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RE: Your Letter of March 12, 2008

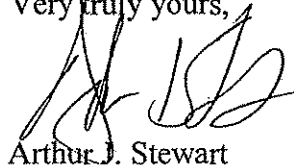
Dear Ms. Marten:

I apologize for my delay in responding to your letter of March 12, 2008; I was on a trip with my children during their spring break.

Your letter of March 12, 2008, does not accept my request for a meeting. That is unfortunate as I think there remain other logical ways to market the timber at its fair market value. However, we will make our best effort to work within the confines you have dictated. Specifically, we will begin by cutting the timber on Warrant 3672. As I indicated in my letter of March 5, 2008, Warrant 3672 poses fewer physical difficulties than does Lot 8.

Since you have indicated you will not be removing the timber within the 30 days requested in my letter of March 5, 2008, there is no reason for Duhring to delay the cutting of the timber. At the beginning of the month I made tentative contact with a contractor who has the necessary skill and equipment. I telephoned him this morning, and I believe he can begin next Monday (March 31, 2008). I will be meeting with that contractor, tomorrow, to firm up plans.

Very truly yours,



Arthur J. Stewart

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c: Mr. Anthony Scardina by facsimile
Mr. Robert Fallon by facsimile