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Sub: FOREST DEPARTMENT - Reservation of forests under the forest Act 1967 - Adding new areas under forests in the final areas-reg.

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The Conservators of Forests/Divisional Forest Officers are informed that a decision has been taken at the highest level that no new forest areas should be formed into blocks for notification under forest Act in the notified tribal areas. Hence they are advised to confine their activity to such of those areas which were already constituted into Forest blocks in the tribal areas and action has been initiated to notify them under Forest Act.

Instructions were issued time and again that there should be no delay in the notification of the un-notified blocks under one section or other of the Forest act 1967.
But the response from the Conservators of Forests/
Divisional Forest Officers was not satisfactory. They are therefore once again informed that they should treat this subject on warfooting and complete notification of all pending blocks in their responditive circles/ divisions by 31.12.1987 positively.

They will please acknowledge the receipt of the circular by return post.

> Sd/ - K.V.S.BABU PRL. CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS & EX.OFFICIO SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

All officers in the Distribution List-A

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