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RE: I Do Not Support the Revisions to the Trust Policy Statement that Erode our Island Livelihoods and Economy

I have been a resident of Pender Island since 2012.

While I support our natural ecosystems, our island economy and livelihoods need support and need to be in balance with rather than becoming secondary to environmental concerns. The revised policy statement takes away the needed balance for a vibrant economy that supports the people who live here.

The purpose of the current 1994 policy statement Section 5.7 Economies and Section 5.8 Health and Well-being are clearly to ensure a balance between the health of the community and the environmental concerns. It is to ensure that the community has a say in deciding its own governance. This section should be kept in any new policy statement and even enhanced to better support the workers needs and livelihoods on our island.

Please keep and enhance the current policies for livelihoods and our island economy. Our small island economies and jobs need support to survive and should be given equal consideration along with the environment for a balanced and sustainable community.

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