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Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests,  
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Sub: Evaluation of Plantation - Time schedule for various operations in  
the Plantations - prescribed  
Ref: Letter No.VE3-1898/72 dated 16-11-74 of the Conservator of Forests,  
Evaluation.

The Conservator of Forests, Evaluation while submitting the report on the Evaluation of Plantations raised in the Industrial Plantations Division, Vazhachal has pointed out serious lapses on the part of Rangers/Divisional Forest Officers mainly on account of non-observance of timely and proper execution of various works in the plantations which had a cumulative effect on the present conditions of the plantations.

It is needless to say that success of a plantation depends mainly on proper and timely execution of various operations connected with the plantations. A time bound schedule for various operations is therefore drawn up and appended for compliance.

Any lapse on the part of Rangers/Divisional Forest Officers/Conservator of Forests in this regards will be viewed seriously.

Sd/  
Chief Conservator of Forests.

To

All Conservator of forests/Divl.Forest Officers and Range Officers (through  
Divl.Forest Officers)

Endt. on L.Dis.11154/76(CH) dated 7-6-76

Copy to all contract sections and D section.

Copy to Senior Supdt and Administrative Assistant.

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Copy to Conservator's personal file.

for Conservator of Forests,  
Trichur.

Calendar of operations for raising Teak Plantations 1978/ Plantations of other species.

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| 1. Survey and demarcation  | ----- | ... | April-May 1976.                          |
| 2. Marking of depot supply tress                                 |       | ... | June-July 1976.                          |
| 3. Fixation of contract for depot Delivery species to the depot  |       | ... | August- September- October 1976          |
| 4. Contract period for the depot supply species                  |       | ... | November 1976 to May                     |
| 5. Enumeration of residual growth, Valuation of residual growth, |       | ... | June-July-August 1977.                   |
| 6. Fixation of contract for removal of residual growth           |       | ... | September-October                        |
| 7. Period of contract for removal of Residual growth             |       | ... | November-December 1977                   |
|  |       | ... | January-February 1978.                   |
| 8. Slash felling, burning and reburning                          |       | ... | March 1978                               |
| 9. Slinging, staking   |       | ... | Last week of March to Ist week of April. |
| 10. Planning   |       | ... | 1978 April.                              |

According to commencement of pre-monsoon showers in the case of teak. In the case of other species, planting to be commenced with the onset of regular monsoons viz. On or about middle of June 1978.

**Tending.**

First year of the formation of the plantation 3 weedings (one in June, next one in August and the last one in October)

Replacement of causalities as and when observed and not later than September 1978.

Second year: 3 weeding (one in June, next one in August and the 3rd one in November and cutting back of double leaders.

Third year: 2 weeding and climber cutting if required after the inspection by the Conservator of Forests and according to his directions.

Note: weeding during the first and second year can be dispensed with, if the area is given for cultivation under taungya. Weedings need be undertaken only in case the taungyadar fails to do the weedings as per the provisions of the agreement and that too at the risk and loss of the taungyadar.

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for Chief Conservator for Forests.

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