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Copy of letter No. F(C)A/11.6/75/Misc. dated: 30..3..1998
from Government of India, Ministry of Environment & Forests,
Regional Office (Southern Zone) Bangalore addressed to the
Principal Secretary to Govt. of Kerala, Forests & Wildlife
(B)Department, Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram.

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Sub: Approval of Management Scheme for
Malayattur Forest Division.
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Kindly refer to your letter No. 1318/B1/98/F&WLD dtd.
19.2.98 forwarding management scheme for Malayattur Forest
Division for approval of Govt. of India. The management
scheme has been examined with reference to the provisions of
Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 and National Forest Policy 1988.
The approval to working scheme is accorded under the provisions
of Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 on the following conditions
for taking up works only in areas due for working during
1997-98 in the year 1998-99.

- i) Felling in teak plantations may be undertaken on attaining
rotation age as proposed.
- ii) The Exploitation of bamboo and reeds may be taken up
strictly as per the scheme.
- iii) Felling in Eucalypts plantations may be taken up on
attaining rotation age as proposed.
- iv) Clear felling of cashew plantation and replanting with
high yielding variety cannot be agreed to.
- v) The felling of naturally grown trees shall not be done
in plantations due for felling on completion of rotation age.
- vi) Removal of dead and wind-fallen trees cannot be agreed
to in the absence of supporting data.
- vii) The felling of trees/reeds/bamboos shall not be done in
the areas included in National Park/Wildlife Sanctuary
(Protected areas).

2. The felling of trees on steep slopes and along bank
of river/nallah should be avoided to prevent soil erosion.
The provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 and guide-
lines issued thereunder may please be adhered to while under-
taking the above operations. It is suggested that the detailed
working plan for Malayattur Forest Division may please be sent
for approval to Govt. of India within a period of six months
positively so that working in forest area from 1999-2000 onwards
could be regulated as per the approved working plan.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-
(J.N. Saxena)
Chief Conservator of Forests(Centr

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Copy forwarded to C.F., WP & RC TVM, CF Trissur &
D.F.O. Malayattur for information and necessary action.

Sd/-
Chief Conservator of Forests

Endt. on ML. 2635/98(F.Dis)

O/o.the Conservator of Forest
Central Circle, Thrissur.
dated: 30..4..1998

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Sd/-
for Conservator of Forests

Approved for issue,


Superintendent 11/5/98

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