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A vertical, close-up photograph of a wood grain texture, showing various shades of brown and tan with prominent vertical lines and some curved patterns, set against a dark green background.

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