## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA ABSTRACT

Forest Department – License fees for hunting and shooting of Wild Animals in the Forest areas – Revised orders issued.

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## Agriculture & Rural Development Department (Agriculture-Forest-Estt.)

G.O.Rt-163/67/Agri.

Dated 24-4-1967

Read:- 1. G.O.Ms.767/Agri. dated 28-7-1959.

2. Letter G4-31831/65 dated 17-12-1965 from the Chief Conservator of Forests.

## **ORDER**

At the 9<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Tourist Development Council held at Hyderabad, the Council accepted the suggestion that there should be discrimination between Indian and foreign hunters regarding levy of uniform fees for reservation of shooting blocks and game licenses for Indian as well as foreign hunters.

2. The Chief Conservator of Forests has reported that there is no difference in shooting license fee for foreigners and local citizens in this State and that the following are the current rates for shooting license in Kerala (vide G.O.MS.767/Agri. dated 28-7-59).

I. Whole State excepting Nenmara And Wynad division

Rs.200/- for big game license which includes small game also.

II. Nenmara or Wyanad division

Rs.150/- for Big game license

III. For reserves and un reserves in Any one Forest division Excepting Nenmara & Wynad Division. Rs.50/- for Big game license

IV. For any two Forest Divisions other Than Nenmara and Wynad and Three divisions other than Nenmara and Wynad.

Rs.75/- for Big game license

V. Small game licenses issued at 50% Of the rates for Big game for areas Other than Nenmara and Wynad Divisions where no small game Licenses will be issued.

VI. A deposit of Rs.100/- will be insisted on every such license whether Big or small game.

- 3. The Chief Conservator of Forests has recommended that the above rates may be enhanced by 50% uniformly, applicable both to foreign and local shikaries.
- 4. Government accept the proposal of the Chief Conservator of Forests and order accordingly. A deposit of Rs.150/- (instead of Rs.100/-) will be insisted on every license whether Big of small game. The G.O. read as first paper stands modified to this extent also.

By order of the Governor,

**T.R. Sukumaran Nair,** Joint Secretary.

To

The Chief Conservator of Forests.

## Endt.on G4-(D.Dis) 31832/65 dated 17-5-1967.

Copy communicated to all Conservators of Forests, Divisional Forest Officers and Wild Life Preservation Officer, Thekkady, Principal, Kerala Forest School, Walayar and Assistant Conservator of Forests for information.

Sd/-**M.P. Karunakaran Nair,**For Chief Conservator of Forests.

Endt. on G2-7576/67 L.Dis.) dated 24-5-1967.

Copy to Conservator of Forests, Senior superintendent, Stock file and Circular file.

Conservator's Office, Chalakudy.

For Conservator of Forests