loads have been scaled in that month, value will be determined from the closest month in which loads were scaled.

**V. Estimated Volumes and Values** - The following volume estimates and calculations of value of timber sold are made solely as an administrative aid for determining payment amounts, when payments are due, the value of timber subject to any special bonding provisions, and other purposes specified in various portions of the contract. The cutting areas are shown on Exhibit A of the contract.

**A. Merchantable Timber Volume Removed from Contract Area** - The total volume of removed timber shall be determined using the Government's records of scaled volumes of timber skidded or yarded monthly, or a shorter period if agreed to by the Purchaser and Government, to loading points or removed from the contract area.

**B. Merchantable Timber Not Yet Removed from Contract Area** - The value of merchantable timber which has not been removed will be determined by multiplying the value per acre as shown below times the amount of acreage subject to the purpose of the value determination, as determined by the Authorized Officer:

Total Estimated Purchase Price And/Or Schedule of Volumes and Values for Merchantable Timber Not Yet Removed from Contract Area					
Cutting Area		Total Estimated Volume (MBF)		Total Estimated Purchase Price	
Cutting Area Number	Approximate Number of Acres	Volume per Acre	Total Volume (MBF)	Value per Acre	Total Value
1	88.0	6375	561	313.27	27,567.54
2	11.0	6363	70	312.71	3,439.80
3	70.0	6371	446	313.10	21,916.44
Sale Totals	169		1077		\$52,920.00*

- Difference between total, and total purchaser bid price is a result of rounding.

OVERNIGHT LOAD CONTROL RECORD	
Log Delivery Location	
Timber Sale	
1	Time and Date Load Delivered
2	Truck Name
3	Load Receipt No.
4	Number of Logs
5	Signature of Person Receiving the Load
6	Date and Time Load Released
7	Signature of Person Releasing the Load

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Instructions:

1. Designated individual fills out the heading and lines 1 through 5 (including FULL SIGNATURE in ink on line 5.)
2. Contractor or BLM scaler will fill out lines 6 and 7 (including FULL SIGNATURE in ink) when loads are released for scaling, otherwise the BLM and/or yard owner will be required to sign.
3. Unless otherwise agreed, scaler will attach this form to the Load Receipt.

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