GOVERNMENT OF KERALA <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Forest Department – publication of Sale of Livestock confiscated under Section 61-A of the Kerala Forest Act 1961 in the Gazette – Exempted – orders issued.

Agriculture (Forest Misc.) Department	
G.O.(MS) No.303/77/AD.	Dated, Trivandrum, 24-10-'77.

Read:- 1. G.O.(Ms) No. 373/60/Agri. dated 7-5-60.
2. Letter No.C4-32196/75 dt. 11-12-'76 from the Chief Conservator of Forests.

<u>ORDER</u>

In the light of the orders issued in the G.O. read above, livestock confiscated under Section 61 A of the Kerala Forest Act 1961 are disposed of in auction as any other 'thondy' articles after observing the formality of publication of necessary notification in the Gazette. The Chief Conservator of Forests has reported that if the above procedure is observed, there will be delay for the disposal of the livestock and that the Department will have to spend more money for maintaining them. It is also reported that sometimes the value fetched in auction may not be economical to the Deptt. In view of the above facts, the Chief Conservator of Forests has recommended to accord sanction to exempt the sale of livestock confiscated under the Kerala Forest Act, 1961 if the sale proceeds are expected to be above Rs.1000/- from the Publication of Gazette Notification.

2. In the circumstances reported by the Chief Conservator of Forests sanction is hereby accorded to exempt from the formality of publication in the Gazette in respect of the sale of livestock, confiscated under section 61 A of the Kerala Forest Act, 1961 even if the sale proceeds are expected to be above Rs.1000/- (Rupees one thousand only).

3. The G.O. read above stand modified to this extent.

By order of the Governor, Sd/-Additional Secretary.

To the Chief Conservator of Forests.

Endt. on C4-32196/75 dt. 29-10-'77. Copy to all Conservators of Forests & DFOs.

> Sd/-For Chief Conservator of Forests.

Endt. on ML-20048/77/D.Dis/7-11-77

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For Conservator of Forests, Trichur.