



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA



Abstract

Forest & Wildlife Department-Various schemes of Forest Department for the financial year 2021-2022-Administrative Sanction accorded-Orders issued.

FOREST & WILDLIFE (D) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.18/2021/F&WLD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 06/10/2021

- Read 1) No: C3-1582/2010/4734 dated 25/06/2021 from the Managing Director, Kerala Forest Development Corporation Ltd., Kottayam.
- 2) Letter No. P6-2206/2021 dated 16/07/2021 from the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Planning & Development).
- 3) Letter No. P6-2277/2020 dated 23/07/2021 from the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Planning & Development).
- 4) Letter No. P6-2277(A)/2020 dated 23/07/2021 from the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Planning & Development).
- 5) Letter No. P6-2277(B)/2020 dated 23/07/2021 from the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Planning & Development).
- 6) Minutes of the Departmental Working Group Meeting held on 23/07/2021.
- 7) Minutes of the Departmental Working Group Meeting held on 18/08/2021.

ORDER

The Managing Director, Kerala Forest Development Corporation(KFDC), as per the letter read as 1st paper above and Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Planning & Development), as per the letters read 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th papers above, have furnished the following proposals, for granting Administrative Sanction after consideration of the Departmental Working Group:-

1. Revitalization of the existing old Cardamom Plantations by KFDC
2. Mission Forestry Clubs
3. Vidhya Vanam
4. Nagara Vanam
5. Eco-restoration (conversion) of Eucalyptus plantations in Territorial Forest Divisions to natural forests

6. Eco-restoration (conversion) of Acacia mangium and Acacia auriculiformis plantations in Territorial Forest Divisions to natural forests
7. Eco-restoration (Conversion) of Wattle plantations in Territorial Forest Divisions to natural forests

2. The Departmental Working Group Meeting considered the above proposals and as per the minutes read 6th and 7th paper above, Government are pleased to accord Administrative Sanction for the following proposals for the financial year 2021-2022, as detailed below:-

1. To revitalize/rejuvenate the old cardamom plantations of KFDC and for the maintenance of plantations restocked, by expending an amount of ₹200/- lakh (Rupees Two Hundred Lakh only), under the Head of Account: 4406-01-190-99 Kerala Forest Development Corporation – investments, during the financial year 2021-22 in continuation of the year 2020-21.
2. To Formulate/ Revamp 100 numbers of Forestry Clubs in the State during 2021-2022 by expending an amount of ₹10/- lakh (Rupees Ten Lakh only) (100 nos X ₹10000 = ₹10,000,00), under the Head of Account: 2406-01-800-55(01) Extension Forestry (Plan), during the financial year 2021-22.
3. To setup 500 numbers of Vidhyavanam in the state within a span of 5 years. Also sanction is accorded to set up 100 numbers of Vidhyavanam during 2021-22 by expending an amount of ₹200/- lakh (Rupees Two Hundred Lakh only) (100 nos X Rs. 2,00,000 = Rs. 2,00,00,000), under the BH: 2406-01-800-55(01) Extension Forestry (Plan), during the financial year 2021-22
4. To implement the project 'Nagara Vanam' over a period of 5 years, for a total cost of ₹200/- lakh (Rupees Two Hundred Lakh only). Also, the above proposal has been approved and sanction is accorded to implement the project 'Nagara Vanam' by expending an amount of ₹40/- lakhs (Rupees Forty Lakh only) under the BH: 2406-01-800-55(01) Extension Forestry (Plan), for the financial year 2021-22.
5. To implement the scheme 'Eco-restoration (conversion) of the Eucalyptus plantations in Territorial Forest Divisions of Kerala to natural forests' condition through replanting/ enrichment planting with indigenous species and also providing protection from fire and soil erosion, by expending an amount of ₹275/- lakh (Rupees Two Hundred and Seventy Five Lakh only), under the BH: 2406-01-101-94-Regeneration of denuded forest, during the financial year 2021-22.
6. To implement the scheme 'Eco-restoration (conversion) of Acacia mangium and Acacia auriculiformis plantations in Territorial Forest Divisions to natural forests' condition through replanting/ enrichment planting with indigenous species and also providing protection from fire and soil erosion, by expending an amount of

- ₹240/- lakh (Rupees Two Hundred and Forty Lakh only), under the : BH: 4406-01-105-87 (2) - Industrial Raw Material (IRM), during the financial year 2021-22.
7. To implement the scheme 'Eco-restoration (Conversion) of Wattle plantations in Territorial Forest Divisions to natural forests' condition through replanting/enrichment planting with indigenous species and also providing protection from fire and soil erosion, by expending an amount of ₹500/- lakh (Rupees Five Hundred Lakh only), under the BH: 4406-01-105-87 (1) - Hardwood Specie, during the financial year 2021-22.

(By order of the Governor)
Rajesh Kumar Sinha
Principal Secretary

To:

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force,
Thiruvananthapuram.

The Managing Director, Kerala Forest Development Corporation.

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Planning & Development),
Thiruvananthapuram.

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Social Forestry),
Thiruvananthapuram.

The Chief (Agriculture), State Planning Board, Patto,

The Joint Secretary, Finance (Agri-B) Department,

The Chief Conservator of Forests (E&TW), Thiruvananthapuram.

The Principal Accountant General (A&E)/(Audit) Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

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