## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA ABSTRACT

Forests-Sanction for supply contract-supply cum sale/ outright sale and Departmental extraction of timber-check list-approved –orders issued.

#### AGRICULTURE (FOREST) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No 1743/77/AD

Dated, Trivandrum 7-6-1977

Read:- Letter No. C1.55777/76 d/1-2-1977 from the Chief Conservator of Forests.

# **ORDER**

In the Letter cited, the Chief Conservator of Forests has forwarded to Government a check list of date for consideration before sanctioning proposals for supply contract, supply-cum-sale/outright sale and departmental extraction of timber

2. Government have examined the matter in detail and they are pleased to approve the following check list I respect of supply contract, supply cum- sale-/out right sale and Departmental extraction of timber.

#### **1.Supply Contract:**

- 1. Is there a sanctioned estimate based on the schedule of rate for the work?
- 2. Is the rate of any item is in excess in the tender furnished by the lowest tenders. If so that are they?
- 3. How the Department justifies the excess rate?
- 4. Whether all timber yielding trees are included in the supply contract,
- 5. Whether may body has check measured the marking as per rules? If so by whom? (Here give name and designation of the officer)
- 6. Whether the same marking number has been assigned to more than one tree?
- 7. Whether the volume of timber has been correctly estimated?
- 8. Whether the basic rates have been prepared correctly if so by who?
- 9. Whether a reasonable time has been given to the Contract.
- 10. Whether anybody has checked the basic rate, if so, by whom?
- 11. Whether the contractor can complete the work within the contractor period.

## 2.Supply-cum-sale / Outright sale:

- 1. Number of attempts made to fix up supply contract and the result of each attempt.
- **2.** Whether the area is required for planting, if so when? It net, why the supply-cum-sale is resorted to?
- **3.** How much percentage is the depot delivery species.
  - (a) If it is below 10% the total number of trees in the coupe.
- 4. Why not the department undertake the extraction of depot delivery species , departmentally.
- 5. The extent of the coupe. (Whether it is too small to fix up a supply contract.

- 6. Whether all timber- yielding trees have been marked for supply.
- 7. Whether anybody has checked the working. If So, by whom,
- 8. Whether the same marking number has been assigned to any other trees.
- 9. Whether the volume of depot delivery species have been correctly estimated. If so by whom?
- 10. Whether the basic rates for the supply portion have been looked out correctly? If so, by whom?
- 11. Whether anybody has checked item 9 and 10 above. If so, by whom?

### 3. Sanction for undertaking the timber extraction works departmentally.

- 1. When the lowest rate quoted by the enterers is disproportion ally higher than the departmental rate.
- 2. When there are reasons to believe that there was collusion among the tenderers.
- 3. When the Division has plenty of elephant power, abundant labour and reasonably good roads, to take up the work of basic rate less contractor's profit.

(By order of the Governor)

Sd/-*Under Secretary.* 

To

The Chief conservator of Forests, Trivandrum. Endt. on C1.55777/76 ( K.Dis) d/ 15-7-77.

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