## **EXECUTIVE INSTRUMENT**

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# THE FORESTS (KWORNI FOREST RESERVE) ORDER, 1960

WHEREAS by notice issued under the provisions of Subsection (1) of Section 5 of the Forests Ordinance (Cap. 157), and published in the *Gazette* No. 74 dated 27th August, 1955, the Governor stated his intention of constituting as a Forest Reserve under the Ordinance the area of land the situation and limits of which are described in the Schedule to this Order and by the same notice appointed Christopher Herbert Cooke, Esq., to be Reserve Settlement Commissioner.

AND WHEREAS the said CHRISTOPHER HERBERT COOKE, Esq., being unable to complete his duties as Reserve Settlement Commissioner, a further notice under the provisions of Subsection (2) of Section 5 of the Forests Ordinance (Cap. 157) was published in Gazette No. 26 of 21st March, 1959, appointing Peter Myles Riley, Esq., hereinafter referred to as the "Reserve Settlement Commissioner", to be the Reserve Settlement Commissioner:

AND WHEREAS in pursuance of the duties imposed upon and powers vested in him by Section 9 of the Ordinance the Reserve Settlement Commissioner proceeded to hold an enquiry into the existence, nature and extent of rights affecting the land in respect of which he had received claims or which were alleged to exist or had been brought to his notice.

AND WHEREAS the Reserve Settlement Commissioner has completed his enquiry and has delivered his judgement in accordance with Section 15 of the Ordinance:

AND WHEREAS the Reserve Settlement Commissioner in his said judgement inter alia described the limits set out in the First Schedule hereto of an area of land which area he recommended for reservation as a Forest Reserve:

Now THEREFORE in exercise of the powers conferred upon the President by Section 17 of the Forests Ordinance (Cap. 157) the following Order is hereby made this 17th day of November, 1960.

- 1. The area of land the situation and limits of which are specified in the Schedule to this Order is hereby constituted a Forest Reserve under the name Kworni Forest Reserve.
- 2. The Kworni Forest Reserve is hereby declared to be affected by the rights particularised in the Second Schedule to this Order.

#### FIRST SCHEDULE

### DESCRIPTION OF BOUNDARIES

Commencing from F.R.B.P. No. 1 which lies on a bearing of 190 degrees for a distance of 31.7 chains from pillar C.C.S.T. 21/28 situated 12.10 chains South of mile pillar 9 on the Western side of the Tamale-Bolgatanga Road (N.T.2).

The boundary follows a cut line on a bearing of 276 degrees for a distance of 50 chains to F.R.B.P.4 through F.R.B.Ps.2 and 3; thence on a bearing of 6 degrees for a distance of 41 chains to F.R.B.P.6; through F.R.B.P.5; thence on a bearing of 96 degrees for a distance of 50 chains to F.R.B.P.9, through F.R.B.Ps.7 and 8; thence on a bearing of 186 degrees for a distance of 41 chains, through F.R.B.P.10 to F.R.B.P.1 the point of commencement.

All bearings are approximate and refer to True North.

All distances are more or less.

# SECOND SCHEDULE COMMUNAL PRIVILEGE ALLOWED

Nature of Privilege

Extent of Privilege

Persons permitted to Exercise Privilege

1. Collecting of Sheabutter and Dawadawa fruits.

Unrestricted provided no damage done to Forest Produce.

The villagers of Kworni.

By the President's Command.

KOJO BOTSIO

Minister of Agriculture.