
VALIANT TRUST COMPANY APPOINTED TRANSFER AGENT FOR TIMBERWEST FOREST CORP.

February 19, 2008, Vancouver, BC – Valiant Trust Company (Valiant Trust) today announced its appointment as transfer agent and registrar for the stapled units of TimberWest Forest Corp. (TimberWest) effective January 2008. The units are traded on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol TWF.UN. Valiant Trust has also partnered with SG Vestia, a supplier of recordkeeping services, to provide employee stock incentive plan services to TimberWest employees.

“Valiant has experienced excellent growth since opening its Vancouver office in June 2005 and we are thrilled to add another premier public company like TimberWest to our expanding list of business partners.” said Adrian Baker, President of Valiant Trust. “We look forward to a long and successful relationship with TimberWest as we continue to develop our business within British Columbia,” said Mr. Baker.

“TimberWest is delighted to be expanding our business with Canadian Western Bank and we look forward to working with Valiant Trust,” said Bev Park, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of TimberWest. “This business partnership supports our preference to deal with local, industry-leading companies that focus on providing excellent customer service,” added Park.

About Valiant Trust

Valiant Trust Company is a non-deposit taking, federally regulated trust company providing corporate trust, stock transfer and employee incentive plan services to public and private companies. Clients are serviced through offices in Calgary, Vancouver and Edmonton. Valiant is a wholly owned subsidiary of Canadian Western Bank, which is listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the trading symbol “CWB”. For more information visit www.valianttrust.com.

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