

**84A.08 PRESERVE LANDS CLASSIFIED.**

On receiving the reports of a county auditor specified in section 84A.04, the commissioner of natural resources shall certify a copy of the report to the department. The department shall classify the lands as to their suitability for agriculture, afforestation or reforestation, or ownership and use by the state for preserving, propagating, breeding, and hunting of wildlife of the kinds specified in section 84A.01. After the state acquires title to the lands they may be reclassified. Lands that become the absolute property of the state under sections 84A.01 to 84A.11 and have been classified as suitable for agriculture, and timber from any lands so acquired, may be sold by the state.

**History:** (5620-8) 1929 c 258 s 8; 1973 c 492 s 14; 1986 c 444; 1987 c 229 art 1 s 1; 1987 c 384 art 1 s 4