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Sub: - Social Forestry programme - Nursery development - permanent nurseries - Developing fruit orchands Regarding.

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In every district, a number of permanent nurseries are developed by the Divl.Forest Office s under the Social Forestry programmes, with adequate water supply from open or bore wells. Such nurseries are mostly situated in reserve forests, while a few are in Government lands allotted permanently for this purpose by the Revenue Department. Most of these nurseries also usually have an area more than what is likely to be required for raising the nurse ies including tallplant nurseries.

- 2. It is suggested that where surplus land is available in these nursories, part of such surplus land may be planted with different types of fruit trees like Mango, Guava, Sapota, Pomogranate and a few coconuts lime etc., and these well maintained to develop into an orchard. The seedlings to be planted as above should be of he best grafted varieties at one each variety, so that when these best grafted varieties at one each variety, so that when these trees grow up, they will be available for production of scoion material for grafting to raise high value fruit seedlings. The fruit trees may be grouped by species so that atleast 4 or 5 trees of each species are grown and properly maintained with adequate watering, and fertiliser application as a part of the overall nursery development and maintenance. About half a hectare of land at one end of the nursery can perhaps be developed into a fruit orchard as indicated above.
- J. Immedia to necessary action may be taken by all Divisional Forest Offices as above, and report compliance to their Conservators ofForests before end of September, 1984.

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Sub:- Social Forestry - Plantation programme - Raising of area estimation- Regarding.

Large scale block plantations are being raised under various Social Forestry programmes both in reserve forests and outside year after year. In all these cases, the areas proposed to be