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In my previously submitted testimony I neglected to address the portion of the Bill that would eliminate OFRI. I would like to add that I believe OFRI has been the best source of sound forestry information for the public available. The publications they offer are well researched and well presented. The. workshops and presentations are sound and helpful to those seeking understanding of forestry issues from basic identification of plants and wildlife to management considerations. It would truly be a shame to lose such a resource.