

**Kerala State Wood Industries Ltd, (KESWIL)**

The KESWIL is established in the year 1981 at Nilambur with the intention of using the world famous teak wood of Nilambur for making costly furniture and joiners, wooden sawn sizes and parquet tiles for export purposes. Initially, the industries were under the control of forest department and later it was formed into a limited company. The company has rare infrastructure with the machines imported from foreign countries for making beautiful furniture and other wood products. At present, there are 132 labourers and 7 supervisory staff working in the company. The company was under lockout since 01-06-1993 and has re-opened during May 2002.