



ABSTRACT

Forests – Fixation of fair price and retail price for sale of sandal wood for the years 2020-21 to 2023-24 – Orders - issued.

Environment, Climate Change and Forest (FR.4) Department

G.O.(D) No: 164

Dated: 06.09.2024

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Read:

1. G.O.(D) No. 152, E & F (FR-4) Department, dated 27.10.2020
2. From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Officer), Chennai - 32, Letter No.E3/10705/2022, dated 15.06.2023.

ORDER:

In the Government order 1st read above, orders were issued for fixation of fair price and retail price for sale of sandalwood for the year 2018-19 and 2019-20.

2. In the letter 2nd read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai has recommended a proposal for fixation of fair price and retail price for sale of various classes of sandal wood proposed by the Committee constituted for this purpose for the years 2020-21 to 2023-24.

3. The Government after careful examination, accept the recommendation of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), and fix the fair price and retail price for various classes of sandal wood for the year 2020-21 to 2023-24 as follows:-

(Rs. per MT)

Sl. No.	Name of the Class	Fair price from 2020-21 to 2023-24	Retail price for 2020-21	Retail price for 2021-22	Retail price for 2022-23	Retail price for 2023-24
			(6% increase annually)			
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1.	Chotla	16435200	19163443	20313250	21532045	22823967
2.	Gadbadla	16653600	19418098	20583183	21818174	23127265
3.	Roots I Class	15158016	17674247	18734702	19858784	21050311
4.	Roots II Class	15059520	17559400	18612964	19729742	20913527
5.	Roots III Class	14040864	16371647	17353946	18395183	19498894

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6.	Jajpokal I Class	25466400	29693822	31475452	33363979	35365818
7.	Jajpokal II Class	22654080	26414657	27999537	29679509	31460279
8.	Ainbagar	18779040	21896361	23210142	24602751	26078916
9.	Cheria	16848000	19644768	20823454	22072861	23397233
10.	Ainchilta	11993184	13984052	14823095	15712481	16655230
11.	Milwachilta	8328096	9710560	10293194	10910786	11565433
12.	Basola Bukni	7081344	8256847	8752257	9277393	9834037
13.	Fire affected billets	13737600	16018042	16979124	17997872	19077744
14.	Fire affected roots	12700800	14809133	15697681	16639542	17637914
15.	Saw Dust	3109000	-	-	-	-

(i) The rate of Rs.347/- per Kg for Sandal Sap Wood for the year 2020-21 is retained for the years 2021-22 to 2023-24.

(ii) The fair price for Spent dust for the years 2020-21 to 2023-24 is fixed at Rs.347/- per Kg.

4. The Government also direct the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests to collect the difference of cost from purchasers, who have given undertaking for paying the difference of cost, if any, after fixing the rate for sandalwood for the year 2021-22 to 2023-24, for the sandalwood supplied during the above period.

5. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department in e-office in this Department file No. 5010388/FR.4/2023, dated 13.10.2023.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**P. SENTHILKUMAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force), Chennai-32.

The District Forest Officer, Salem / Thirupattur / Sathyamangalam.

(Through : Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai-32.)

The Accountant General, Chennai-18.

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai-35.

Copy to :

The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Forests), Chennai-9.

The Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government, Chennai-9.

Finance (AHD&F) Department, Chennai-9.

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Section Officer
26/10/24