

## **Rodrigues Forests Regulations, 1882**

**GN No. 124 of 1953**

8th August

### **Regulations made by the Governor in Council under section 158 of the Courts Ordinance.**

1.-(1) The Rodrigues Forests Regulation, 1882, may henceforward be cited as the Rodrigues Forests Regulations, 1882.

(2) These Regulations may be cited as the Rodrigues Forests (Amendment) Regulations, 1953, and shall be read as one with the Rodrigues Forests Regulations, 1882, hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations.

2. Regulation 2 of the principal regulations shall have effect as if for paragraphs (6) and (7) there were substituted the following paragraphs-

(6) The word "tree" shall mean live or dead timber, brushwood, shrubs, Underwood, bamboo and the branches and twigs thereof respectively ;

(7) The word "wood" shall mean any tree or part of a tree which has been cut or has fallen down and includes any timber or any other produce derived therefrom.

3. Immediately after Regulation 4 of the principal regulations, there shall be inserted the following Regulation-

4A. Any person who removes or causes to be removed from any land any wood or is found in possession of any wood and shall not satisfactorily account for such removal or possession, as the case may be, shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable -

(a) in the case of a first offence, to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees in addition to the value of any wood so removed or found in the possession of such-

(b) in the case of a second or any subsequent offence within a period of six months from the date of the preceding offence, to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees in addition to the value of any wood so removed or found in the possession of such person.

Approved by the Governor in Council on the twenty-fourth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three, and ordered to come into force at once.

M. NOEL  
Clerk of the Executive Council.