## Section 201. — CLEARING AND GRUBBING

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Construction Requirements

### 201.03 General.

Add the following:

WFL Specification 01/01/14 2010010

Include the following when merchantable timber is to remain the property of the landowner.

Edit as required (add 201.06 which deletes the first sentence merchantable timber is the Contractor’s property).

Perform felling, bucking, and decking of merchantable timber according to accepted logging practices with a minimum of breakage, damage, and waste. Saw the merchantable timber into standard log lengths with proper trim allowance.

WFL Specification 01/01/14 2010020

Include the following when the Contractor has the option to purchase timber from the Forest Service.

Instead of decking merchantable timber along the highway, the Contractor may enter into a timber settlement agreement with the Forest Service to purchase timber within the clearing limits and on National Forest System lands. Pay the Forest Service for the merchantable timber at the rates listed below:

WFL Specification 01/01/14 2010030

Include the following when the Contractor is required to purchase timber from the Forest Service.

Enter into a timber settlement agreement with the Forest Service to purchase merchantable timber within the clearing limits and on National Forest System lands. The agreement will remain in effect for the life of this contract. Pay the Forest Service for the merchantable timber at the rates listed below:

WFL Specification 01/01/14 2010040

Include the following when the Contractor purchases timber from the Forest Service on a species basis.

| Species | Price per MBF |
| --- | --- |
| [INSERT SPECIES] | [INSERT $$$ per MBF] |
| [INSERT SPECIES] | [INSERT $$$ per MBF] |

WFL Specification 01/01/14 2010050

Include the following when the Contractor purchases timber from the Forest Service on a lump sum basis.

Pay the Forest Service through the District Ranger, [INSERT FOREST NAME] National Forest,

[INSERT ADDRESS], as the total purchase price for the timber, the lump sum of [INSERT #] thousand [INSERT #] hundred [INSERT #] dollars and no cents ($[INSERT #].00). Pay the lump sum in full and furnish the CO with satisfactory evidence of payment before removing merchantable timber from the project. The purchase price is based on the following species of trees and estimated quantities:

| Species | Price per MBF |
| --- | --- |
| [INSERT SPECIES] | [INSERT $$$ per MBF] |
| [INSERT SPECIES] | [INSERT $$$ per MBF] |

WFL Specification 01/01/14 2010060

Include the following when merchantable timber is to be removed from Forest Service lands.

Merchantable timber removed from Forest Service land is subject to the Forest Resources Conservation and Shortage Relief Act of 1990 (PL 101-382;104 Stat. 714-726; 16 USC 620 et. seq.). Do not export timber from the United States or use in direct or indirect substitution for unprocessed timber exported from the United States, from private lands by Purchaser, or any person as defined in Section 493 (16 USC 620e) of the Act.

WFL Specification 01/01/14 2010070

Include the following when the Contractor purchases timber from the Forest Service.

Note: Insert name, street address, and phone number.

Information regarding the terms of the timber settlement may be obtained from:

Forest Supervisor

[INSERT NAME] National Forest

[INSERT ADDRESS]

Telephone: [INSERT AREA CODE & NUMBER]

WFL Specification 01/01/14 2010080

Include the following when merchantable timber is the landowner’s property.

Note: Coordinate with first SCR listed in Subsection 201.03.

### 201.06 Disposal.

Delete the first sentence of this Subsection and substitute the following:

All merchantable timber within the areas to be cleared on either private or Government land will remain the property of the landowners. Deck on each owner's property adjacent to the road in locations suitable for loading by others with self-loaders.

Measurement

WFL Specification 01/01/14 2010090

Include the following when work is required under this Section.

### 201.08.

Delete the second paragraph and substitute the following:

Where the new construction follows the existing road, exclude that portion of the old roadbed within the clearing and grubbing limits from the measurement width. Also exclude the area of any body of water and non-vegetated portions of its shoreline within the clearing and grubbing limits.

WFL Specification 01/01/14 2010100

Include the following when Section 212 Linear Grading is used.

No measurement for payment will be made for additional clearing and grubbing where the horizontal and vertical alignments are shifted by the Contractor to balance quantities or suit a method of operations.