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Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests,  
Trivandrum, Dated:4.7.1989.

**CIRCULAR NO.17/89**

Sub:- Execution of works – payment according to schedule of Rates –  
Instructions – issued.

Instructions were being issued from time to time for the payment of the rates provided in the estimates to the labourers engaged in Forestry works. But it has been brought to my notice that in many places the officers are very often reluctant to follow the instructions and instances of payment of lower rates than those provided in the estimates for works such as pitting and filling polythene bags have been brought to light during the inspections by Vigilance Wing. It may be noted in this connection that payment of lower wages to the workers than that provided in the estimate and charging higher rates are serious financial irregularities. This should be dispensed with immediately. Engaging Fire Watchers, Nursery Watchers, Plantation watchers, etc under P.C.R. is also highly irregular. Only works which are measurable alone can be executed in P.C.R. It is therefore once again brought to all concerned that the above instructions should be corpulously followed and violations if any noticed will be viewed very seriously. The receipt of this circular may be acknowledged by return.

**SIVARAJAN,**  
PRL. CLIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS

To

1. All Subordinate Officers.
2. PA/CA, to all C.C.Fs.
3. All Branch Officers in this office.
4. Circular File/stock file.
5. C1 section Circular File