

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Forests – Teakwood poles-selection and supply to the Kerala State Electricity Board-procedure-ordered.

Agriculture (Forest B) Department

G.O.Rt-1849/60/Agri.

Dated, Trivandrum, 7-9-1960.

- Read:- 1. Correspondence resting with Letter No.GB4-2192/55 dated 20-6-1957 from The Chief Engineer, Kerala State Electricity Board.
2. Letter No.C4-2472/57 dated 11-6-1959 and C4-7284/58 dated 6-6-1960 from The Chief Conservator of Forests.

ORDER

The Chief Engineer, Kerala State Electricity Board has brought to the notice of Government the difficulties experienced by the Board in taking delivery of the took poles selected by the Board from the Forests. He requested to issue instructions to the Chief Conservator of Forests to keep the poles selected by the Board under the responsibility of the Forest Officers till they are fully removed by the transport contractor of the Board, to charge ground rent only for those poles actually handed over to the transport contractor but not removed within the grace period and to invoice the board only for those poles which are actually handed over to the Board. The Chief Conservator of Forests discussed the matter with the Chief Engineer and other officers of the board. They have come to an agreement. The minutes of discussion were forwarded to Government by the Chief Conservator in his letter No.C4-2472/57 dated 11-6-1959 for approval. The procedures agreed to the discussions are approved subject to the following modifications.

More than 5,000 poles will not be released at a time from the dumping ground (Electricity pole Depot and for its removal the usual grace period of 52 days will be allowed. But if the consignment is only 1,000 poles or less, only 10 days' time will be allowed and if it is 2,000 or less but more than 1,000 only 20 days' time will be allowed and so on. For a consignment of 5,000 poles which the maximum is fixed at a time, the maximum period of 52 days will be allowed. If the removal is effected only after the period allowable as above, the Board has to pay penalties according to rules and the existing practice at the time.

(By order of the Governor)

C.P. CHERIYAN,
Assistant Secretary.

Endt. on C5-7284/58 dated 21/22-2-1960.

Copy forwarded to all Conservators and Divisional Forest Officers for information and strict attention. Copy of the Minutes of discussion with the Chief Engineer Electricity and the Additional Chief Engineer, Electricity in the office of the Chief Conservator of Forests on 8-8-1959 was communicated in this office letter No.C4-2472/57 dated 11-6-1960.

Sd/-
For Chief Conservator of Forests.

Endt. on CH-12301/60 dated 10-6-1961.

Copy to sections AI, AE, TR, KT and ML and Stock file.

Sd
Conservator of Forests.

Manager.