

**Copy of the G.O.RT.2428/70 dated. 24-7-70 from the Government, Agriculture (Forest) Department, Trivandrum to the Chief Conservator of Forest, Tvm.**

Sub:- Forest—extraction of timber Nellapparan reserve-Malayattur Division-- Division of loss to be supplied to Varampuzha Depot to Mudical Depot contract by Sri.P.B.Narayanan Nair—the section of the Divl.Forest officer, malayattur- cerified.

Read:- Letter No.C2-50605/69 dated. 1-7-70 from the Chief Conservator of Forests.

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**ORDER**

Sri. P.B.Narayanan Nair, contractor executed an agreement on 8-5-69 for the work of extraction of marked trees from Nellapparan reserve forest in Thodupuzha reserve of Malayattur Division and deliver of timber to Mudical Depot and Varapuzha Depots. The provision in the agreement is to deliver the softwood species alone to Mudical Depot and the balance hardwood species to Varapuzha Depot. The contractor has so far delivered about 2000 loads in Varapuzha Depot. Another contractor Shri. P.J.Poulose has also delivered about 2000 logs in the above Depot so far. As there is no space at Varapuzha Depot Sri. Narayanan Nair has requested for sanction to deliver the logs at Mudical Depot. Instead of Varapuzha Depot. It is reported that the Divl. Forest Officer Malayattur has allowed the contractor to deliver the balance logs at Mudical Depots.

2. The contractor's rate to Varapuzha Depot is Rs. 74.65 per cum. The rate for transport of selected logs from Varapuzha to Ernakulam for Government of India supplied is Rs. 18/- per cum. i e. The working cost of one cum, of timber when it reaches to Ernakulam Depot is Rs. 92.65 per cum. Whereas that of Mudical Depot is Rs. 91.80 per cum. ie. Rs. 63.10 per cum, for delivery of logs at Mudical Depot and Rs. 28.70 per cum for delivery of the selected logs of Mudical Depot to Ernakulam. So the diversion of timber from Varapuzha to Mudical is advantageous to Government financially also.

In the circumstances, the action of the Divl.Forest Officer, Malayattur in having allowed the contractor for the diversion of the logs to be delivered at Varapuzha to Mudical is hereby ratified.

The Chief conservator of Forests will give instructions to all the subordinate officers not to deviate from the terms and conditions stipulated in the agreement executed by the contractors on any account. If any necessity arises that should be expeditiously taken up with Government and appropriate sanction obtained promptly instead of seeking ratification or expost- facto sanction.

*Sd/- Under Secretary.*

Endt.K.Dis.(C2) 50605/68 dt. 1-8-70.

Copy with copy of the agreement forwarded the C.F.Trichur for necessary action. The conservator of Forests will issued instructions to the subordinate officers that the instructions contained in the G.O should be strictly adhered to in failure.

*Sd/- for Chief Conservator of forests.*

Endt. D.Dis 1508/68 (ML) dt. 24-8-70

Copy communicated to all Divl. Forest Officers for information and guidance. The instructions contained in the last Para of the G.O.should be strictly adhered to in future.

Copy to the Divl. Forest Forest Officer, Malayattur for information and strict attention.

Copy to all other conservator's of forests, wild Life Preservation Officer and Divl.forest officers and Asst. conservator of forests for guidance.

Copy to C1,C3 to C6 sections.

Copy to stock file.

*For Chief conservator of forests.*

Office of the Chief conservator of Forests,  
Trivandrum