## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA ABSTRACT

Kerala Forest Development Corporation – Planting programme – Transfer of areas by Forest Department – Orders issued

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## AGRICULTURE (FOREST GENERAL) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.380/76/AD.

Trivandrum, Dated, 11.11.1976.

Read:- D.O.letter No.P1-49719/75 dated 23.9.76 from CCF, Tvm.

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## **ORDER**

According to the project report of Kerala Forest Development Corporation, the forest areas with residual growth will have to be handed over to the Kerala Forest Development Corporation after the "Supply" timber has been extracted by the Forest Department – Enumeration, valuation and sale of residual tree growth have to be done by the corporation and sale proceed collected by the corporation itself and Govt. 's' share returned to Govt. the Chief Conservator of Forests in his letter cited has reported that from experience it seen that considerable delay is caused in enumerating and preparing the valuation statement in respect of sales occupies after the supply work is over, due to paucity of staff. He has further stated that even if additional staff is put on the work, it is doubtful whether the work would be completed in time so as to enable the KFDC to dispose of the tree growth in public auction and make the area ready for planting during the coming season. He has therefore requested that the area intended for allotment to KFDC may be handed over to Corporation as soon as depot quality timber is extracted, after examining all the aspects of the case well, Govt. are pleased to accord sanction for handing over the area intended for allotment to KFDC by the Forest Department as soon as Depot quality timber is extracted, provided the Corporation with the Forest Department before the residual tree growth is put to auction and subject to the final value being adjusted according to the actual proceeds in auction.

2. The Chief Conservator of Forests will pursue follow up action to ensure that the Department is fully in the picture till final valuation is done, so that the department's revenue is not affected prejudicially.

(By order of the Governor)

P.Surendranathan, Under Secretary

To

The Chief Conservator of Forests/ The MD, KFDC, etc. etc.

Endt. On FS-7770/75 dt. 23.11.76

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For Conservator of Forests Trichur.