GOVERNMENT OF KERALA ABSTRACT

Forest Department supply of timber for the construction of a bridge across Periyar river at Karimban junction - orders issued.

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AGRICULTURE (FOREST) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.2652/72/AD.

Dated, Trivandrum 24/11/1972

Read:- 1. Petition date 17/04/1972 from the Karimpan Chappathu Nirmana Sanit.

- 2. Representation date 29/05/1972 from Shri. C.K. Kessavan.
- 3. Letter No. C2-25481/72 dated 21/08/1972 from the C.C.F.

ORDER

In the petition read as first paper above the Karimpan Chappathu Nirman Samithy requested Government that the timber required for the construction of a bridge in Periyar at Karimban junction may be supplied free of cost. IN the representation read as second paper Shri. C.K. Kesavan, the contractor, requested Government that sufficient quantity of jungle wood which are unfit for transportation to the Government depot but which are suitable for the bridge construction work may be supplied, if possible free of cost or if not at concessional rate. It is reported by the Chief Conservator of Forests that the bridge will be useful for transport of Forest produce and also solve the communication problem of the local people to a very great extent. He has therefore recommended that 40 cum of Maruthy timber may be supplied to the Contractor subject to realization of value at seigniorage rate, from the trees marked in the supply coupes in Upputhode Special range for construction of the bridge. A concession rate of seigniorage shall be collected. After collection the logs will be check measured by the Divisional Forest Officer. Value realized and pass issued for removal of round logs to the bridge site. Conversion of logs will be allowed only at bridge.

Government accept the recommendation of the Chief Conservator of Forests subject to the following condition. (1) After completion of the present contract the petitioner will not be entitled to claim any compensation for the bridge. (2) He should have the bridge as it is as per provision of the agreement. The timber to be supplied in this regard should be utilized only for the purpose for which it is supplied.

P. Krishnan Nair, Under Secretary.

Endt. On K.Dis C2-25481/72 dated 3-12-1972.

Copy forwarded to the Conservator of Forests, Trichur for necessary action (Ref. KT.11310/72 dated 11-7-1972.)

Copy to the Divl. Forest Officer, Kottayam as in continuation of this office Letter of even No. dated 31-8-1972 for necessary action (C7.3461/71)

Sd/-For Chief Conservator of Forests

Endt. K.Dis (KT)11310/72 Dated 21/03/1973

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For Conservator of Forests, Trichur.