

NO. 94084-3

IN THE SUPREME COURT
OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES,

Petitioner,

v.

POPE RESOURCES, LP and OPG PROPERTIES, LLC,

Respondents.

***AMICUS CURIAE* BRIEF SUBMITTED BY SIERRA PACIFIC
INDUSTRIES JOINING IN THE ARGUMENTS OF GEORGIA-
PACIFIC LLC**

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I. STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Sierra Pacific Industries, Inc. (“Sierra Pacific”) incorporates Respondents’ statement of the case.

II. IDENTITY AND INTEREST OF AMICUS

The identity and interest of Sierra Pacific is set forth in the accompanying Motion For Leave to file Amicus Brief.

III. ARGUMENT

Pursuant to RAP 10.6, Sierra Pacific Industries, Inc. (“Sierra Pacific”) joins in the arguments contained in the *amicus curiae* brief filed by Georgia-Pacific LLC and supports the position of Respondents Pope Resources, LP and OPG Properties, LLC.

IV. CONCLUSION

Sierra Pacific respectfully adopts the argument and conclusion set forth in the *amicus curiae* brief filed by Georgia-Pacific LLC

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 11th day of August, 2017.

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