

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
Forest and Wild Life (D) Department
NOTIFICATION

G.O.MS. 32/90/F&WLD.

Dated, Trivandrum 30th March, 1990.

S.R.O.No. 487/90 – In exercise of the powers conferred by sub section – (1) of section 3 of the Kerala Forest Produce (Fixation of Selling Price) Act 1978 (29 of 1978) the Government of Kerala after consulting the Expert Committee constituted under Section 4 of the said Act and considering its recommendations hereby fix the selling price of forest produce as specified in the schedule hereto for the financial year 1990-91, namely:-

SCHEDULE

| Sl. No. | Common name of the Forest Produce | Botanical name of the forest produce | Unit | Ex-depot price | Price for standing timber at site | Whether with bark or without bark |
|---------|-----------------------------------|--|---------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | Bamboos | Bamboosa Species | Matric Tonne | 775 | 336 | Not applicable |
| 2 | Reeds | Occhlandra species | Do | 775 | 336 | |
| 3 | Eucalyptus | Eucalyptus Hybrid & Eucalyptus Grandis | Stacked Tonne | 880 | 446 | With bark |
| 4 | Vellapine | Veteria Species | Cubic Metre | 1472 | 1132 | Without bark |
| 5 | Kalpine | Deteroarpus species | do | 1705 | 1365 | -do- |
| 6 | Punna | Calophyllum species | do | 1521 | 1181 | -do- |
| 7 | Chandana Vembu | Toonaciliate | do | 1452 | 1112 | -do- |
| 8 | Pali | Palaquim ellipticuma | do | 1472 | 1132 | Without bark |
| 9 | Matti | Ailanthus triphysa | do | 860 | 520 | -do- |
| 10 | Elavu | Bombaz Malabaricum | do | 877 | 537 | -do- |
| 11 | Kambili | Evodiaroxburghiana | do | 883 | 543 | -do- |
| 12 | Vellakil | Dysoxylum species | do | 3404 | 3064 | -do- |
| 13 | Kadambu | Adina cordifolia | do | 2246 | 1906 | -do- |
| 14 | Vekkalee | Anogeissus latifolia | do | 836 | .. | With bark for firewood/billets |
| 15 | Banda | Kydia salysina | do | 836 | .. | |
| 16 | Uppathy or Vatta | Masaranga peltata | do | 761 | 421 | Without bark |
| 17 | Pala | Alstonia scholaris | do | 769 | 429 | -do- |
| 18 | Thanni | Terminalia bellerica | do | 1334 | 994 | -do- |

Note : 1. The following formula will be adopted for correction of loss of weight after felling in the case of bamboos and reeds.

- a) Weight recorded on or before the 30th day of felling will be treated as such
- b) Weight recorded after thirty (30) days of felling but on or before the seventyfifth (75) day of felling will be multiplied by 10/6
- c) Weight recorded after 75 days from the date of felling will be doubled

- d) In the case of flowered bamboos and reeds, drying is a natural process, even if not felled. Felling is permitted only after seed fall by which time they would have fully dried. Therefore, the weight recorded for such bamboos and reeds shall be doubled.

Note: 2. For the purpose of this notification, in the case of Eucalyptus 2cum. Without bark shall be considered as equivalent to 2.44 cum. With bark.

Note: 3. The price of firewood in relation to all species will be with bark per tone and the price will be double the seigniorage rate for firewood unless otherwise specified.

Note: 4. The prices will apply to sound timber only. The prices for rejections, if any, shall be 70% of the rates, fixed for the concerned species.

By Order of the Governor,

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Secretary to Government (Agriculture and Forests)

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This does not form part of the notification but is intended to indicate its general purport)

The Government of Kerala constituted an Expert Committee under Section 4 of the Kerala Forest Produce (Fixation of Selling Price) Act, 1978, as per Gazette Notifications SRO No.1218/78 dated 26/12/1978. For recommending to Government the selling price of various forest produces. Government have considered the views of the Committee for fixation of selling price for the year 1990-91 as required under section 3 of the above said Act. The present notification is to notify the price of forest produces so fixed to the public.