Government Circular No. 22801/57/PW dated 21-01-1958/ Public Works Department – Buildings) Trivandrum.

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It has been brought to the notice of the Government that in some cases there has been considerable delay in payment of the Land Acquisition charges even after taking possession of the lands required for Government works. This is reported to be due to want of sanction for incurring expenditure on land acquisition. This is completed to pay interest for such belated payments. Ordinarily no land acquisition proceedings should be started without the necessary sanction. According to the provisions in the Account rules and rules in the P.W.Code, payments for land Acquisition required for works can be made only if there are sanctioned estimates for such works in which provisions is made for land Acquisition charges , The Heads of Departments are requested to see that adequate provision is made in the estimates for works for land Acquisition charges before land Acquisition proposals are made. The Revenue Officers should be provided with the required amounts for the payment of the Land Acquisition charges before the date fixed for the award so that payment of compensation may be made on the same day in all non controversial claims.

By Order of the Governor

Sd/-Deputy Secretary,

C.C.F's Endt.on D.dist 758/58 dated 24-06-1958 Copy to all sub offices for information and strict attention.

Sd. Head Draftsman

Endt. D, Dis 1924/58 dated 19/08/1958 Conservator's Officer, Chalakkudi.

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For Conservator of Forests.

T.V.K.