## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH FOREST DEPARTMENT

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Office of the Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests, Aranya Bhavan, A.P., Hyderabad.

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## CIRCULAR No.5/98-AA1

Sub:- Establishment – Forest Department – A.P. Forest Subordinate Services appointment of Foresters by promotion from the category of Forest Guards more than the prescribed quota – Instructions issued – Regarding.

Of late, certain instances, have come to the notice of Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests that certain Divisional Forest Officers have promoted Forest Guards to the category of Foresters by exceeding the prescribed promotion quota of 35%. As per the A.P. State and Subordinate Service Rules, 50% of the vacancies of Foresters to be filled by direct recruitment, 35% by promotion of Forest Guards and 15% by transfer of candidates from Ministerial Establishment.

All the Officers are requested to follow the rule scrupulously. Any violation in exceeding the limits will make the officer liable for disciplinary action. The Conservators of Forests should review the implementation of rule filling vacancies during office inspections of Divisional Forest Officers. Wherever discrepancy (viz) are noticed they should take action against concerned office staff apart from corrective action. They should report against concerned officers to Head Office for taking disciplinary action.

Sd/- S.D.MUKHERJI, PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS

To All the Conservators of Forests/Divisional Forest Officers including Special Circles and Divisions.

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