TRANSPORT LAND

Logging on Ice Roads

Loggers of Karelia are happily welcoming the arrival of winter: it is only at this time of year that they are able to transport the timber felled in the summer, moving it over the swamps on temporary ice roads.

These northern residents have used over a hundred heavy tractors to clear future logging routes. Karelian woodsmen stockpiled approximately a million cubic meters of timber for winter transport. The laying-in of wood in remote locations will continue at an accelerated pace even during winter months. In all, these northern workers have the task of moving nearly five million cubic meters of wood to dressing sites before the onset of bad road conditions in the spring.

relax on the volleyoull court after a long day.

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