

Copy of the letter No. GI/II/I/1395 dt 9-2-1977 from the Kerala Forests Development Corporation, Ltd. Kottayam to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Trivandrum

Sub:- K.F.D.C Planting Programme- Availability of area

As per G.O (MS) 43/76/ Ad dt 9-2-1976 Government have issued orders reserving areas to be worked by the Corporation during the project period. In the above G. O Government have also approved the immediate handing over of the 1000 ha. To the corporation. But actually we would plant only about 500ha. During 1976. Divisional Forest officer Punalur has now asked for orders for transfer of more areas to the corporation this year, in the letter No. PAI-3708/75 dt. 15-1-1977 addressed to the Regional Manager, Punalur.

There are no orders from Government for ordering transfer of more area immediately for the Corporation. Government have not been requested for the same because even through as per the Project Report, every year 4000ha. Have to be transferred to Kerala Forest Development corporation so far be have not been able to know the exact extent which will be available to the corporation every year. In view of the fact that Government have already set a part areas in the above G.O. and also that the project prepared for the clearness have already been approved by the Government (where 4000 ha. Will be cleared annually and planted by the Corporation), I may please the informed, if it is still necessary to get orders every year requesting for the transfer of a particular area in each Division for the corporation. In my view this will complicate matters. I there fore request that as long as the department is clearing only area with in the area reserved for the corporation, no separate sanction may be insisted upon. After planting every year Government have been informed about the total area the department transferred to the Corporation during the year. The views of the Chief Conservator of Forests may please be informed in the matter that further action can be taken in the matter. In the meanwhile the Divisional Forest officer, Punalur, Trivandrum, Trichur etc. may be permitted to transfer as much areas as possible, not exceeding the target fixed for each Division to the Corporation.

Yours Faithfully.
Sd/-

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Copy of letter No. P1-10115/77 dt. 12-2-1977 from the Chief conservator of Forests, Trivandrum to the Conservator of Forests, Trichur etc.

Sub:- K. F. D. C planting programmed- availability of area
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In forwarding here with a copy of letter No. GL/II/I 1395 dt. 9-2-1977 of the Managing Director, Kerala Forest Development, Corporation, I am to state that no separate orders are required to transfer of area annually to the Kerala Forest Development corporation.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-
For Chief Conservator of Forests

Copy of DFOs, Trichur, Kottayam, Malayattur, Munnar, Chalakudy etc