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Forest and Wildlife (B) Department

NOTIFICATION

G. O. (Ms) No. 18/2015/F&WLD. Dated, *Thiruvananthapuram, 31st March, 2015*
17th Meenam, 1190.

S. R. O. No. 190/2015.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Kerala Forest Produce (Fixation of Selling Price) Act, 1978 (29 of 1978), the Government of Kerala, after consulting the Expert Committee constituted under section 4 of the said Act and considering its recommendations as required by sub-section (3) of section 3 thereof, hereby fix the selling price of the forest produce, as specified in the schedule hereto, for the financial year 2015-16 namely:—

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SCHEDULE

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Common name of the forest produce</i>	<i>Botanical name of the Forest Produce</i>	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Price for Standing timber at site (₹)</i>	<i>Ex-depot price (₹)</i>	<i>Whether with bark or without bark</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1	Bamboos	Bamboosa Species	MT	2,040	5,400	Not applicable
2	Reeds	Ochalandra Species	MT	3,000	3,600	"
3	Eucalyptus	Eucalyptus Hybrid and Grandis	stacked tone	3,900	7,410	with bark
4	Vellapine	Vateria Indica	M ³	8,140	10,010	without bark
5	Kalpine	Depterocarpus Species	"	22,770	25,190	"
6	Punna	Calophyllum Species	"	10,620	12,380	"
7	Chandana Vembu	Toona Ciliata	"	25,080	26,790	"
8	Pali	Palaquim Ellipticum	"	12,980	14,800	"
9	Matti	Ailanthus Malabaricum	"	4,510	6,220	"
10	Elavu	Bombax Malabaricum	"	10,840	12,710	"
11	Kambili	Evodia Roxburgiana	"	7,920	9,740	"

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
12	Vellakil	Dysoxylum Malabaricum	M ³	31,790	33,500	without bark
13	Manjakadambu	Adina Cordifolia	"	27,010	28,990	"
14	Vekkalee	Anogeissus Latifolia	"	6,880	8,750	with bark
15	Benda	Kydia Calycina	"	5,610	7,430	"
16	Vatta	Macaranga Peltata (Macaranga Roxburgiana)	"	9,460	11,550	"
17	Pala	Alstonia Scholaris	"	7,370	9,240	"
18	Thanni	Terminalia Bellerica	"	16,280	18,150	"

Note:—

1. The following formulae shall be adopted for correction of loss of weight after felling, in the case of bamboos and reeds:—
 - (a) Weight recorded on or before the 30th day of felling shall be treated as such.
 - (b) Weight recorded after thirty days of felling, but on or before seventy five days of felling shall be multiplied by 10/6.
 - (c) Weight recorded after seventy five days from the date of felling shall be doubled.
 - (d) In the case of flowered bamboos and reeds, drying is a natural process even if not felled. Felling is permitted only after seed fall by which time they would have fully dried. Therefore, the weight recorded for such bamboos and reeds shall be doubled.
2. For the purpose of this notification, in the case of Eucalyptus, two cubic metre without bark shall be considered as 2.44 cubic metre with bark.

3. The price of firewood in relation to all species shall be with bark per tonne, and the price shall be double the seigniorage rate, for firewood, unless otherwise specified.
4. The price shall apply to sound timber only. The reject timber and the Lops and Tops' shall be sold only by auction.

By order of the Governor,

P. MARA PANDIYAN,
Principal Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The Government of Kerala have constituted an Expert Committee under section 4 of the Kerala Forest Produce (Fixation of Selling Price) Act, 1978, as per notification published as S.R.O. No. 1218/78 dated 26th December, 1978, for recommending the Government the selling price of the forest produces. The Government have considered the recommendation of this Committee for fixation of price of forest produce for the financial year 2015-16 as required under subsection (1) of section 3 of the said Act.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.
