Copy of G.O.Rt.3457/67/Agri. Dated 18-12-1967 Agriculture (Forest) Department. Forest Department-collection and removal of tree growth from coup VIA(5) and (6) Mundakayam-Agreement dated 28-12-1966 with Sri.K.J.Mathew-Ratification for contract period extended-orders issued.

Read.Letter No.C2.11266/67 dated 26-11-1967 from the Chief Conservator of Forests.

The contractor Sri. K.J.Mathew entered into an agreement on 28-12-66 with the Divisional Forest Officer, Kottayam for collection and removal of residual tree growth and slash felling and burning in coupe no.VI A(5) and (6) Mundakayam. The original contract period expired on 15-3-67. The contractor applied for the extension of the term of his contract up to 30-4-67 as the work was not completed within the period of the original contract. The Conservator of Forests, Chalakudy extended the period up to 31-3-67 subject to the realization of the usual penalties and subject to the proviso that the contractor should complete the slash felling and burning before the close of the month.

The Chief Conservator of Forests in his letter read above has requested to ratify the action of the Conservator of Forests, Chalakudy in having extended the term up to 31-3-67.

In the circumstances reported by the Chief Conservator of Forests, sanction is accorded to ratify the action of the Conservator of Forests Chalakudy in having extended the contract period up to 31-3-1967 subject to the realization of the usual penalties from the contractor.

The copy of the agreement forwarded by the Chief Conservator of Forests, is also returned herewith.

Sd/- Asst.Secretary

Endt. On C2.11266/67(K.Dis) dated 27-12-

Copy with copy of the agreement forwarded to the Conservator of Forests Chalakudy for information.

Sd/- For Chief Conservator of Forests.

Endt. On KT.472/67 dated 5-1-1968 Copy to stock file

For Conservator of Forests