



**“AN ACT TO RATIFY THE FOREST MANAGEMENT  
CONTRACT AREA ‘A’ IN LOFA AND GBARPOLU COUNTIES  
BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA REPRESENTED BY  
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IT IS ENACTED BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA IN LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLED:

**Section I:** That immediately after the passage of this Act **"AN ACT RATIFYING THE FOREST MANAGEMENT CONTRACT AREA "A" IN LOFA AND GBARPOLU COUNTIES BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA REPRESENTED BY THE FORESTRY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AND ALPHA LOGGING & WOOD PROCESSING INCORPORATED,"** as herein recited below word for word in the authentic English version be, and the same is hereby ratified to give full force and effect to the provision as contained herein.

**SECTION II: SHORT TITLE:** this Act to ratify the FOREST MANAGEMENT CONTRACT AREA "A" IN LOFA AND GBARPOLU COUNTIES BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA REPRESENTED BY THE FORESTRY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AND ALPHA LOGGING & WOOD PROCESSING INCORPORATED," shall also be cited as the **FOREST MANAGEMENT CONTRACT BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA AND ALPHA LOGGING & WOOD PROCESSING INCORPORATED"**

**SECTION III:** That any and all obligations, covenants, terms and conditions as contained in the above mention **FOREST MANAGEMENT CONTRACT BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA AND ALPHA LOGGING & WOOD PROCESSING INCORPORATED"** shall be carried to full completion unless otherwise modified, amended, or repealed.

**SECTION IV:** This Act shall take effect immediately upon the publication into handbill.

**ANY LAW TO THE CONTRARY NOTWITHSTANDING.**



# Republic of Liberia

## Forestry Development Authority

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***FOREST MANAGEMENT CONTRACT AREA "A"***  
***Lofa and Gbarpolu Counties***

### ***HOLDER:***

***Alpha Logging & Wood Processing Incorporated***  
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***Randall Street, Monrovia, Liberia***

**September. 2008**

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This Contract is entered into at the City of MONROVIA, County of MONTSEERRADO, Republic of Liberia, under the General Business Law, Title 14 of the Liberia Code of Law Revised, between the Government of the Republic of Liberia (GOVERNMENT), acting through the Forestry Development Authority hereinafter referred to as the AUTHORITY, and ALPHA LOGGING AND WOOD PROCESSING INCORPORATED, a company duly organized, existing, and doing business under the Laws of the Republic of Liberia, hereinafter referred to as the **CONTRACT HOLDER, OR HOLDER**.

**WHEREAS**, (1) Section 5.3 of the National Forestry Reform Law of 2006 authorizes the AUTHORITY to grant licenses for sound, long-term forest management, including inventories, preparation of management plans, and ANNUAL OPERATIONAL PLANS, through Forest Management Contracts; (2) HOLDER wants to accept responsibilities for stewardship of public forest land and to purchase, cut, and remove timber from that land; (3) AUTHORITY, having advertised a concession auction at which HOLDER was the successful bidder, wants to issue HOLDER a license for sustainable management and harvest in the advertised area; and (4) HOLDER and AUTHORITY are willing to be bound by the terms set out in this Contract;

**Now, THEREFORE, AUTHORITY and HOLDER agree as follows:**

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Creek ( $9^{\circ}58'54.79''\text{W}-7^{\circ}15'52.78''\text{N}$ ); thence a line runs Due South for 8,814 meters to a point ( $9^{\circ}58'52.52''\text{W}-7^{\circ}11'07.07''\text{N}$ ); thence a line runs S  $54^{\circ}$  E for 5,147 meters to a point ( $9^{\circ}56'38.06''\text{W}-7^{\circ}09'26.92''\text{N}$ ); thence a line runs N  $88^{\circ}$  E for 4,854 meters to a point on the Saint Paul River ( $9^{\circ}53'59.69''\text{W}-7^{\circ}09'32.41''\text{N}$ ); thence a line runs Due North for 8,919 meters to a point ( $9^{\circ}53'58.17''\text{W}-7^{\circ}14'21.25''\text{N}$ ); thence a line runs Due East for 10,891 meters to a point ( $9^{\circ}48'02.43''\text{W}-7^{\circ}14'22.25''\text{N}$ ); thence a line runs S  $1^{\circ}$  E for 2,324 meters to a point on the Via River ( $9^{\circ}48'01.74''\text{W}-7^{\circ}13'06.31''\text{N}$ ); thence a line runs along the Via River in the South Western direction for 2,848 meters to the confluence of the Via and the Saint Paul Rivers; thence a line runs along the Saint Paul River in the North Eastern direction for 49,874 meters to the point of commencement ( $9^{\circ}31'26.78''\text{W}-7^{\circ}19'48.29''\text{N}$ ), embracing (One Hundred and Nineteen Thousand Two Hundred and Forty) 119, 240 hectares of forest land.

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*[Handwritten signatures]*

