

CIRCULAR No.4/74

Sub: Instructions regarding supply of bamboos.

It has come to the notice of the undersigned that large scale clandestine removal of bamboos and reeds are going on in Chlakudy Division and it is observed that these removals are effected under the cover of Form V Passes issued to so-called BONAFIDE CONSUMERS for agriculture and other similar purposes and that the transport of these bamboos is allowed in lorries despite specific direction issued by Government in their letter No.6509/F3/69/AD dt. 11-7-69 not to allow transport of bamboos issued for BONAFIDE CONSUMERS, in lorries. The clandestine removals aforesaid evidently indicate lack of proper supervision if not connivance: on the part of the subordinates. In order to prevent such clandestine removal of bamboos as well as reeds, the following instructions are issued for immediate implementation and strict adherence.

1. Passes for bamboos or reeds for BONAFIDE CONSUMERS should be issued only after verifying and convincing the genuineness of the request. The full address of the applicant should be obtained with his dated signature on the stump of the concerned pass issued.
2. Collection of bamboos as per the various passes issued should not be concentrated from a particular point or area. Not more than 3 or 4 persons should be allowed to collect bamboos from a particular area. This is to prevent large scale collection and easy checking.
3. Transport of bamboos or reeds in lorries by these BONAFIDE CONSERMERS should not be allowed on any account. The Section subordinates should be on the watch to prevent lorry transport.
4. The Beat and Section staff should supervise the collection and removal and no removals from the collection site is allowed without checking by the concerned staff. The subordinates who check the removals from the collection site should note his name on the pass with his dated signature, recording the number of bamboos or reeds removed from site as per the pass.
5. No period more than five (5) days should be allowed for a pass issued for BONAFIDE CONSUMPTION.

Receipt of this Circular orders should be acknowledged. The Divisional Forest Officers will communicate a copy of this order to the Range Officers under them and get their acknowledgements.

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To

All Divisional Forest Officers (Under this Circle)

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Copy to Administrative Assistant and Senior Superintendent.

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For CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS,
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