

Copy of letter no. C4.55802/79 dt. 28-9-1979 from the Chief Conservator of Forests, Trivandrum to the Divl. Forest Officer, Munnar and Kottayam.

Sub:- Transport of Cardamom - Issue of pass - Petition dt.24-9-1979 from the Kerala Cardamom Growers Union and Bodinayakanur Ellakkai Varthagargal Sangam - regarding.

Ref:- Nil

In a petition dated 24-9-1979, the Kerala Cardamom Growers Union and Bodinayakanur Ellakkai Varthagargal Sangam have represented the various difficulties experienced by the Cardamom growers in Idukki District due to the insistence of transport passes for transport of cardamom under the Kerala Forest Produce Transit Rules. Considering the difficulties pointed out by the Union and the Sangam an amendment to the Kerala Forest Produce Transit Rules so as to include Cardamom produced in the lands in C.H. Reserves in Idukki District under exempted items is under the consideration of government. The proposed amendment to the Rules may take time and hence Government have ordered that the procedure that was being followed in the matter before the issue of this office circular No.1/79 dated 2-1-1979 may be followed pending finalization of the amendment. You are, therefore, directed to follow the above instructions until further orders.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-
Chief Conservator of Forests.

Copy to the Conservator of Forests, Trichur for information and attention.
Copy to the Secretary to Government Agriculture (Forest) with C.L.

Endt. on R.15221/79 dt.18-x-1979.

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for Conservator of Forests,
Trichur.