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Dear Sir or Madam:

Attached is the South Carolina BMP Courtesy Exam Log for January 2013. Twenty-two sites were closed out during the month. One of these sites was found to be out of compliance with applicable BMPs and likely water quality impacts resulted from this forest operation.

Piedmont 2187 was a clearcut harvest in Cherokee County rated Unacceptable in the category of Harvesting Systems due to inadequate stream crossings and failure to minimize crossings on an intermittent stream.

For the remaining sites reported this month, BMPs were properly applied by those responsible on thirteen sites, BMP Foresters provided recommendations to assist with compliance on six sites, and requested additional action to achieve compliance on two sites.

Please contact the appropriate BMP Forester or me if you need further information concerning this report. I can be reached by phone at (803) 896-8593 and email at [gsabin@forestry.state.sc.us](mailto:gsabin@forestry.state.sc.us). Thank you for your interest in our BMP program.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Guy R. Sabin".

Guy R. Sabin  
Environmental Program Manager

Enclosure

## Courtesy Exam Log for January 2013

SOUTH CAROLINA FORESTRY COMMISSION

Site Identification Number	County	Landowner Category	Forestry Operator	Road Systems	SMZs	Stream Crossings	Harvesting Systems	Site Preparation	Minor Drainage	Has NonCompliance w/ BMPs Resulted in In-Stream Impacts?
Coastal 1638	Orangeburg	Industry	Lowcountry Timber	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1639	Barnwell	NIPF<1000	Honey Hill Timber Co., Inc	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1640	Jasper	NIPF<1000	Bowers Timber Company, LLC	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1641	Colleton	NIPF<1000	Brandt Logging, Inc.	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1642	Jasper	NIPF>1000	Smith Logging of Grays, SC	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1643	Hampton	Industry	Gordon Logging Co., Inc.	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1644	Berkeley	Public	Smith Logging, Inc.	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1645	Orangeburg	NIPF<1000	K&W Logging	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1646	Bamberg	NIPF<1000	Backwoods Logging	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Coastal 1647	Colleton	Industry	Gruber Wood, Inc.	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2220	Dillon	NIPF<1000	Nolan Logging	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2221	Dillon	NIPF<1000	Nolan Logging	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Pee Dee 2222	Dillon	NIPF<1000	Nolan Logging	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2179	Cherokee	NIPF<1000	Gossnell's Logging	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2180	Cherokee	NIPF<1000	Noble Capps Logging	Accept.	Accept.	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2181	Laurens	NIPF<1000	W&W Logging	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2182	Newberry	NIPF<1000	Harmon Pulpwood	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2183	Newberry	NIPF<1000	Sligh Construction Co.	Accept.	Accept.	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2184	York	Industry	L. Peoples Logging	Accept.	N/A	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2185	York	NIPF<1000	Falls Logging	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2186	Union	NIPF<1000	Thompson Logging	Accept.	Accept.	Accept.	Accept.	N/A	N/A	No
Piedmont 2187	Cherokee	NIPF<1000	Gossnell's Logging	Accept.	Accept.	Accept.	U	N/A	N/A	Yes