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Subject: Seats Still Available - October 26, 2006 PD Seminar

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OCTOBER 26, 2006 PD SEMINAR PM PRACTICES IN THE FORESTRY SECTOR 31ST PM PROFESSIONAL DAY LAST CALL!

The 3Ist PM Professional Day will be held on Thursday, October 26, 2006 at the Holiday Inn, Metrotown. Register now with Judith Brook, PMP at judithbrook@sierrasystems.com. Do not reply to this email; instead, send a new message to Judith Brook.

Program: A full day of presentations and interactive workshop sessions on the theme of "PM Practices in the Forestry Sector ".

The agenda for the day, organized by Project Manager for the event, John Cooke, PMP will include these presentations and workshop sessions:

BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE IN FORESTRY
- Steve Bond

PROJECT BUDGETING WITH SCHEDULING SOFTWARE
- Brian Mullen

TRANSITIONING FROM A REACTIVE CULTURE TO A PROACTIVE CULTURE - John Cooke, PMP

DUDE, WHERE'S MY PARTS? Standardizing Maintenance Parts Catalogues at Canfor's Pulp Mills - Robert Schultz, PMP

CREATING AN ENVIRONMENT FOR SUSTAINABLE PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT - Scott McLean, and Scott Fitzsimmons

PROJECT MANAGEMENT ISSUES IN FORESTRY - an expert panel of forest industry specialists will tackle pressing project management issues. Panel members to date include Denise Boswell, PMP; Rob Schultz, PMP; Scott McLean; and Scott Fitzsimmons. Your questions and suggestions for

the panel can be submitted in advance through John Cooke john.cooke@ideaca.com

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Holiday Inn Metrotown
4405 Central Boulevard
Salon's A & B
Thursday, October 26, 2006
8:30 AM to 4:30 PM
7:45 AM Registration - Coffee, Juice, Continental Breakfast
Buffet Lunch
Inclusive fee: \$65
Free underground parking at the hotel

REGISTRATION WILL BE LIMITED TO FIFTY (50) ATTENDEES Registration Deadline: Midnight Saturday October 21, 2006.

Seminar participants can claim seven PDUs for the day. We now have confirmation from PMI that, in addition to the time they spend as participants, Presenters can claim ten PDUs and Workshop Leaders can claim five PDUs for serving in those roles.

Registration Policy - Fine Print

Registration for a seminar does not open until a registration notice, such as this one, is broadcast. There is no provision for advance registration. Only those applications received after the time of broadcast will be considered.

Every application to register received will be considered a firm offer to register and to pay the full fee. Applications will be accepted strictly in the order in which they are received by the seminar Registration Manager, Judith Brook, PMP. Every application will be acknowledged by email. Once the registration limit is reached, a waiting list will be started.

Cancellations will be accepted up to midnight, Saturday October 21, 2006. Those on the waitlist will be accepted in priority order if spaces become available, and the waitlist candidate will be notified of acceptance by email. A waitlist candidate must cancel to be removed from the waitlist.

The Society is not responsible for ensuring that any registrant has received notification of acceptance. Any registrant who does not show is expected to pay the full seminar fee. Accepted registrants who fail to pay the full seminar fee will be prohibited from registering at future events until the payment is received.

Payment by cheque is preferred. Cash is accepted; please try to bring exact change. No credit cards or Interac (debit cards) are accepted.

The Registration Manager for the April Seminar is Judith Brook, PMP <a href="mailto:judithbrook@sierrasystems.com">judithbrook@sierrasystems.com</a>

PD SEMINARS PLANNED FOR 2006

One more PD seminar is currently planned for the remainder of the year.

November 22 Contracting for Goods and Services & AGM of the Society

Feri Demehri, PMP, Project Manager fdemehri@hotmail.com

There are opportunities for additional presenters, workshop leaders, and management team volunteers for both the October and November seminars. Contact the Project Managers to participate.

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ABOUT THE SOCIETY - WEBSITE ADDRESS

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The Society of PM Professionals is a voluntary, democratic organization of PMP®s in the Greater Vancouver area, who are dedicated to the achievement of their common purposes in the profession through mutual support, co-operation, and collective effort.

There are more than 450 PMP®s in the Vancouver area who receive notices of Society events.

The Society holds at least three Professional Development Seminars in Vancouver each year.

The Professional Development Seminars feature technical presentations and workshop facilitation by PMP®s for the purpose of continuing professional development. The seminar is intended for PMP®s. However, a PMP® may invite guests who are committed to the advancement of the Profession. Practitioners who plan to become certified as PMP®s are welcome in particular.

For more information on the Society: <a href="http://www.vcn.bc.ca/pmprof/">http://www.vcn.bc.ca/pmprof/</a>

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CONTACT THE OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY

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At the November 22, 2005 Annual Meeting, the officers of the Society were elected for a one-year term.

President: Alberto Cayuela, PMP ACayuela@stantec.com

Secretary Treasurer: Joan Hambury, PMP joanhambury@shaw.ca

Registrar: Walter Wawruck, PMP wawruck@intouch.bc.ca

If you have not yet filled in a membership application, contact Walter Wawruck, PMP, download one from the website, or complete a form at the October 26, 2006 seminar.

Please let us know if you wish to receive notices from the Society at a different e-mail address.