

EXTENSIONS

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The three-year effective period of a THP may be extended by amendment for an additional one-year period, up to a maximum of two one-year extensions, when all of the following requirements are met:

- Timber operations as described in a plan have been started but cannot be completed within the possible three-year effective period for a plan.
- Timber operations are in compliance with the FPA and rules at the time of filing of an extension request with CDF.
- The extension request may only apply to an area covered by a plan for which a completion report has not been submitted to CDF.
- The request for an extension by the plan submitter provides at least the following information:
 - 1) An agreement to comply with the rules and the act as they exist on the date the extension is requested.
 - 2) The area is clearly shown for which an extension is needed.
 - 3) Good cause is shown for the need for an extension, including the circumstances which prevented timely completion of the work described in the plan.
 - 4) The request for an extension is submitted no sooner than 30 days, but at least 10 days, before the expiration date of the plan.

In addition, CDF will normally construe a request for an extension as a "minor deviation" if the request is for nothing more than a time extension and the information provided with the request allows the Director to determine that the requirements of the act and rules have been met.

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