

GOVERNMENT OF RAJASTHAN
FOREST DEPARTMENT

F.15 (33) Forest/98

Jaipur, dated 24.05.2016

NOTIFICATION

In pursuance of the provisions of clause (ii) of sub-rule (1) of rule 3 of the Rajasthan Forest (Produce Transit) Rules, 1957, the State Government hereby authorizes the following officers to issue Transit Pass for charcoal made outside the forest from *Prosopis juliflora*, commonly known as Vilayati Babool, derived from non-forest land, for the area mentioned against each of them, namely: -

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| 1. Patwari | For issue of Transit Pass within the district, in respect of charcoal derived from <i>Prosopis juliflora</i> within his territorial jurisdiction. |
| 2. Tehsildar | For issue of Transit Pass within the State, in respect of charcoal derived from <i>Prosopis juliflora</i> within his territorial jurisdiction. |
| 3. Sub- Divisional Officer | For issue of Transit Pass within or outside the State, in respect of charcoal derived from <i>Prosopis juliflora</i> within his territorial jurisdiction. |

Before issuing the Transit Pass, the authorized officer shall ensure that, -

- (i) the *Prosopis juliflora*, from which charcoal has been derived was procured in accordance with the provisions of the Rajasthan Tenancy Act, 1955 and the rules made thereunder or any other Government order in force;
- (ii) no Charcoal from Vilayti Babool (*Prosopis juliflora*) in the National parks, wildlife sanctuaries and forest areas and within one kilometer periphery of their outer boundary shall be allowed to be manufactured/ transported under this notification, i.e., no Transit Pass shall be issued, if the cutting of *Prosopis juliflora* or manufacturing of Charcoal has been carried out inside or within one kilometer limit from nearby forest area or the protected area;
- (iii) the place of cutting of *Prosopis juliflora* and the place of manufacture of Charcoal is clearly mentioned in column of Description of origin of forest produce of the Transit Pass; and
- (iv) Transit Pass of Charcoal shall not be issued as from areas, where natural regeneration of the species (*Prosopis juliflora*) is not possible.

Note: (a) The authorized officer shall issue a receipt in form GA-55 to the applicant for the amount of fee received for Transit Pass. The Transit Pass fee so collected shall be deposited in the relevant budget head of Revenue Department.

- (b) The cases of transit of charcoal and other forest produce not covered by this notification shall be dealt as per Government of Rajasthan, Revenue GR VIII Department Order No. F. 2 (1)(2) Rev.8/73 Part-I dated 9th Feb. 1983, as amended from time to time.

By the order of the Governor

(Yogendra Kumar Dak)

Secretary to the Government