

**Introduced by Senator Cogdill**

February 26, 2009

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An act to amend Section 4790.5 of the Public Resources Code, relating to forest resources.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 451, as introduced, Cogdill. Forest resources.

Existing law finds and declares that, except as specifically provided, the state is prohibited from claiming any right, title, or interest in land, trees, or other vegetation which are the subject of a forest resource improvement project.

This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to that provision.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. Section 4790.5 of the Public Resources Code is  
2 amended to read:  
3 4790.5. The Legislature further declares that, except as  
4 specifically provided in this chapter the state shall not claim ~~any~~  
5 *a* right, title, or interest in the land, trees, or other vegetation ~~which~~  
6 *that* are the subject of a forest resource improvement project  
7 undertaken pursuant to this chapter. When carrying out this chapter,  
8 the director shall encourage the use of goods and services available  
9 through private forest nurseries, reforestation contractors, private

- 1 forest consultants, or others in the business of undertaking forest
- 2 resource improvement work.

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