


FORESTRY SERVICES LTD.



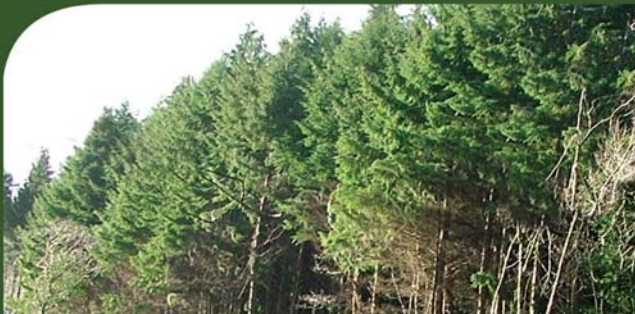
The love of land is nothing new in Ireland but the benefits of farm forestry is now clearly apparent to the landowners of the country. This is the message from Paddy Bruton of Forestry Services Ltd., who maintains that a minimum of 20% of most farmers land is more suitable to forestry than any other traditional farming system. These benefits include, a Tax-Free annual premium payable by the Government of up to €208/acre per year payable for 20 years, retention of full single farm payments, retention of full ownership of the land with a valuable timber crop which also provides shelter,

whilst establishment grants cover the entire costs of establishing and maintaining the crop which ensures it costs nothing for a landowner to establish the plantation. The company now provides a free farm planning service to all clients to aid maximizing farm level direct payments. Paddy points out that the new Agri Environmental Options Scheme is no longer entirely area based and forestry can be planned in conjunction with this scheme. Landowners exiting the Early Retirement Scheme or farmers who rent out some land under con acre should examine the forestry option as it provides a complication free tax-free income.



Forestry Services Ltd.
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An International Forestry Company
Trading successfully since 1985




Services Provided:

<p>Forestry Investment Appraisals</p> <p>Advice on Maximising Total Farm Payments</p> <p>Forest Establishment and Management - Cost free - Tax free premiums</p>	<p>Forest Roads - Grant application and construction</p> <p>Forest Thinning - Conifer and hardwood crops</p> <p>Management Plans</p>
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Forestry Services Ltd. established in 1985 is based in Clonoulty, Co. Tipperary and operates nationwide, has scaled up recently in line with the Governments commitment to a 14,700-hectare annual afforestation programme. The company has earned a reputation as leaders in hardwood establishment and management, and is now actively thinning young hardwood crops. Thinning of conifer crops is becoming an increasingly important part of the companies business and both these activities have resulted in owners becoming more interested with their forestry and increasingly satisfied with their decision to plant initially.

The growth of forests is not affected by recessions, credit crises or EU/IMF funding and this has led to a renewed interest in investment in forestry. Forestry Services Ltd. source both land suitable for forestry and semi mature plantations for clients who want a secure, asset backed investment. Given the existing deficit in roundwood timber supply and a projected 1.2 million M3 deficit by 2020 for the Island of Ireland, combined with national and EU policy of increased use of renewable fuel in the heat and power sectors, forestry represents a logical and safe investment even in these uncertain times.

There was never a better time to plant land or to intensively manage existing plantations. The team at Forestry Services Ltd. is available for free advice and consultation on request.



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