## DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

May 31, 2005

The draft language that you provided with your drafting instructions for this amendment called for DNR to manage forest resources in a manner that is consistent with the "property's designation by statute, rule or the natural resources board." Please look closely at the language I used in the draft which is more specific than your language. I have assumed that by the use of the term "designation," you were referring to the designation of property as a state forest, state park, state natural area, or a similar kind of purpose–based designation. The use of the term "designation" without further description could be interpreted to include other kinds of designations such as geographical designation which I assume is not your intent. If my assumptions were incorrect and the draft does not reflect your intent, please let me know and I will redraft accordingly.

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