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Office of the Conservator of forests,
Central Circle, Trichur-20 Dt.11-8-1982.

From

T.K.Raghavan Nair, IPS
Conservator of Forest, Trichur.

To

The Chief Conservator of Forests,
Trivandrum.

Sub:- Forests- Petty Sales-Fixing of EMD- Proposal called fro-reg.
Ref:- That office CL-13815/82 dt.31-3-82.

Sir,

Instances of backing out from the offer by hidden of Taungya sales in Depot auctions, Usufructs including Cashew, firewood, timber and poles in dumping sites etc. are on the increase. In many cases steps for recovery of loss due to reauction have been hindered by orders and injunctions of Courts. The tendency of the bidders has to be discourages: other-wise, Dept: will find it very difficult to recover the losses arising out of resale in such cases.

Easiest method of discouraging such tendency is to enhance the rate of EMD and part value that is to be realized on the date of auction. In the circumstances, I may suggest the following for favor if consideration and appropriate orders.

EMD: Depot Sales: Rs.5,000/-

Other Sales: 5% of the assessed value of the Product put up for auction or Rs.5,000/- which ever is less.

Part-value:- $\frac{1}{3}^{\text{rd}}$ of the bid amount or Rs.30,000/-whichever is less.

Yours faithfully,

For conservator of Forests.

c.c.Sections: VC/TR/CH/AL/&ML Stock file for information.