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CALIFORNIA FISH AND GAME COMMISSION NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF PETITION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to the provisions of Section 2073.3 of the Fish and Game Code, the California Fish and Game Commission (Commission), on June 8, 2015, received a petition from the Environmental Protection Information Center and the Center for Biological Diversity to list Humboldt marten (*Martes caurina humboldtensis*) as endangered under the California Endangered Species Act.

Humboldt martens are generally found in closed-canopy, old growth forests with complex structure on or near the ground.

Pursuant to Section 2073 of the Fish and Game Code, on June 18, 2015, the Commission transmitted the petition to the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (Department) for review pursuant to Section 2073.5 of said code. It is anticipated that the Department's evaluation and recommendation relating to the petition will be received by the Commission at its October 8, 2015 meeting in Los Angeles.

Interested parties may contact Dr. Eric Loft, Wildlife Branch, Department of Fish and Wildlife, 1812 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95811, or telephone 916-445-0411 for information on the petition or to submit information to the Department relating to the petitioned species.

July 14, 2015

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