CIRCULAR

It has come to the notice of the Conservator of Forests that some of the Divl. Forest Officers are granting extension of time to the contracts for working in coupes in anticipation of approval and then write to the Conservator of Forests for ratification presenting the Conservator of Forests with a "fait accompli". This is highly irregular and against the provisions of the agreement conditions. Such irregular actions of the Divl. Forest Officers should cease forthwith. Since the Divl. Forest Officers are not vested with powers for granting extension of time, prior orders of the Conservator of Forests should invariably be obtained in each case before extension of time is given and any violation of these instruction will be seriously viewed and action taken against the defaulters. The receipt of the circular should be acknowledged.

A.Govinda Menon, Conservator of forests.

To

All Divl. Forest Officers in the Circle. All contract sections Copy submitted to Chief Conservator of Forests, Trivandrum for information. Copy to Circular File.

By Order

Manager