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## NEW TIMBER REGULATIONS

(AMENDED)

(In Effect 1st August, 1917.)

- 1. The provisions of Chapter 11, 3 George V., 1913, are now applicable to all Timber Licenses now in force, or hereafter applied for, except to Licensees who elect to renew their existing licenses, which are in effect, if the Licensee so desires, until 1st August, 1918, when they become utterly null and void. All Licenses, whether new or renewed, are subject to the provisions of these regulations.
- Saw-mill Licenses extend for a period of twenty years from 1st August, 1913, with a renewal of ten years as specified in above Act, upon continued compliance with the said Act, with the Order-in-Council dated 10th July, 1913, providing for the payment of the bonus as set forth in said Act, and these Regulations.
- 3. Pulp and Paper Licenses extend for a term of thirty years, and subject to an extension of twenty years, upon compliance with above Act; the Order-in-Council of 10th July, 1913, providing for the payment of bonus as set forth in said Act and these Regulations.
- 4. The stumpage payable on all logs, timber or other lumber, cut or made upon Crown Lands under License, shall be as follows:

For Spruce, Pine and Hacmatac Saw Logs, per M. superficial feet	\$2.50
Hardwood Timber, up to an average of 14 inches square, per ton	1.10
Hardwood Timber, above 14 inches, additional per inch per ton	0.10
Hardwood Logs, per M superficial feet	1.25
Pine Timber, up to 14 inches square, per ton	2.00
Pine Timber, additional per inch, per ton	0.50
Hacmatac Timber, per ton	1.00
Spruce Timber, per ton	
Cedar Logs, per M	
Railway Ties, 8 feet length, each	0.12
Hemlock Logs, per M. superficial feet, including bark	2.00
White Birch, for spool wood, per cord	0.65
White Birch Logs, for spool wood, per M superficial ft	1.25
Fir Logs, per M superficial feet	2.00
Poplar Logs, per M superficial feet	1940 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 1

And for all other descriptions of lumber not specified above, 15 per cent, of the market value thereof at the mill, place of shipment, or place of consumption in the Province.

Permits issued by the authority of the Minister of Lands and Mines to enable Licensees to cut undersized lumber on barren lands or thickets, will pay the same rate of stumpage as stated above, with the addition of twenty-five cents per M, being the cost of supervision.

- 5. All the lumber cut under this license shall be scaled or taken account of in the usual or customary method of scaling and taking account of lumber for stumpage by some person or persons to be appointed by the Minister of Lands and Mines, to be hereafter termed scalers, who shall return to the Minister of Lands and Mines the quantity cut under this License. The scaler and his assistants are to be boarded and lodged at the expense of the said Licensee, and should such Licensee refuse to board and lodge such scaler or assistants, he or they to report the same to the Minister of Lands and Mines, who may thereupon take such means as he sees fit to provide the said scaler and his assistants with board and lodgings, and the expense thereof shall be paid by the Licensee and shall, until paid, remain a charge and lien upon all lumber so cut under this License.
- 6. All Licensees shall, when required, furnish through themselves, their agents and foremen, to such agent or agents as the Minister of Lands and Mines may appoint for that purpose, and at such time and place as such agent or agents may require, satisfactory proof, upon oath, as to the exact locality where all the saw logs, timber trees and other lumber, as provided by this License, in his or their possession, were cut, with the mark or marks thereof, giving the number of pieces and descriptions of saw-logs, timber, trees and other lumber, cut by themselves and others to their knowledge, upon each of the timber berths held or occupied by him or them respectively, designating what quantity, if any, has been cut on any other lands, describing the same, exhibiting at the same time for the inspection of such agent or agents, if required, the books of accounts and measurement of such logs, timber and other lumber under his or their control respectively, and shall, moreover, furnish such agent or agents all required information and facilities to enable him or them to arrive at a satisfactory determination as to the quantity and description of such saw-logs, timber, trees and other lumber made by him or them, or held in his or their possession respectively, on which Government dues are chargeable, and in the event of such agent or agents deeming it expedient to cause such saw-logs, timber and other lumber to be counted or measured, such Licensee or occupier of timber berths and his or their agents or foremen, shall, if required, aid and assist in such count or measurement. Where parties cutting under pretence of this License are cutting on granted or private lands, as