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Sacramento — California Forestry Association (CFA) President David A. Bischel announced today that Ms. Nina Kapoor has been named Vice President of Legislative Affairs starting December 15, 2011. In this capacity, Ms. Kapoor will be CFA's chief legislative advocate where she will be responsible for representing CFA's diverse membership including forest owners, forest product manufacturers, producers of renewable biomass energy, and forestry professionals in the development and implementation of legislative strategy.

In making this announcement, Mr. Bischel stated, "I am extremely pleased to have an individual with Ms. Kapoor's credentials join the CFA team. Prior to joining CFA, Ms. Kapoor worked for KP Public Affairs, providing advocacy services and strategic counsel to her clients. Before joining KP, Ms. Kapoor served as a Consultant to the Assembly Committee on Utilities and Commerce and worked for several prominent members of the legislature. Ms. Kapoor brings a wealth of policy and political experience to CFA as well as extensive contacts throughout the Capitol community."

Ms. Kapoor stated, "I feel honored to have been selected to be a part of such a well-respected organization. The issues facing forestry and forest-products companies in California are complex and diverse. I look forward to supporting and encouraging the responsible development and implementation of sound forestry policy in California."

Ms. Kapoor holds a dual degree in Economics and Political Science from the University of California at San Diego, where she graduated with Highest Distinction.

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