

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Forests - Supply of sleepers to the Railways - arrangement with the K.D.H.P. Co., Ltd., Munnar for the supply of 15,000 Cft of sleeper Specials-sanctioned.

AGRICULTURE (FOREST) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS804/Agri.

Dated 28-6-62.

Read:- again 1. G.O.Ms. 369/62/Agri. Dated 17-3-1962

2. G.O.MS 508/62/Agri. Dated 6-4-1962

3. Correspondence ending with letter No. C4-4998/59 dated 25-5-62 from the Chief Conservator of Forests.

4. Letter No. LR (B) 3-35142/61 dated 23-1-62 from the Secretary, Board of Revenue.

ORDER

In the G.O. read as first paper above, sanction was accorded for the supply of track sleeper to the Railways. Sanction for the supply of Venteak sleeper specials on an experimental basis and or rejected sleepers was accorded as per G.O. read as second paper above.

The Chief Conservator of Forests had reported that the supply of sleeper specials at the rates proposed by the Railways would be uneconomical to Government and therefore he suggested an arrangement with the K.D.H.P. Co., Munnar who has agreed to supply sleeper specials at the rate of Rs. 5/- per cft for delivery at their Mill site at Munnar. A question was then raised as to whether seigniorage is to be realized from the Company as per the title deed. But since this is an arrangement for the supply of sleepers to Government and not to anybody else. Government consider that seigniorage need not be realized in this case.

The Chief Conservator of Forests had now reported that the K.D.H.P.Co., is agreeable to the supply of sleeper specials only if the rate is enhanced to Rs. 6/- per cft. Government have examined the matter in all its aspects and are pleased to accord sanction to the Chief Conservator of Forests for entering into an arrangement with the K.D.H.P.Co. for the supply of 15,000 Cft of sleeper specials at the rate of Rs.6/- per cft (for delivery at their Mill site at Munnar) The transport from Munnar and delivery at the Railhead (Ernakulam) will be arranged by the Department at Government cost, The above quantity of 15,000 Cft of specials alone will be supplied to the Government of India. The supply will be made at the following rates (F.O.R)

<u>Length</u>	<u>Rate per Cft.</u>
Below 6'	6.90
6' and above upto 7'	7.20
Over 7' and upto 8'	7.45
" 8' and upto 9'	7.70
" 9' and upto 10'	7.95
" 10' and upto 11'	8.20
" 11' and upto 12'	8.60
" 12' and upto 15'	8.85
" 15' and upto 18:	11.10
" 18'	12.60

By order of the Governor

Sd/-

Secretary to Government

Endt on C4 - 8040/61 dated 12-7-62

Copy forwarded to the Forest Utilisation Officer Trivandrum and Conservator of Forests Chalakudy for information and necessary action. The Conservator of Forest Chalakudy will arrange for taking necessary agreement with the K.D.H.P Company Munnar.

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For Chief Conservator of Forests

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Forwarded/ By Order
Superintendent.