

Commission of State Forests and Parks and shall make an annual report of its proceedings and actions to the Commission of State Forests and Parks. The District Board may promulgate safeguards for proper forest land use, such as:

A. Providing for adequate restocking, after cutting, with trees of desirable species and condition.

B. Providing for reserving for growth and subsequent cutting, a sufficient growing stock of thrifty trees of desirable species to keep the land reasonably productive.

C. Preventing clear-cutting, or limiting the size of a tract to be clear-cut in areas where clear-cutting will seriously interfere with protection of a watershed, or in order to maintain a suitable growing stock to insure natural reproduction, provided, however, that any such rules of forest practice shall establish a procedure by which any operator of forest land may secure a permit to clear-cut particular lands upon proof—

(a) That he has a bonafide intention of devoting the land to other than forest use;

(b) That the lands are appropriate for the proposed use;

(c) That devoting the lands to such new use will not seriously interfere with the protection of the water shed.

60. (Duties of the County or District Forester.) It shall be the duty of the District Forester, under the direction of the State Forester:

1. To make plans for the management and reforestation of forest, woodlot, and tree crop orchards.

2. To assist the landowners of the district in marketing their forest products.

3. To hold meetings of the county or local forest fire wardens, lookouts, guards, fire fighters and others to instruct them in the methods of forest fire prevention and extinction.

4. To enlist the co-operation of land owners in the protection of their forests from fire, insects and disease.

5. To make an annual written report of his activities to the State Forester.

6. To assist the State Extension Forester in carrying out the Farm Forestry Extension Program.