## CIRCULAR No. 31/86

Sub:- Govt. of India rate for 1986-87 Instructions to continue the 84-85 rates during 1986-87 i.e from (1-11-86 to 31-10-87)

The test auction conducted in sales divisions reveals that a slight increase in the rate is in relation to only one or two items and in all other cases the price fetched is less than that of the existing rate.

It is understood there is no adequate quantity of timber of Government of India specification for supply of Government of India to many sales depots. Also, it is felt that the present Government of India rates are comparatively good rates, than that of the test auction rates.

Government have been addressed from this office to fix the 86-87 rates (from 1-11-86 to 31-10-86) at the same level as for 84-85.

In the circumstances stated above it is instructed that the rates fixed for Government of India supply during 84-85 may be continued for 86-87 also, pending Government approval.

Also an undertaking may be obtained from the parties to whom timber is supplied to Government of India rates to the effect that they are ready to pay difference if any in case if the rate is modified.

The above instructions will be followed pending final orders of Government on the suggestion made to Government on rates to be adopted for 86-87. The Government of India rate for 84-85 is also enclosed here its.

The receipt of this circular will be acknowledged

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