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Honourable George Heyman, Minister of Environment and Climate Change Strategy
Honourable Doug Donaldson, Minister of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural
Development
Parliament Buildings
Victoria, BC

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Dear Ministers Donaldson and Heyman,

RE: CANNON FOREST SERVICE ROAD

A recent inspection of Cannon FSR by BFWSS, has revealed that this road is collecting rather than shedding water. Water from well above the gate is running down the road surface to a point about half a kilometre below the gate. This problem is the result of poor road shaping and grading practices. Ditches and culverts look okay but have little sign of water use.

The road was constructed by BC Timber Sales for timber extraction. As a Crown owned entity, BCTS should be a grand example for all of the forest industry to follow. This is a shameful example.

Please take immediate action to correct this situation before further damage is done to this public asset and to reduce potential environmental damage.

Authorized by:

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