

Government Memorandum No.F (B) 3-16974/60-2/AD dated 22-04-60 from Agriculture (Forest B) Department

Sub:- Forests –Kulathupuzha Range- Auction of firewood-extension of time for removal petition from Sri.R. Veluswamy Nadar.

Ref:- Letter No.A4-114/60 dated 25-3-60 from the Chief Conservator of Forests.

The removal of firewood before the expiry of the grace period on 20th August 1959 was not possible on account of 'heavy rain and flood'. Why the removal was not effected between 21st August, 1959 and 1st January, 1960, the date of application for the extension of period is not clear. This may be clarified.

2. The party is said to have paid all dues to Government. The Chief Conservator of Forests may state whether the payments were made before the expiry of the grace period ie, 20th August, 1959. If not, when the payments were made, the chalan receipt and other relevant documents in proof of the same may be furnished.

3. The Chief Conservator of Forests is requested to incorporate the following details in all his proposals for extension of period in future:-

- i. Date of auction and the date of which the final payment should be made.
- ii. Last date for the removal of the timber, firewood or other materials.
- iii. Date on which the bidder applied for extension of time.
- iv. Grounds on which the application for the extension has been submitted.
- v. Penalty proposed with precedents to support the proposal, and
- vi. Reasons for the delay in taking up the matter with Government.

Sd/ Asstt. Secretary.

Endt.on A4-114/60 dated 4-5-60.

Copy forwarded to the Conservator of Forests, Quilon for urgent report in continuation of this office even No. dated 25/30-3-60. The instructions contained in para '3' of the Government Memo should be strictly adhered to in future. (Ref. QC4-80/60).

Copy (Extract of para 3) to the Conservators of Forests, Kozhikode and Chalakudy for guidance.

Copy to F.A, Senior Superintendent, A & G Section Superintendents.

Sd/ for Chief Conservator of Forests.

Endt. on F.Dis.2324/60 Al., dated 19-5-60

Copy forwarded to all Divisional Forest Officers and Game Warden for information and attention.

Copy to contract sections (4), A2, D and stock file (A1).

By Order,

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