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The undersigned, RGGS LAND & MINERALS, LTD, L.P., is the "Mineral Owner" under that certain Timber Purchase sand Cutting Agreement [134,606.27 ac] dated September 29, 2003 (the "TPC Agreement") by and between the undersigned and U.S. Steel Timber Company LLC, the predecessor in interest of TC&I Timber Company, LLC, which is the "Company" under the TPC Agreement affecting certain property in Bibb, Jefferson, Shelby, Tuscaloosa and Walker Counties in Alabama. The undersigned, as Mineral Owner under the TPC Agreement hereby certifies to the Company and to SWF Birmingham, LLC, the proposed assignee of Company ("Assignee), that:

- To Mineral Owner's best knowledge, the TPC Agreement as it pertains to the rights and obligations to the Mineral Owner is in force and effect and has not been modified.
- There is no payment due to Mineral Owner from Company at this time under the TPC Agreement.
- There is no existing default which relates to Mineral Owner under the TPC Agreement by any party thereto with respect to which a notice of default has been served upon Mineral Owner and there are no conditions which with the passage of time or giving of notice or both would become a default.
- Mineral Owner has no defenses, offsets or counterclaims against enforcement of the obligations to be performed under the TPC Agreement by Mineral Owner.

The Mineral Owner makes the above statements for the benefit of the Company and Assignee, knowing that they will rely on them.

State of Alabama - Jefferson County

I certify this instrument filed on:

MARK GAINES, Judge of Probate

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OWNER:

RGGS LAND & MINERALS, LTD, L.P.

By: Gordy Oil Company, a Texas corporation

Its General Partner

Name: Thomas R. Speck

Title: Vice Presid

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