CHAPTER XXIII

EXPORT OF FOREST PRODUCE TO NEIGHBOURING STATES

Export of timber or other forest produce to the neighbouring States

The following instructions are issued for the convenience of guidance and traders intending to export timber and other forest produce to the neighbouring States. These instructions will take effect from the date of publication in the Rajasthan Raj Patra:—

All forest produce exported into any neighbouring State by traders should be covered by a pass in the prescribed form.

(2) These passes will be issued by such contractors as are authorised in writing to do so and from the pass books supplied to them by the Divisional Officers for that purpose.

(3) A register for contractors who are authorised to issue these passes will be maintained in Divisional Offices concerned. A copy of the entries in this register together with the facsimile of each contractor's signature and of the impression of his property mark, will be sent to the Conservator of Forests of the State concerned for registration.

(4) The pass books will be numbered serially and each book will contain 100 passes which will also be numbered serially.

(5) The Divisional Officer will maintain a register showing the receipts and issues of pass books and will see that the counterfoils are returned to Divisional Office by the contractors immediately a book is used up.

(6) The exporter should send the pass with the railway receipt to the consignee who will present it on demand by a competent forest authority, at the station of destination.

(7) Any forest produce imported into neighbouring State by rail without a covering pass is liable to attachment by the
Forest Department of that State and legal proceedings may be taken against persons importing it.

(8) The authorisation mentioned in paragraph 2 above will be in the following form:

'I do hereby authorise Shri ........................................
Contractor of ............. to issue transit passes for timber and other forest produce exported into the .............. State.)"

The passes issued should contain a correct description of the material exported and its origin. Failure in this respect will render the consignment liable to confiscation by the Forest Department of the State into which it is exported.

To meet the convenience of smaller traders and occasional exporters the Conservator of Forests of the State concerned will be moved to recognise transit passes signed by an officer of the Forest Department not below the rank of a Deputy Ranger, provided that six specimen signatures of the officer so authorised are supplied to him. Only such exporters may despatch consignments under cover of passes issued by the Forest Department.

(Form of Pass referred to in Rule VI)

FOREST DEPARTMENT RAJASTHAN

Pass For The Transit of Forest Produce Exported Into The Neighbouring States.

Book No. ........................................ Pas: No. ........................................

(1) Name and Kind of Produce

(2) Quantity

(3) Source of Supply.
(a) Government Forest or Private Forest.

(b) From Whom Purchased.

(4) Name and Address of Exporter,

(5) Name and Address of Purchaser,

(6) Station From Which Consigned,

(7) Station To Which Consigned.

Date of Issue. 

Signature of Issuer.

Note—If the description of the material or of its origin shown in this pass is found incorrect the consignament will be liable to confiscation by the forest authorities at destination.