SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 12, 2017 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- <u>Potlatch Corp.</u> (NASDAQ:PCH) announced today the tax treatment for its dividend distributions made in 2016 on the company&rsquo;s Common Stock. The total dividend distribution of \$1.50 per share is classified for income tax purposes as a Capital Gain Distribution.

The table below summarizes the income tax treatment of the company's 2016 dividends:

2016 Dividend Tax Reporting Information (Form 1099-DIV)

Potlatch Corp. Common Stock: PCH

CUSIP# 737630103

March June September December
Distribution Distribution Distribution Total

Capital Gain Distributions

(long-term 20% rate) \$ 0.375 \$ 0.375 \$ 0.375 \$ 1.50

Shareholders are encouraged to consult with their tax advisors regarding the tax treatment for their Potlatch distributions.

## ABOUT POTLATCH

Potlatch is a Real Estate Investment Trust (REIT) with approximately 1.4 million acres of timberland in Alabama, Arkansas, Idaho, Minnesota and Mississippi. Potlatch, a verified forest practices leader, is committed to providing superior returns to stockholders through long-term stewardship of its forest resources. The company also conducts a land sales and development business and operates wood products manufacturing facilities through its taxable REIT subsidiary. For more information about the company, visit our website at www.potlatchcorp.com.

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