U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE **TIMBER SALE CONTRACT** (Applicable to Sales to be Measured before Felling)		Name of Purchaser	
National Forest: Ottawa	Ranger District: Watersmeet-Iron River-Gaastra	Region: Eastern	Contract Number
Sale Name Merriman Lake		Award Date	Termination Date MM/YYYY

The parties to this contract are The United States of America, acting through the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture, hereinafter called Forest Service, and_____ hereinafter called Purchaser.

Forest Service having advertised a sale at which either (1) Purchaser, whose required bid deposit is now held by Forest Service as an initial deposit, was the successful bidder, or (2) no bids were received and Purchaser having subsequently offered at least the minimum advertised price and made an initial deposit in the same amount as the bid deposit specified in the sale advertisement; and the parties hereto desiring to record their agreement; now therefore,

Unless provided otherwise herein, Forest Service agrees to sell and permit Purchaser to cut and remove included Timber and Purchaser agrees to purchase, cut, and remove included Timber.

This contract consists of three Divisions: AT - Specific Conditions, BT - Standard Provisions, and CT - Special Provisions, together with Sale Area Map, Plans and specifications for developments (if any), and such attachments as may be provided for in Division CT. Specific Conditions are numbered and apply to the Part, Section, Subsection, or Item of the Standard Provisions, as indicated hereunder. Other conditions of this contract are stated in Division CT - Special Provisions.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this contract as of the award date.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Two Witnesses: [1]

By: _____
Contracting Officer

_____
(Title)

_____
(Name)

By: _____
(Purchaser) [2]

_____
(Address)

_____

_____
(Name)

_____
(Title)

_____
(Address)

_____
(Business Address)

I, [3] _____, certify that I am the _____ Secretary of the corporation named as Purchaser herein; that _____ who signed this contract on behalf of Purchaser, was then _____ of the corporation; that the contract was duly signed for and in behalf of the corporation by authority of its governing body, and is within the scope of its corporate powers.

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CORPORATE SEAL [4]