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## <u>CIRCULAR</u>

Sub:- Criminal Justice – Filing of appeals - Nothing on the copy of the Judgement – Discontinuance of – Instructions issued.

An instances has been brought to the notice of Govt. wherein an Asst: Public Prosecutor and a Sub Inspector of Police have made use of the attested copy of the Judgement in a case for correspondance, opinion, directions etc. in emergent cases, the attested copy of the judgement can be made use of for filing of appeals in case the copy is legible. In the instance case, as there has been delay on the part of officers is getting a certified copy of the judgement, the attested copy could have been used for filing or appeal, but owing to the careless use of the Judgement for correspondance, opinion and directions by the Officers concerned, it was rendered unfit for filing of appeal. This has resulted in miscarriage of justice, Govt. view this practice of noting on the judgment with great concern. Govt. hereby direct all Officers concerned that attested or certified copies of Judgements should not hereafter be used for noting, correspondence, opinions, directions orin any other manner to write anything on it. All correspondance, noting, opinions etc. should be made on separate sheets of paper. Any lapse on the part of officers in this regard, will be viewed seriously by Govt. and the erring officers will be liable for disciplinary action.

## J.S. JANARDHANAN SPL. SECRETARY

## Endt. on E7-26704/80/K.Dis. dt.21-6-80.

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Sd/- for Chief Conservator of Forests.

## Endt.on G1-10189/80 dt. 24-7-80.

Copy forwarded to sections G3/A3 and all contract sections for information.

for Conservator of Forests, Trichur.