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Mr. Wayne F. Harper
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Dear Wayne:

Regarding your inquiry into the status of the forestry camp at Priestly Lake, it is surplus to our needs, but we have **NOT** yet taken any steps to dispose of the property. We are **holding off on** a decision, pending the outcome of legislation now before the Legislature.

My understanding is that the camp at Priestly is on land owned by International Paper Company and leased to us solely for fire control purposes.

Once legislative matters are cleared up, we will most likely be putting the camp building out to public bid, should we decide to do so, I will be sure to see that you are given an opportunity to bid on the camp.

sincerely,

Thomas A. Rumpf
staff Forester

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