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1.

The rates of seigniorage at which permits for the removal of timbers of unreserved trees and other forest-produce will be issued, shall be as shown in the annexure. Explanation 1. - In the annexure the expression "rough stone" includes undressed burnt stone and every kind of stone that has not been chiselled. Explanation 2. - The rates for timber specified in the annexure apply only to rough or unsquared timber. In the case of squared timber, one and a half times the rates so specified shall be charged. Explanation 3. - The rates specified in the annexure as modified, by the foregoing explanations are the maxima which may be charged and the rates may be reduced by the Collector

without the sanction of the State Government.

2.

The seigniorage prescribed by these rules does not refer to reserved trees and the Collector may by, distinct order, prohibit the grant of any tree or produce on seigniorage either for a time or in certain localities or altogether. Reserved trees and tree or produce for which the issue of seigniorage permits is prohibited by districts order will be sold or otherwise disposed of at the discretion of the Forest Department. Such trees or produce, when found on land which it is proposed to assign on darkhast will be sold or otherwise disposed of at the discretion of the Collector. Provided that the Collector may authorize the disposal of such trees or produce -(i) by a Revenue Divisional Officer, when their value does not exceed two hundred rupees; and (ii) by a Tahsildar or Deputy Tahsildar where the value does not exceed fifty rupees.

3.

The form of permit and method of issue, registration, check and recovery will be prescribed by the Collector in accordance with the general rules framed under the Forest Act.

4.

When applied to timber and fuel, the term "cart-load" is used as equivalent in 20 cubic feet or half a ton, but when applied to minerals, it means the load of an ordinary local cart drawn by two bullocks. The head-load is equivalent to 1 cubic foot or 56 lb. Twenty head-loads equal to one cart-load. Four head-loads equal to one bullock or horse load. Two head-loads equal to one ass or kavadi load. One yoke-load in the case of bullock equals half cart-load. One yoke-load in the case of buffaloes equals to three-fourth of a cart-load. Twelve head-loads equal to one Woddar cart-load. One corjee equals to three cart-loads.

5.

Trees and other forest, produce not shown in the foregoing list when removed from reserved land or except in the case of free removals under rule 7 of the General Rules under section 26 of the Tamil Nadu Forest Act, 1882, from unreserved land, are chargeable at such rates as may be decided, from time to time, by the Collector.

6.

The Collector shall exercise the powers conferred on him by these rules subject to the condition that he secures the concurrence of the Chief Conservator. If the Collector and the Chief Conservator disagree, the Collector shall submit the case for orders to the State Government through the Chief Conservator. Annexure I

Botanical Name	Tamil Name	Rate of Seigniorage
1	2	3
North Arcot District		
		Rs.
Class I-		
Cedrela toona	Tun	400 per cubic metre
Chukrasia tabularis	Agil	
Chloroxylon sweitenia	Porasu	
Lagerstroemia microcarpa	Ventaku	
Mallotus Philippinensis	Kapila	
Pongamia glabra	Pungam	
Melia indica	Veppam	
Shorea tumbuggaia	Tambagai	
Terminalia tomentosa	Karumarudai	
Terminalia paniculata	Devadukoi	
Eugenia jambolana	Nagai	
Albizzia lebbbeck	Kattuvagai	
Class II-		
Acacia arabica	Karuvelam	200 per cubic metre
Acacia sundra	Karungali	
Acacia leucophloea	Velvelam	
Albizzia odoratissima	Karuvagai	
Anogeissus latifolia	Vellainagai	
Cassia fistula	Konnai	
Feronia elephantum	Velanga	
Mimusops elengi	Magada	
Mirnusops hexandra	Palla	
Strychnos potatorum	Thottankottai	
Terminalia arjuna	Vellamaradai	
Thespesia populnea	Poovarasu	
Class III-		
Albizzia amara	Turinji	
Dichrostachys sinerea	Vadatalam	100 per cubic metre.
Terminalia bellerica	Thani	
Zizyphus jujuba	Elandai	90 per tree.
Holoptolea integrifolia	Anali,	tapasi
Borassus flabelliformis	Panai	

Cocos nucifera	Tennai	90 per tree.
Phoenix sylvestris	Icham	
Fuel-		
Fire wood		45 per metric tonne.
Charcoal		40 per metric tonne.
South Arcot District		
Class I-		
Acacia leucophloea	Velvelam	300 per cubic metre.
Adina cordifolia	Manjakadambai	
Albizzia lebbeck	Vagai	
Chukrasia tabularin	Agil	
Melia indica	Venbu	
Schleichera trijuga	Juvan	
Stophegyne parvifolia	Kadambai	
Terminalia paniculata	Pekkadukko	
Terminalia tomentosa	Karumarudhu	
Vitex altissima	Mayiladi	
Atrocarpus Heterophyllus (jack)	Pila	200 per cubic metre.
Class II-		
Acacia arabica	Karuvelam	150 per cubic metre.
Acacia sundra	Karungali	
Albizzia odoratissima	Karuvagai	
Bridelia retusa	Mulluvengai	
Anogeissus latifolia	Nammai	
Cassia fistula	Konnai	
Cleistanthus cellitus	Woddan	
Elacodendron rexburghii	Siri	
Eugenia jambolana	Nagai	
Feronia elephantum	Vela	
Grewia tiliaefolia	Sadachi	
Phyllanthus emblica	Nolli	
Soymida febrifuga	Sami or Somanatham	
Terminalia arjuna	Vellamarudai	
Tamuindus Indio	Tamarind (Pulli)	
Magnifera India	(Mango) Mamaramy	100 per cubic metre.
Thespesia Populnea	Puvarasu	

Bassia catipolia	(Illupai)	
Class III-		
Ailanthus excelsa	Perumamaram	75 per cubic metre.
Albizzia amara	Thurinji	
Anacardium occidental	Mundiri	
Avicennia officinalis	Kandan	
Bauhinia racemosa	Atti	
Dolichandrone falcata	Kadalathi	
Mimusops elengi	Pala	
Termiualia blorica	Thani	
Borassus flabsllinformis	Panai	
Cocos nucifora	Thennai	
Phoenix sylvestris	Inchamarai	
Flcus. species	Ithi	50 per cubic metre.
Bambusa bamoos and Dendracla-mus structures	Bamboos	100 per metric tonne.
Fuel -		
Firewood		45 per metric tonne
Charcoal		40 per metric tonne
Chengalpattu District		
Class I-		
Acacia arabica	Karuvelam	300 per cubic metre.
Anogeissus latifolia	Vellainagai	
Eugenia Jambolana	Nagai	
Melia indica	Vepam	
Class II-		
Albizzia amara	Turinji	150 per cubic metre.
Albizzia lebbeck	Kattuvagai	
Cassia fistula	Konnai	
Eugenia Alternifolia	Orainaval	
Termirialia bellerica	Tani	
Mimusopsindica	Pala	
Terminalia tomentosa	Karumaradu	
Class III-		
Acacia leucopholea		
Grewia tiliaefolia		
Borassus flabellifer		
Phoenix Sylvestris		

Fuel-

Firewood 45 per metric tonne.

Charcoal 40 per metric tonne.

Thanjavur District

Class I

Acacia sundra Karungali 200 per cubic metre.

Albizzia lebbeck Kattuvagai

Albizzia odoratissima Karuvaga

Chlorbxylon swietenia Porasu

Melia indica Vembu

Mimusops hexandra Palla

Class II

Acacia arabica Karuvelam 100 per cubic metre.

Acacia leucophloea Velvelam

Adina cordifolia Manjakadambai

Albizzia amara Turinji

Cassia fistula Konnai

Eugenia jambolana Naga

Class III

Borassus flabellifer Panai 60 per tree

Fuel-

Firewood 45 per metric tonne.

Charcoal 40 per metric tonne.

Salem District

Class I

Acacia arabica Karuvelam 300 per cubic metre.

Acacia leucophloea Velvelam

Acacia sundra Carungali

Albizzia lebbeck Kattuvagai

Albizzia odoratissima Karuvagai

Cederala tonna Marli or suli

Chikrasia tabilaris Agil

Chloroxylon swietenia Porasu 300 per cub metre.

Terminalia bellerica Thani

Terminalia tomentosa Karumarudai

Terminalia arjuna Vellamarudai

Terminalia paniculata Pillamarudai

Melia indica	Vembu or veppam	
Eugenia jambolana	Nagai	
Class II		
Adinaicordifolia	Manjakadambai	150 per cubic metre.
Anogeissus latifolia	Namai	
Cassia fistula	Konnai	
Stephegyne parvifolia	Nirkadambai	
Acacia ferruginea	Parambai	
Pongamia glabra	Pondadi	
Class III		
Albizzia ramara	Thurinji	100 per cubic metre. 60 per tree.
Caryota urens	Kundalpanai	
Borassus flabelliformis	Panai	
Fuel -		
Firewood		45 per metric tonne.
Charcoal		40 per metric tonne.
Tiruchirapalli District		
Botanical Name	Tamil Name	Rate of Seigniorage
Class I		
Albizzia Odoratissima	Karuvagai	400 per cubic metre.
Canarimrt strictum	Karuppu kungliam	
Chloroxylon swietenia	Porasu	
Dalbergia sissoo	Sissoo	
Melia indica	Vembu	
Terminalia tomentosa	Karumarudai	
Cedrela toona	Suli or marli	
Churkrasia tabularis	Agil or devakonni	
Grewia tiliaefolia	Sadachi	
Class II		
Acacia arabica	Karuvelam	200 per cubic metre.
Acacia sundra	Karungali	
Albizzia lebbeck	Kattuvagai	
Adina cordifolia	Manjakadambai	200 per cubic metre.
Anogeissus latifolia	Nammai	
Eugenia jambolana	Nagai	
Mimusops hexandra	Palla	

Terminalia arjuna	Vellamarudai	
Vilexaltissima	Malladi	
Dolichandrone falcata	Kalliacha	
Terminalia paniculata	Pillamarudu	
Class III		
Cassia fistula	Konnai	100 per cubic metre, 105 per tree.
Pongamia glabra	Pungam	
Borassus flabelliformis	Panai	
Fuel-		
Firewood	-	45 per metric tonne.
Charcoal	-	40 metric per tonne.
Madurai And Anna District		
Botanical Name	Tamil Name	Rate of Seigniorage
1	2	3
		Rs.
Class I		
Cedrela toona	Madagirivembu	400 per cubic metre.
Terminalia tomentosa	Karamarudu	
Lagerstroemia microcarpa	Venteak	
Albizzia lebbek	Vagai	
Albizzia odoratissima	Sila Vagai	
Adina cordifolia	Manjakadambai	
Eugenia jambolana	Naval	
Mesua ferrea	Nanjai	
Melia indica or azadirachta	Vembu or Veppam	
Mimusops indica	Karumpalai	
Class II		400 per cubic metre.
Acacia arabica	Karuvelam	
Acacia sundra	Karungali	
Anogeissus latifolia	Vekkali	
Acrocarpus fraxinifolius	Nallara	
Nauclea paryifolia	Nirkadambai	
Chukrasia tabularis	Elandarai	
Terminalia bellerisa	Tani	
Canarium strictum	Karuppukeilingilium	
Class III		

Borassus flabellifer	Panai	115 per tree.
Fuel-		
Firewood	-	45 per metric tonne,
Charcoal	-	40 metric per tonne.
Ramanathapuram Pasumpon Muthuramalingam AndKamarajar District		
Class I		
Melia indica or azadirachta.	Vembu	200 per cubic metre.
Anogeissus latifolia	Vekkali	
Class II-		
Bridelia, retusa	Adamarudu	140 per cubic metre.
Adina cordifolia	Manjakadambu	
Pongamia glabra	Pungam	
Acrocarpus fraxinifolius	Malakonnai	
Stephegyne parviflora	Nirkadambu	
Eugenia jambolana	Naval	
Mimusops indica	Alakapalai	
Grewia tiliaefolia	Unnu	
Albizzia lebbek	Vaigai	
Terminalia arjuna	Vellamarudu	
Acacia arabica	Karuvelam	
Acacia sundra	Karungali	
Class III-		
Albizzia amara	Usil	75 per cubic metre
Acacia planifrons	Odai	
Cassia fistula	Konnai	
Fuel -		
Firewood		45 per metric tonne,
Charcoal		40 per metric tonne.
Tirunelveli And Kanniyakumari District		
Class I-		
Melia indica or azadirachta.	Vembu	265 per cubic metre.
Anogeissus latifolia	Vekkali	
Acrocarpus fraxini folius	Malaikonnai	
Albizzia lebbek	Vagai	265 per cubic metre.
Class II-		
Bridelia refusa	Adamarudu	185 per cubic metre.

Adinacordifolia	Manjakadambai	
Pongamia glabra	Pungam	
Stephegyne parviflora	Nirkadambu	
Eugenia Jambolana	Naval	
Mimusops indica	Alakarpalai	
Grewia tiliasefolia	Unnu	
Terminalia arjuna	Vellamarudu	
Acacia Arabica	Karuvelam	
Acacia sundra	Karungali	
Class III-		
Albizzia amara	Usil	160 per cubic metre.
Acacia planifrons	Odai	
Cassia fistula	Konnai	
Fuel-		
Firewood		45 per metric tonne.
Charcoal		40 per metric tonne.
Coimbatore District		
Class I-		
Chickrassia tpbularis	Agil	200 per cubic metre.
Melia indica or azadirachta	Veppam	
Cedrela toona	Tun	
Acrocarpus fraxinifolius	Malai Konnai	
Terminalia tomentosa	Karumarudu	
Albizzia lebbeck and odoratissima.	Vagai	
Cassia fistula	Konnai	
Adina cordifolia	Manjakadambai	
Canarium stricturm	Kungilium	
Acacia arabica	Karuvelam	
Choloroxylona swietenia	Porasu	
Class II-		
Acacia leucophiloa	Velvelam	
Acacia plainifrons	Odai	
Terminalia arjuna	Vellamarudu	
Terminalia patiiculata	Pillamarudu	
Velia composita or dubia	Malai Vembu	
Grewia tiliaefolia	Tadasal	
Lagerstioemia microcarpa	Venkeku	

Anogeissus latifolia	Vellanagai or Mumme	
Acacia sundra	Karungali	
Class III-		
Borassus flabellifer	Panai	60 per tree.
Fuel-		
Firewood		45 per metric tonne,
Charcoal		40 per metric tonne.
Nilgiris DistrictGudalur Taluk		

of ratis for the valuation of the non reserved lands in gudalur taluk, the nilgiris district-measurement at 4 feet above ground

Botanical name	Tamil name	45 cm. to 75 cm.	75 cm. to 120 cm.	120 cm. to 150 cm.	150 cm. to 180 cm.	Above 180 cm.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				(Per Tree)		
Tectona grandis	Teku	15	170	340	565	790
Djalbeigia latifolia	Itti	-	110	225	450	595
Artoearpus hirsuta	Ayini	10	45	90	180	395
Keroisarpus matsupium	Vengai					
Cedrela tobfila	Agil		65	115	225	395
Dysoxylum malabaricvua	Vellagil					
Chikrassia tabularis	Agaly or agil					
Lagerstroemia larioeoiala or microcarpa	Ventekku					
Temiinalia tomentosa	Karimarudu					
Artocarpus integrifolia	Pilavoo		35	75	135	295
Agina cardifolia	Manjakadambai					
Terminalia paniculata	Pillamarudu					
Shorea talurea or lacifera	Kunkiliamor Jalu					
Albizzia lenbbek	Vagai					
Albizzia odoratissima	Karuvagai					
Bridelia retusa	Malavagai,					

	mulliuinarudu				
	Sirunagaypoo	-	-	45	90 195
Mesua ferrea	Sirunagaypoo				
Dichopsis elliptica	Panchotipala or Pul-vadindam				
Anogeissus latifolia	Veilainagai				

The Nilgiris District Coonoor and Ootacamund Taluks

Botanical name	Vernacular name	Rates
1	2	3
First Class Trees		
Ragerstroemia-micro- carpa.	Venteak	For a tree 90 cm. to 120 per tree Rs. 115.
Chukrasia tabularis	Agil	For a tree 120 cm. to 150 cm. per tree Rs. 180
Growia latifolia	Thadasai	For a tree 150 cm. to 180 cm. per tree Rs. 270
Mesua ferrea	Malaimang.	Do.
Acrocarpus fraxinifolius	Kalkilinj	For a tree 180 cm. and above per tree Rs. 340
Terminalia tomentosa	Karimarudu	Do.
Eugenia species	Nagamaram	Do.
Second Class Trees -		
Adina Cordifolia	Manja kadambai	For a tree 90 cm. to 120 cm. per tree Rs. 75
Cassia fistula	Konnai	Do.
Anogeissus latifolia	Vellanagai	For a tree 120 cm. to 150 cm. per tree Rs. 115
Melia composita	Malai vembu	Do.
Cedrela toona	Agil	For a tree 150 cm. to 180 cm. per tree Rs. 180
Acacia Melanoxylon and deal-bats -		For a tree 180 cm. and above per tree Rs. 225
Eucalyptus globulus	Karpooram	For a tree 45 cm. to 75 cm, per tree Rs. 35
-	-	For a tree 75 cm. to 105 cm. per tree Rs. 55
-	-	For a tree 105 cm. to 135 cm. per tree Rs. 90
-	-	For a tree 135 cm. to 165 cm. per tree Rs. 135
-	-	For a tree 165 cm. to 195 cm. per tree Rs. 190
-	-	For a tree 195 cm. to 225 cm. per tree Rs. 260
-	-	For a tree 225 cm. to 225 cm. per tree Rs. 340
-	-	For a tree 225 cm. and over Rs.450

The Nilgiris District Coonoor and Ootacamund Taluks

Botanical name	Vernacular name	Rates
1	2	3
Shola Trees -		
For all timber not mentioned in the above list.	-	Rs. 60 per. trees
Firewood -		

For all wood growth to other than abovementioned - Rs. 45 per metric tonne.

Periyar District

Class I.

Chuekrasia tabularis	Agil	
Melia indica or Azadirachta	Yeppanl	
Cedrela tooria	Tun	
Acrocatpus fraxinifolius	Malai konnai	
Terminalia tomentosa	Karumarudu	
Albizzia lebbeck and	Vagal	200 per cubic metre
Odoratissima		
Cassia fistula	Kofonai	
Adina cordifolia	Manjakadambai	
Canarium striatum	Kungiliam	
Acacia arabica	Karuyelam	
Chloroxylon swietenia	Porasu	

Class II.

Acacia leucophloea	Velvelam	
Acacia Hplainfrons	Odai	
Terininalia arjflina	Vellamarudu	
Terminalia panigulata	Pillamarudu	
Melia comppsita or dubia	Malai Vembu	100 per cubic metre
Grewia tillaeftjtia	Tadasal	
Lagerstroemia microcarpa	Venteku	
Anogeissus latifolia	Vellanagai or Namai	
Acacia sundra	Karungali	

Class III.

Borassus flabellifer	Pannai	60 per tree
Fuel-		
Firewood		45 per metric tonne,
Charcoal		40 per metric tonne.

Pudu Kottai District

Class I

Albizzia odoratissima	Karuvagai	
Canarium Strictum	Karuppu Kungiliam	
Chloroxylon swietenia	Porasu	
Debergia sissoo	Sissoo	
Meliaindica	Vembu	400 per cubic metre

Terminafia tomentosa	Karumarudai	
Cedrela toona	Suli or Marli	
Chukarasia tabularis	Agil or devakonnai	
Grewia tiliaefolia	Sadhachi	
Class II		
Acacia arabica	Karuvellam	
Acacia sundra	Karungali	
Albizzia lebbeck	Katlu Yagai	
Adina cordifolia	Manjakadambai	
Anogeissus latifolia	Namai	
Eugenia Jambolaria	Nagai	
Mimusops hexandra	Palla	
Terminalia arjuna	Vellamarudai	200 per cubic metre
Vitex altissima	Malladi	
Dolichandrone falcate	Kalliacha	
Terminalia paniculaia	Pillamarudu	
Albizzia Amaver	Usilai	
Accacia leucophclea	Velvclam	
Tamarindus indica	Tamarind	
Mangifiera indica	Mimgo	
Bania latifolia	Illupai	
Morrinda Tinctoria	Nulla	
Class III		
Albazzia amara Caryota mens	Thurinji Kundalpanai	00 per cubic metre.
Borassus flabelliformis	Panai	60 per tree.
Fuel -		
Fire wood		45 per metric tonne.
Charcoal		40 per metric tonne.
Dharmapuri District		
Class I		
Albizzia arabica	Karuvelam	
Albizzia leucopholea	VelVelam	
Acacia sundra	Karungali	
Acacia lebbeck	Kattuvagai	
Acacia odora issima	Kamvagai	300 per cubic metre.
Cedrela tonna	Marli or Suli	
Chukarasia tabularis	Agil	

Chloroxylon swiotonia	Porasu	
Terminalia bellerica	Thani	
Terminalia omentosa	Karumaridai	
Terminalia arjuna	Vellamarudai	
Melia-indica	Vembu or Veppam	
Eugenia Jambolana	Nagai	
Class II		
Adina cordifolia	Manjakadambai	
Anogeissus latifolia	Namai	
Cassia fistula	Konnai	150 per cubic metre.
Stephegyne patvifolia	Nir kadambai	
Aeaeia ferruginea	Parambai	
Pongarnia glabra	Poadari	
Class III		
Cassia fistula	Konnai	100 per cubic metre.
Pongamia glabra	Pungam	105 per cubic metre.
Borassus flabellifer	Panai	
Cocus nueifera	Coconut	90 per cubic metre.
Fuel-		
Firewood		45 per metric tonne.
Charcoal		40 per metric tonne.
For All Districts		

Districts	Rough stone per cubic metre	Chiselled stone per cubic metre	Metal and gravel per cubic metre	Earth and turf per cubic metre	Sand fit for mortar per cubic metre	Sand fit for filling trenches per cubic metre
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
Chingleputt						
North Arcot						
Salem						
Dharmapuri						
Coimbatore						
Nilgiris	1.35	2.65	0.75	0.45	1.39	0.85
Thanjavur						
Madurai						
Ramanathapuram						

Tirunelveli

Kanniyakumari

South Arcot	2.65	4.05	1.05	0.75	1.35	0.85
Tiruchirappalli	2.65	5.40	1.05	0.75	1.35	0.85