

FOREST DEPARTMENT

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CIRCULAR No. 5/85/W2

Sub:- Burood Societies - Maintenance of records of the Burood
Societies and submission of quarterly report to CCF.

- Ref:- 1. G.O.Ms.No. 357, F&RD (For.III) Dept.
Dated: 31-10-1984.
2. G.O.Ms.No.439, F&RD (For.III) Dept.
Dated: 26-12-1984.
3. CC's. Ref.No. 35692/84/W2, Dt.12-10-84.

Government is attaching much importance for supply of bamboo to Buroods and other Weaker Sections who are traditionally engaged in manufacturing articles from bamboos. In this connection detailed instructions were issued vide references 1st and 2nd cited regarding quantity of material to be supplied, the percentage of round and split bamboo, checking of accounts by Industries Department and Forest Department Officers etc. In some of the Circles, additional bamboo coupes are also being worked departmentally to meet this increased demand.

In the reference 3rd cited, Conservators of Forests were requested to submit a report regarding the number of society members, quantity supplied in each circle, yearwise. Some of the Conservators of Forests have submitted and some are yet to submit with the result Chief Conservator of Forests is not posted with up to date information regarding the number of Societies, membership and bamboos supplied. It may be quite possible that at Circle level also such information may not be readily available. This information is required as the supply of bamboos to Buroods and other Weaker Sections is a matter of Great importance. For effective implementation of the Government orders the following procedure is suggested.

I. A register should be opened and information posted upto date at the end of the every month by obtaining information from the divisions concerned. This will give an over all picture of the supply of bamboos to this sector at Circle level and after compilation of Circle information this office will be in a position to know the distribution of bamboo to burood societies at state level as a whole.

II. Quarterly return: A quarterly return as per the proforma given below is prescribed.

Details of Burood Societies in Circle:

Sl. Name and full No. of No, address of the persons Society.	Old Society or New Society (Registration No.)
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QUARTERLY SUPPLY

Ist quarter	IIInd Quarter	III rd Quarter	IVth Quarter
Allot Lifted	Allot Lifted	Allot - Lifted	Allot - Lifted
ted	ted	ted	ted
at the	Details Class wise		Remarks
of the year			
Lifted.	Girth class Nos.		
	15 Cm. To 18 Cm. ()		
	12 Cm. to below 15 Cm. . . { }		
	9 Cm. to below 12 Cm. . . { }		
	below 9 Cm. ()		

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The return should be submitted at the end of every quarter starting from October to December to be submitted in January and then Second return in April convering the period from January to March, the third return in July covering the period from April to June and fourth return in October convering the period from July to September. The above 4 returns should be sent in the name of Additional Chief Conservator of Forests (DE) on or before the following dates:-

- First return by 20th of January,
- Second return by 20th of April,
- Third return by 20th of July,
- Fourth return by 20th of October,

The Conservators of Forests are requested to adhere to the above dates and send the returns promptly giving the full information.

III. Any misuse of the bamboo quota by any Society or any unit, should be promptly reported to the Chief Conservator of Forests. Apart from this, while sending the returns, if there are any instances requiring special mention like black-listing of Societies on charges of misuse etc., or any societies going to Court for some reason or other may also be reported even if separte reports have to be submitted earlier,

Since this is a human problem, prompt action should be taken in supplying the material etc., and the Flying squad and other territorial staff may be directed to keep a constant vigil so as to ensure that the material reaches the beneficiaries promptly.

The Divisional Forest Officers are also requested to check the accounts of the Societies frequently as per the powers delegated in G.O.Ms.No. 439, Forests and Rural Development (For. III) Department, Dt.26-12-1984.

The receipt of this circular may be acknowledged.

Sd/- D.V. Rao,
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Forests.