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State of Minnesota, Department of Natural Resources

500 Lafayette Rd., St. Paul, MN 55155-4044, United States

This operation meets all of the necessary qualifications to be certified for the following claim:

Well Managed Natural Forest Certification

The State of Minnesota, Department of Natural Resources has been shown to meet all of the necessary qualifications to be certified as a Well-Managed Natural Forest in accordance with the Forest Stewardship Council's® Principles & Criteria, as elaborated by the FSC-US Forest Management Standard V1-0, SCS COC Indicators for FMEs V8-0, FSC-STD-50-001 V2-0.

For the following product(s):

Logs/wood in the rough and wood in chips or particles of the species listed.

Certificate Code: SCS-FM/COC-00088N

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Valid from: 31 December 2021 Expiry date: 30 December 2026

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Species List

Pinaceae (pine family)

- Eastern White Pine (*Pinus strobus*); Red Pine or Norway Pine (*Pinus resinosa*); Jack Pine (*Pinus banksiana*); Black Spruce (*Picea mariana*); White Spruce (*Picea glauca*); Tamarack Larch (*Larix laricina*); Balsam Fir (*Abies balsamea*); Eastern Hemlock (*Tsuga canadensis*)

Cupressaceae (cypress family)

- Eastern Arborvitae (*Thuja occidentalis*); Eastern Juniper (*Juniperus virginiana*)

Salicaceae (willow family)

- Quaking Aspen (*Populus tremuloides*); Big-tooth Aspen (*Populus grandidentata*); Ontario Balsam Poplar (*Populus balsamifera*); Eastern Cottonwood (*Populus deltoides*); Black Willow (*Salix nigra*); Peachleaf Willow (*Salix amygdaloides*)

Juglandaceae (walnut family)

- Black Walnut (*Juglans nigra*); Bitternut (*Juglans cinerea*); Shagbark Hickory (*Carya ovata*); Bitternut Hickory (*Carya cordiformis*)

Betulaceae (birch family)

- Paper Birch (*Betula papyrifera*); Yellow Birch (*Betula alleghaniensis*); River Birch (*Betula nigra*); American Hornbeam (*Carpinus caroliniana*); Ironwood (*Ostrya virginiana*)

Fagaceae (beech family)

- White oak (*Quercus alba*); Bur oak (*Quercus macrocarpa*); Swamp white oak (*Quercus bicolor*); Chestnut oak (*Quercus prinus*); Chinkapin oak (*Quercus muhlenbergii*); Cottonwood (*Populus Deltoides* var. *occidentalis*); Northern red oak (*Quercus rubra*); Black oak (*Quercus velutina*); Northern pin oak (*Quercus ellipsoidalis*)

Ulmaceae (elm family)

- Hackberry (*Celtis occidentalis*); American Elm (*Ulmus americana*); Slippery Elm (*Ulmus rubra*); Rock Elm (*Ulmus thomasii*)

Moraceae (mulberry family)

- Red Mulberry (*Morus rubra*)

Rosaceae (rose family)

- American mountain ash (*Sorbus americana*); Black Cherry (*Prunus serotina*); Pin cherry (*Prunus pensylvanica*)

Fabaceae (pea family)

- Honey locust (*Gleditsia triacanthos*); Kentucky coffeetree (*Gymnocladus dioica*)

Sapindaceae (soapberry family)

- Sugar Maple (*Acer saccharum*); Black Maple (*Acer nigrum*); Silver Maple (*Acer saccharinum*); Red Maple (*Acer rubrum*); Boxelder (*Acer negundo*)

Malvaceae (mallow family)

- Basswood (*Tilia americana*)

Oleaceae (olive family)

- White Ash (*Fraxinus americana*); Black Ash (*Fraxinus nigra*); Green Ash also "Red Ash" (*Fraxinus pennsylvanica*)



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