

**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

**ABSTRACT**

**Forest Offence-Transport of Seizures- Delegation of Powers to the Forest Officers Sanctioned.**

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AGRICULTURE (FOREST) DEPARTMENT

**G.O.Rt. 2811/72/AD**

**Trivandrum, dated : 18.12.1972**

*Read: 1. Letter No. G1-38256/72 dt. 14.9.72*

**O R D E R**

In the letter read above the Chief Conservator of Forests reported that there have been cases of detection of illicit felling of Rosewood and removal of sandalwood occasionally in various Divisions. As the seizures involved in such cases have to be transported to safer places without delay, the formalities like calling for tenders etc. for transport cannot be observed. Therefore the Chief Conservator of Forests has recommended that necessary powers may be delegated to the Divisional Forest Officers for taking up the work departmentally without calling for tenders for transporting thondy timber to safer places, up to Rs. 200/- subject to conditions that the rates should be within the schedule of rates sanctioned from time to time.

Government are pleased to accept the recommendations of the Chief Conservator of Forests and they order accordingly.

By Order of the Governor,  
C. Narayana Poduval  
**Joint Secretary to Govt.**

**To,**

The Chief Conservator of Forests.

*Endt on G1-(K.Dis) 38256/72 dt 6.1.73*

Copy to all Conservator of Forests and Divisional Forest Officers for information and attention.

Sd/-  
Chief Conservator of Forests.

*Endt on KT-8265/69 dt 26.2.73*

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For Conservator of Forests,  
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