GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA OFFICE OF THE SUB-DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER KUMARGHAT FOREST SUB-DIVISION E-mail: <u>sdfokgt@gmail.com/</u> <u>sdfokgt.tfd-tr@gov.in</u>

3RD CLAIMENT NOTICE

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the notice of the undersigned by Sri Basu Debbarma, Fr, A/O, FPU Pecharthal, the Offence Report No.09/FPU/PTL/2024-25 dated, 11.09.2024 and his office letter No.F.03/FPU/PTL/2024-25/164-65 dated, 30.09.2024 that on 11.09.2024 at about 02:00 AM during the time of patrolling duty with staff, he has apprehended 01 (one) no. vehicle bearing registration No.TR-04C-1785, Chassis No.MA1ZP2TLKL6H4S477, Engine No.TLL4G872 (Mahindra Bolero Pickup) from Purba Ratacherra area, Kumarghat with loaded over 2.374 cum Teak sawn timber without permission of the authority, which apparently procured illegally.

AND WHEREAS, It has been reported by Sri Basu Debbarma, Fr, A/O, FPU Pecharthal has checked and seized the said vehicle bearing registration No.TR-04C-1785, Chassis No.MA1ZP2TLKL6H4S477, Engine No.TLL4G872 (Mahindra Bolero Pickup) from Purba Ratacherra area, Kumarghat and brought to the FPU, Pecharthal Office Complex, Pecharthal for safe custody.

WHEREAS, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me vide Notification No.F.7(89)/For/FP-86/14469 dated, 09.06.1987 of the Forest Department, Govt. of Tripura and No.F.7(310)/For/FP-2016/25701-747 dated, 15.11.2016 of the Additional Secretary to the Government of Tripura as Authorized Officer for the purpose under Sub-Section-2 of Section-52(A) of the Indian Forest (Tripura Second Amendment) Act, 1986 it is contemplated to confiscate the said seized vehicle No.TR-04C-1785, Chassis No.MA1ZP2TLKL6H4S477, Engine No.TLL4G872 (Mahindra Bolero Pickup) from Purba Ratacherra area, Kumarghat for its use in carrying of forest produces of questionable origin in commission of Forest Offence of Indian Forest Act, 1927 for its use in commission of Forest Offence under section 41(b), 42, 52(A) & 69 of IFA, 1927 and rules made there under by the Government of Tripura.

NOW THEREFORE, It is hereby brought to the notice of the authorized owner/ legal owner(s) of the said seized vehicle bearing registration No.TR-04C-1785 to prefer his/her/their claim over the vehicle to the Authorized Officer (Sub-Divisional Forest Officer, Kumarghat) within 30 (thirty) days from the date of issue of this notice along with copies of all relevant documents regarding law full ownership of the said seized vehicle. If the owner(s) or his's/ her's/ their's authorized representative failed to prefer any claim over the seized vehicle within stipulated period to the undersigned, the decision regarding confiscation of the seized vehicle bearing registration No. No.TR-04C-1785 alongwith seized forest produces shall be taken ex-parte. Till such time the vehicle along with seized produce will remain under safe custody at FPU, Pecharthal Office Complex, Pecharthal.

Issued under my Seal & Signature this day on 17 / 07 /2025.

[A. Datta, TFS] Authorized Officer SDFO, Kumarghat Dated, <u>17/07</u>/2025

No.F.10-2/OR/Seized Veh/SDFO/KGT/TR-04C-1785/ 2888 - 2930 Copy to:

- 1. The PPS to the PCCF & HoFF, Tripura for favour of kind information of PCCF & HoFF, Tripura.
- 2. The Chief Conservator of Forest (Territorial/ Protection), O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Tripura for kind information.
- 3. The Deputy Conservator of Forest, HQ/ FP/WP-I & II/ Research/ Training Div. for kind information.
- 4. The District Forest Officer, North/ Unakoti/ Dhalai/ West/ Sepahijala/ Gumti/ South for favour of kind information.
- 5. The Hon'ble Chief Judicial Magistrate, Kailashahar, Unakoti for favour of kind information.
- 6. The Director, ICA, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala for kind information and requested to arrange publication of the said claimant notice in 03 (three) local dailies newspaper for wide circulation. [03 (three) copes claimant notice are enclosed).
- The Sub-Divisional Forest Officer, Dharmanagar/ Kanchanpur/ Kailashahar/ Manu/ Ambassa/ Teliamura/ Khowai/Mandwi/ Sadar/ Bishalghar/ Sonamura/Amarpur/ Udaipur/ Karbook/ Sabroom/ Bagafa for information and is requested to be placed in the Notice Board.
- 8. The Wildlife Warden, Trishna/ Sepahijala/ Gumti/ Rowa for information and is requested to be placed in the Notice Board.
- The I/C, GIS Lab, Office of the PCCF & HoFF, Tripura, Agartala for information with a request for uploading in Forest Department portal for wide publication.
- 10. The Range Officer, Kumarghat/ Pecharthal/ Machmara for information and is requested to be placed in the Notice Board.
- 11. The I/C, FPU, Pecharthal for information and is requested to be placed in the Notice Board.
- 12. The Notice Board of this office.

Authorized Officer SDFO, Kumarghat