## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH FOREST DEPARTMENT

Rc.No.6910/97/K2, Office of the Prl.Chief Conservator Dated: 02-05-1998. of Forests, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

> Sri S.D.Mukherji, IFS., Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests.

## CIRCULAR NO. 8/98.

Sub: - Disposal of disciplinary cases - Certain quidelines - Regarding.

Ref:-1) Cir.No.19/63, dt.9-4-63, (Ref.No.36108/63/M3), 2) Guidelines given in the Forest Code.

It has been represented by the A.P.Junior Forest Officers, Association that while dealing with the disciplinary cases arising out of Forest destruction due consideration is not given about the difficulties faced by subordinates and cases booked by them.

In this connection the Conservators of Forests and Divisional Forest Officers are informed that there are clear and elaborate instructions as thow to finalise the disciplinary cases involving destruction of forests in the circular cited above which is very much relevant in these days also. Further the forest code clearly emphasised the duties of section officers, Forest Guards and Forest watchers. If the protection staff are discharging their duties as envisaged in the Forest code, the disciplinary cases be examined with reference to patrolling the beats/sections and bringing out the illicit fellings/encroachments to the notices of the higher officers, booking of cases for the destruction in the forests, tracing the missing material, salvaging the stamp site material, writing diaries and after due consideration the cases should be finalised.

These instructions should be acommunicated to all the Officers concerned.

## Encl:

Sd/-S.D.Mukherji, 1. Circular No. Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests, 19/63, dt.9.4.63.

2. Abstract of duties of section Officers/Forest Guards/ Forest Watchers as per A.P. Forest Department Code Vol-I.

All the Officers in the Distribution List-A.

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