

MILWAUKIE PLYWOOD CORPORATION

MANUFACTURERS OF DOUGLAS FIR PLYWOOD

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Hon. Wayne Morse, U.S.S.,
Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

My Dear Senator:

Please incorporate our statement into the records for the hearing on log exporting problems.

Our employment rolls cover approximately 220 steady employees with an annual payroll of over \$1,000,000.00.

We have been in business as Milwaukie Plywood Corporation over fifteen years, with 95% of our raw material coming from Federal lands.

The export demands have escalated the price of logs to levels that makes it almost impossible for us to compete in the timber sales. For the same reason, the cost of peeled veneer that we buy has risen making it very difficultt, financially, for us to stay in business.

We believe it very important to the economy of the lumber and plywood industry that the present log export situation be corrected, thus enabling the remaining mills of the northwest to stay in business.

Very truly yours,

MILWAUKIE PLYWOOD CORPORATION

Thelma Pierson.

Thelma Pierson, Secretary

cc: Senator Mark Hatfield