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To: All Branch Directors
All Regional Managers
All District Managers

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**Re: Requirements for Consistency between Forest Development Plans and
Higher Level Plans**

A new Forest Practices Code General Bulletin (No. 25), titled as above, has just been completed. This bulletin explains how forest development plans are affected when a higher level plan (HLP) is established and put into effect. It also explains how current forest development plans transition into compliance with an HLP over time and identifies exceptions to the requirement for consistency.



This bulletin may be useful to operations personnel that have or will soon have an HLP established over areas subject to FDPs.

Copies of the bulletin can be viewed or downloaded from the following internal ministry websites:

Compliance & Enforcement Branch

http://wwwinternal.for.gov.bc.ca/enforce/code_imp/

Resource Tenures & Engineering Branch

<http://wwwinternal.for.gov.bc.ca/RTE/timten/fpc.htm>

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If you have any questions, please direct them to the contact people listed at the end of the bulletin.

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