

Economic Impact Analysis
4 VAC 10-30- State Forest Regulations
Agency Response to DPB's Economic Impact Analysis
Dated December 15, 2010
Department of Forestry
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The Department of Forestry concurs with the findings of the Department of Planning & Budget Economic Impact Analysis dated December 15, 2010. The Department of Forestry proposes to allow the holders of concealed weapons' permits to carry their concealed handguns in state forests and to also allow open carry of weapons that are lawfully allowed to be carried openly outside of state forests. The change does not add new responsibilities to state or local officials responsible for enforcing weapons laws. The change in regulations will conform to all applicable firearm's laws.