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Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources
Measure: SB90

Dear Senate Natural Resources Committee,
I appreciate the ability to write in support of SB 90. I have been concerned for years that the management of our state forest lands has emphasized logging at the cost of our forest health. I feel it is time to reconsider and discuss a balance that includes forest and habitat preservation in addition to logging. I have spent many days in the Tillamook forest and have been especially concerned with steep slope clear cutting and stream bank margins that appear too small. I know there have been a number of management proposals put forth, and codifying an intention to discuss best forest practices would be a good service to our state.

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