GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Forests- Works-Fixing of earnest money deposit and security deposit-uniform procedure-prescribed.

Agriculture & Rural Development Department (Agriculture ---Forest)

G.O.No.775/64/Agri.

Trivandrum, dated 16-11-1964.

Read again:- (i) G.O.MS.No.15/PW. dated 13-1-1961.

(ii) Letter No.C1-6296/58 dated 10/12-8-1964 from the Chief Conservator of Forests.

ORDER

There is at present no uniform procedure for fixing earnest money deposits and security deposit in respect of forest works. After careful consideration of the matter in consultation with the Chief Conservator of Forests, Government are pleased to prescribe the following procedure for fixing earnest money and security deposit for forest works.

I. Earnest Money Deposit.

i. When the value of the work does not exceed Rs.5 lakhs.

ii. When the value of the work exceeds Rs.5 lakhs

2% of the probable amount

Of the work.

1% of the probable amount

of the contract subject to a minimum

of Rs.10,000 and a maximum of Rs.50,000 per work.

II Security Deposit.

The security deposit will be fixed as 10% of the contract value subject to a maximum of Rs.20,000.Regarding retention money, the existing practice of deducting 10% from the Kolevila bills of the contractors will be continued.

(By order of the Governor)

T.R. Sukumaran Nair,

Joint Secretary.

To

The Chief Conservator of Forests,

The Accountant General (This order issues with the concurrence of finance Department)

The Finance Department (vide U.O.No.7528/Agri.& Dev/A1/64/Fin. dated 8-10-1964.

Copy of Forest Establishment, F1,F2 and F4 branches, Stock file.

Endt.on C1-6296/58 dated 7-12-64.

Chief Conservator's Office, Trivandrum.

Communicated to:-

All Conservators of Forests, Chalakudy.

Divisional Forest officers.

All Superintendents in Head Office.

C1,to C6 sections.

Copy to all Asst.Conservators, Wild Life Preservation Officer, Silvicultural Research Officer, Spl.Officer for code Revision, Forest Vetenary Officer.

Copy to Officers in Head Office.

For Chief Conservator of Forests.

Endt.on D.Dis (ML) 10233/64 dated 14-12-1964.

Copy to KT, CH, TR, D, HA, ML Stock files.

Copy to the Superintendent's stock file.

For Conservator of Forests.