

## **FOREST RULES, 1969**

### **(G.N.S. 17 of 1969)**

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 42 of the Forest Enactment, 1968, the Minister has made the following rules:

#### PART I INTRODUCTORY

1. These rules may be cited as the Forest Rules, 1969 and shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 1st day of January, 1969.

2. In these Rules –

“breast-height” means one hundred and forty centimetres from the ground;

“converted timber” means wood which has been cut, sawn, hewn, split, shaped or fashioned from round timber or poles into pieces intended for any purpose other than as fuel;

“form” means a form in Schedule III;

“landings” means a temporary storage area for logs within any Forest Reserve area licensed or otherwise prior to their transportation by land or water;

“licensed area” means any area in a Forest Reserve or State land licensed under section 15 or section 24 of the Forest Enactment;

“pole” means any section cut from a tree and having a diameter at breast-height of less than thirty centimetres at its larger end, which has not been further prepared for use other than by removal of bark and projecting branches, and which is not intended to be further processed in any way;

“round timber” means any section cut from a tree which has not been prepared for use other than by the removal of bark and branches and either rough squaring or

longitudinal division into not more than four pieces to facilitate transport or conversion;

“round timber for processing” means any round timber which the Director is satisfied will be processed in any sawmill or veneer, plywood or other mill established in Sabah;

“sawmill” means any machine or collection of machines used for the mechanical processing of timber in any form, and includes any veneer, plywood or other mill, but excludes power operated chainsaws used for cross-cutting timber and wood working machinery used for processing sawn timber;

“Schedule” means a schedule to these Rules;

“shifting cultivation” means the successive occupation of different pieces of State land in such manner that any one piece is cultivated for not more than two years and is then abandoned;

“Vehicle” means any tractor, skidder, truck, log loader, excavator, grader, dump lorry or locomotive or any other conveyance or machinery the Director deems appropriate.

## PART II

### THE TAKING OF FOREST PRODUCE

3. Licenses for the purposes of section 24 shall be in Form I, Form IIA or Form IIB as set out in Schedule III.

4. (1) Before the issue of a licence in Form I, the applicant shall deposit with the District Forest Officer such sum of money or guarantee from such bank as the Director may approve as security for the fulfilment of the terms of the licence as the District Forest Officer may require not exceeding the estimated royalty if any, and fees for three months, and such officer may at any subsequent time during the currency of the licence require the deposit at such further sums as he may deem necessary. Failure to deposit such further sum will render the licence liable to cancellation.

(2) On default being made in the payment at the prescribed time of any money due as royalty or otherwise in respect of such licence, the District Forest Officer may withdraw from the sum or sums deposited as aforesaid and credit to forest revenue the

sum so due, and may prohibit the cutting or removal of forest produce under the said licence until an equivalent sum together with such further sum as the District Forest Officer may require has been deposited. For the purposes of this rule all sums of money deposited in the name of a licensee shall be deemed to have been deposited in respect of each and all licences held by him.

(3) A licence may be cancelled at any time by the Director for breach of or non-compliance with any of its conditions and in the event of such cancellation the licensee shall have no claim to the return of any money paid or deposited with the Government, nor to any damages on account of such cancellation, nor to any forest produce removed within the area covered by such licence, and the ownership of any forest produce so remaining shall vest in the Government free from all encumbrances.

5. (1) The District Forest Officer may require of any licensee that workers of any particular class or working in any particular area shall be provided with a certificate of identity as such signed by the licensee and countersigned by a forest officer in Form III and thereafter the licensee shall be held responsible for the acts of such workers.

(2) Every certificate of identity shall lapse on the expiration of six months from the date of such certificate and shall then, or whenever the worker leaves his employ, or the licence is terminated, be destroyed by the licensee.

(3) The person named in any certificate of identity issued under this rule shall keep the same upon his person while at work, and at other times have it in his possession or at his usual place of residence and shall produce such certificate of identity on demand made by any forest officer, Police Officer or Customs Officer.

(4) The head-man of every body of persons living or working together in any occupation having for its object the cutting or removal of forest produce under a licence agreement or licence entered into or issued under section 15 or 24 respectively shall cause a working board containing a full and complete list of all persons so employed or engaged to be exhibited in a conspicuous place in the main entrance to the house or workshed.

(5) Any person who fails to comply with the provision of this rule shall be guilty of an offence.

6. The Director may for reasons of silviculture or for any other reason that the Minister may approve without prejudice to existing licences or licence agreements prohibit or

restrict the cutting or removal of any forest produce by any particular person or class or persons within any specified area of State land and for such time as he may deem necessary.

**7.** Licences to cut or collect and remove any class of forest produce may not be issued over any area of State land over which a licence for the same class of produce is in force.

**8.** Forest produce for the purposes specified in section 41 may be taken free by any native for his own use, provided that, except with a free pass issued by the District Forest Officer, such produce may not be taken in a district outside that in which the native ordinarily resides, and shall be subject to the provisions of rule 11.

**9.** (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 23, natives whose ancestors have been, and who themselves are dependent on shifting cultivation in Sabah for subsistence, may without licence fell, burn or clear for the purpose of shifting cultivation forest of secondary growth on any State land which is not the subject of a licence under section 24. Secondary growth for the purposes of this rule is defined as forest containing trees of not more than six years standing and not exceeding fifteen centimetres diameter at one hundred and forty centimetres from the ground, being of a kind that may readily be felled by means of implements for cutting of no greater efficiency or weight than an ordinary parang.

(2) The Director may, with the consent of the Director of Lands and Surveys, declare any area in which it shall be a forest offence to practise shifting cultivation.

**10.** Any person to whom any right or privilege of taking forest produce from a forest reserve has been granted by order made under section 12 (4) or by notification under section 14 (1) may be required to obtain from the District Forest Officer a free permit authorising the removal of such produce from the forest reserve on such conditions, consistent with the terms of such order, as the District Forest Officer may consider it necessary either generally or specifically to impose.

**11.** Any person who, except in pursuance of any licence or licence agreement or with the authorisation of the Director or of any forest officer empowered by him in his behalf, fells any tree specified in Schedule I having a diameter at breast-height less than the minimum prescribed in that Schedule shall be guilty of an offence.

PART III  
LIABILITY FOR AND PAYMENT OF ROYALTY AND FEES

**12.** (1) All forest produce cut, sawn, converted, collected or removed under any licence or licence agreement shall be liable to royalty at the rates prescribed in Part A Schedule II.

(2) The Director or any forest officer authorised by him in this behalf may wholly or partially exempt any forest produce from royalty or remit any royalty already paid on any forest produce –

(a) where such forest produce has not been removed from the area to which the licence or licence agreement refers and has been declared by a forest officer not below the rank of Forest Ranger to be unsaleable or of inferior quality by reasons of its condition or situation;

(b) where such forest produce has been or will be processed in any sawmill or veneer, plywood or other mill established in Sabah;

Provided that any remission granted shall not result in the payment of a lesser rate than that prescribed for the particular category of timber in Schedule II;

(c) for any other reason, with the approval of the Minister of Finance.

(3) With the general or special approval of the Minister of Finance the Director may impose any fee, premium, cess and other charges in addition to, or in lieu of, royalty for the right to take forest produce under a licence or a licence agreement.

**13.** (1) The measurement or weight of any forest produce as ascertained by a duly authorised forest officer in accordance with written instructions from the Director shall be deemed to be correct and any royalty payable shall be paid on that measurement or weight, provided that the owner of any such forest produce may, within thirty days of the original measurement, appeal to the Director for a remeasurement.

(1A) For the purposes of determining the rates or royalty payable on any forest produce under these Rules, the Director may, in addition to the measurement or weight of such forest produce being ascertained under paragraph (1), cause such forest

produce to be graded by a duly authorised person and the provisions of paragraph (1) shall apply in relation to such grading as if there be substituted for the words "measurement or weight" the word "grade" or "grading", as the case may be.

(2) Royalty accrued and other payments due under these Rules shall be payable at such time and place and in such manner as may be specified in a licence or if not time, place or manner of payment be so specified, then on demand made by the District Forest Officer or any forest officer superior to him.

**14.** The fees set out in Part B Schedule II shall be payable in respect of the matters therein set out.

**Director may adjust f.o.b. value.**

**14A.** (1) Notwithstanding any provisions under these Rules or the provisions of any other written law for the time being in force to the contrary, the Director may, with the approval of the Minister of Finance, adjust the declared f.o.b. value of any forest produce for the purposes of timber royalty rates calculation.

(2) For the purposes of this rule, "f.o.b. value" shall mean the price which the exporter would receive for the forest produce calculated at the time when the forest produce shall be on board the vessel by which the forest produce were exported.

**Late fees for unpaid royalty bills.**

**14B.** (1) Without prejudice to the provisions of rule 13 (2), it shall be lawful for the Director to charge and collect late fees in relation to any royalty bills which are payable and fall due in such manner and at such rate as provided under this rule:

Provided that in respect of any royalty bills which are subject to dispensation period, such royalty bills shall not be deemed, for the purposes of this rule, to be payable and fall due during the dispensation period.

(2) Any royalty bills remaining unpaid on each quarter day in the year shall be subject to a late fee of ten per centum of the amount so unpaid.

(3) For the purpose of this rule –

(a) "dispensation period" means, in relation to any unregistered agreement, a period of sixty days commencing from the date of

service of a notice that the document of agreement to be registered is ready for signature, and in relation to any other case, a period of sixty days commencing from the date when the royalty bills shall for the first time fall due;

“royalty bills” means, notice of demand for payment of timber royalty, premia, extraction charges, fees, cess or other dues and includes any dues set out in any agreement entered into before or after signing of such agreement; and

“quarter day” means, the 31st day of March, 30th day of June, 30th day of September and 31st day of December, of any year; and

- (b) in the absence of any express provisions to the contrary, royalty bills payable under rule 13 (2) shall become due in accordance with the said rule, and any other royalty bills under this rule shall become payable and fall due on the day of the execution of any agreement relating thereto.

#### PART IV

#### CONTROL OF FOREST PRODUCE IN TRANSIT

**15.** (1) All timber and any other forest produce lawfully cut or collected, which is liable to royalty on measurement basis, if measured in any place other than the area from which it was removed shall, if required by the Director, be accompanied by a transit pass in Form VII or a Disposal Permit in Forms IV, V, VI or X and taken to the nearest, or any other checking station, and shall not thereafter be removed thence nor moved past any other checking station or further despatched unless it be accompanied by written authority issued by any authorised officer or unless it bears, if it be timber, a Government hammer mark indicating that it has been assessed for royalty and other charges to which it may be liable. All timber and any other forest produce measured in the area from which it has been cut shall on its removal after measurement be accompanied by the Government mark heretofore mentioned.

(2) The Director may, at his discretion, exempt any forest produce from all or any of the provisions of this rule.

(3) The District Forest Officer may exempt from all or any of the provisions of this rule any forest produce on which he is satisfied that royalty has previously been paid

while such forest produce is in transit between a seller and buyer in the ordinary course of trade.

(4) Any person who fails to comply with the provisions of this rule shall be guilty of an offence.

**16.** (1) The driver or person in charge of any vehicle, vessel or raft containing forest produce shall –

- (a) stop at any time or place if called upon to do so by any forest officer, Police Officer or Custom Officer;
- (b) render such assistance as may be necessary to enable the adequate examination and measurement of such produce by such officer.

(2) If there is any reason to believe that money is payable to Government in respect of any forest produce in transit it may be detained at a checking station or such other place as the detaining officer may direct until such money has been paid or until enquiry regarding its origin has been made.

(3) Except with the permission in writing of the District Forest Officer, no forest produce shall be moved within the hours of 7 p.m. and 7 a.m.

(4) Any person who fails to comply with the provisions of this rule shall be guilty of an offence.

**17.** (1) The Director may require, before any timber or forest produce is exported, that it shall be inspected and graded in accordance with the written instructions of the Director and may charge the fees set out in Part B Schedule II.

(2) The Director may prohibit the removal of any timber from a checking station, if in his opinion it has such defects that it is unfit for export.

**17A.** (1) Notwithstanding the terms and conditions of any licence or licence agreement, it shall be the obligation of every holder of a licence or licence agreement to ensure that no timber taken from the area under his licence or licence agreement shall be transported by sea out of the State except by vessels duly approved by the Minister or any person authorised by him in that behalf.



(2) The fees payable to the Government for an approval granted under subrule (1) shall be as set out in Part F of Schedule II.

**18.** Any holder of a licence or licence agreement who, in the course of his operations, does or causes to be done anything which in the opinion of the Director constitutes a hazard to the public in or a blockage of any road, railway or river shall be guilty of an offence.

PART V  
GENERAL

**19.** (1) No person shall erect or operate on any land a sawmill or plant except under and in accordance with the conditions of a licence in Form VIII issued by the Director in his discretion. The fee payable for such licence shall be as set out in Part C of Schedule II hereto.

(2) On breach of any condition to which the licence is expressed to be subject, the Director may revoke the licence.

(3) Sawmills or plants owned and operated by the Government are exempted from the provisions of this Rule.

**20.** (1) The Director may require property marks to be placed on timber by any licence or licence agreement holder or by persons having a *bona fide* fiduciary interest in the timber.

(2) Such property marks shall be of a design approved by the Director and shall be registered for a period of not more than five years at one time in the office of the Director and of every District Forest Officer within whose jurisdiction the marks are to be employed.

(3) The Director may at any time cancel the registration of any such marks.

**20A.** No person shall occupy land within any Forest Reserve area, or extract or collect from such land any forest produce except under and in accordance with the conditions of a permit in Form IX issued by the Director or any forest officer authorised by him in that behalf. The fees for such permit shall be as set out in Part D of Schedule II hereto.

**20B.** (1) No person or any holder of a licence or licence agreement shall use any tractor, truck or other vehicle in the extraction or removal of timber or for any purpose directly connected therewith in a Forest Reserve or State land unless such tractor, truck or other vehicle has been registered by the Director or any forest officer authorised by him in that behalf.

(2) No tractor, truck or other vehicle shall be registered –

(a) which is not in the opinion of the Director in all respects fit for extraction or removal of timber or purposes directly connected therewith;

(b) except upon payment of the appropriate fee set out in Part E Schedule II:

Provided that no fee shall be payable upon the registration of any tractor, truck or other vehicle which is the property of the Government.

(3) Upon registration of any tractor, truck or other vehicle, the owner shall be issued a registration card substantially in the form as specified in Form XI by the Director or any forest officer authorised by him in that behalf.

(4) The tractor, truck or any other vehicle registered under the provision of this Rule shall carry a number plate of such size and description to be exhibited in such manner as the Director may require.

(5) Any transfer of ownership of any tractor, truck or other vehicle registered under the provision of this Rule shall be notified to the Director by the transferor.

(6) The Director may for reasons of soil conservation or for any other reasons that the Minister may approve regulate the manner in which any tractor, truck or other vehicle directly connected with the extraction or removal of timber in a Forest Reserve or State land is to be used and maintained.

(7) The Director may for reasons of soil conservation or for any other reasons that the Minister may approve, specify or limit the number of tractors, trucks, or other vehicles to be used or operated in a licensed area of the Forest Reserve or State land and no such tractor, truck or other vehicle shall be removed from such licensed area or moved to another licensed area without the written consent of the Director or any forest officer authorised by him in that behalf.

(8) Except with the permission in writing from the Director, no new tractor, truck or other vehicle to be used in the extraction or removal of timber in a Forest Reserve or on State land shall be purchased by any person, or any holder of a licence or licence agreement.

(9) (1) Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of this Rule shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to imprisonment for twelve months and a fine of two thousand ringgit.

(2) No person shall be prosecuted under the provisions of this Rule without the written consent of the Attorney-General.

**21.** Breach of any provision of these Rules or of any condition to which a licence or licence agreement is expressed shall, subject to any special terms of such licence or licence agreement and in addition to any other penalty provided by law, render such licence liable to cancellation by order of the Director, and shall render liable to confiscation by order of the Director forest produce taken under such licence at the time of, or subsequent to such breach.

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SCHEDULE I  
Commercial Species of Timber  
(Rule 11)

<i>Vernacular Name</i>	<i>Botanical Name</i>	<i>Minimum Felling Diameter in Centimetres (DBH) in Natural Forest Management Area</i>
Merbau/Merbau Lalat	<i>Intsia</i> spp. And <i>Sympetranda borneensis</i>	60
Mengilan/Damar Minyak	<i>Agathis</i>	60
Belian	<i>Eusideroxyln zwageri</i>	60
Red Seraya	<i>Shorea leprosula</i> , <i>Shorea smithiana</i>	60

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White Seraya	<i>Parashorea malaanonan</i> , <i>Parashorea tomentela</i>	60
Nyatoh	<i>Palaquium</i> and <i>Payena</i> spp.	60
Melapi	<i>Shorea bracteolate</i> , <i>Shorea symingtonii</i> and other species of the <i>Anthoshorea</i> group having a whitish or orchore	60
Yellow Seraya	<i>Shorea acuminatissima</i> , <i>Shorea gibbosa</i> , <i>Shorea faquetiana</i> and other species of <i>Shorea</i> having yellow wood	60
Perupok	<i>Lophopetalum</i> spp.	60
Kembang Semangkok	<i>Scaphium</i> spp.	60
Pengiran	<i>Anisoptera</i> spp.	60
Oba Suluk	<i>Shorea pauciflora</i> spp.	60
Kapur	<i>Dryobalanops</i> spp.	60
Selangan Batu	Heavy <i>Shorea</i> spp. & Heavy <i>Hopea</i> spp.	60
Keruing	<i>Dipterocarpus</i> spp.	60
Selangan Batu Merah	<i>Shorea guiso</i> , <i>shorea kunstleri</i>	60
Jelutong	<i>Dyera costulata</i>	60
Talisai	<i>Terminalia</i> spp.	60
Sepetir	<i>Sindora</i> spp.	60
Binuang	<i>Octomoles sumatrana</i>	60
Medang	All species of <i>Lauraceae</i> except Belian	60
Terantang	<i>Camptosperma auriculatum</i>	60
Magas	<i>Duabanga Moluccana</i>	60

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Limpaga	<i>Azadirachta excelsa</i>	60
Kandis	<i>Garcinia</i> spp.	60
Berangan	<i>Castanopsis</i> spp.	60
Obah	<i>Eugenia</i> spp.	60
Bintaggor	<i>Callophyllum</i> spp.	60
Takalis	<i>Pentace</i> spp.	60
Bawang-Bawang	<i>Azadirachta excelsa</i>	60
Karai	<i>Polyalthia</i> spp.	60
Serungan/Geronggong	<i>Cratoxylum arborescens</i>	60
Bawang Hutan	<i>Scorodocarpus borneensis</i>	60
Gagil/Merawan	<i>Hopea sangai</i>	60
Sireh-Sireh	<i>Pternandra</i>	60
Kempas/Impas	<i>Koompassia malaccensis</i>	60
Meransi	<i>Caralia</i> spp.	60
Lamau-Lamau	<i>Nothaphoebe abovata</i>	60
Laran/Kelempayan	<i>Anthocephalus chinensis</i>	60
Rengas	<i>Gluta</i> spp. and <i>Swinthonia</i>	60
Pisang-Pisang	All species of <i>Anonaceae</i>	60
Puah Kijang	<i>Irvingia malayana</i>	60
Resak	<i>Vatica</i> spp.	60
Darah-Darah/Penarahan	<i>Myristicaceae</i> spp., <i>Knema</i> spp. and <i>Horsfieldia</i> spp.	60
Simpoh	<i>Dillenia</i> spp.	60
Runggu	<i>Koordersiodendron pinnatum</i>	60
Pulai	<i>Alstonia</i> spp.	60

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Putat Paya	<i>Planchonia</i> spp.	60
Bangkal	<i>Nauclea</i> spp.	60
Bangkawang	<i>Maranthes</i> spp.	60
KerANJI	<i>Dialium</i> spp.	60
Mempening	<i>Lithocarpus</i> spp.	60
Mengaris/Tualang	<i>Koompasia excelsa</i>	60
Minyak Berok	<i>Xanthophyllum ellipticum</i>	60
Selangan Penak	<i>Hopea beccariana</i>	60
Chempaka	All species of <i>Magnoliaceae</i>	60
Bayor	<i>Pterospermum</i> spp.	60
Teluto	<i>Pterocymbium javanicum</i>	60
Jongkong	<i>Dactylocladus stenostachys</i>	60
Sedaman	<i>Macaranga</i>	No diameter limit
Angsana	<i>Pterocarpus indicus</i>	60
Garu-Garu	<i>Cleistanthus paxii</i>	60
Sendok-Sendao	<i>Endospermum malaccense</i>	60
Morogis	<i>Ilex cissoidea</i>	60
Ramin	<i>Gonystylus bancanus</i>	60
Malangangai	<i>Eusideroxylon malangangai</i>	60
Others	Any other species not listed	60cm

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SCHEDULE II  
PART A  
(Rule 12 (1))  
Royalty Rate List

	<i>Rate per cubic metre RM sen</i>
1. Timber from trees of Class A in Schedule I	
Round for Export	
(i) Forest Reserve Production regardless of sizes ...	265.00
• Helicopter logging coupes ...	265.00
(ii) State Land and Alienated Land Production regardless of sizes ...	265.00
Round for processing	
(i) Forest Reserve Production under RIL regardless of sizes ...	75.00
(ii) Forest Reserve Production under Non-RIL regardless of sizes ...	75.00
• Logging residues ...	5.00
• Helicopter logging coupes ...	75.00
(iii) State Land and Alienated Land Production regardless of sizes ...	75.00
• Logging residues ...	5.00
Converted ...	150.00
• Helicopter logging coupes ...	150.00
2. Timber from trees of Class B in Schedule I	
Round for Export	
(i) Forest Reserve and Natural Forest Management Production regardless of sizes ...	265.00
• Helicopter logging coupes ...	132.50

(ii) State Land, Alienated Land and Industrial Tree Plantation Clearance Production		
• Logs with diameter of 60 cm and above	...	265.00
• Logs with diameter between 45 cm to 59 cm	...	115.00
• Logs with diameter between 30 cm to 44 cm	...	95.00
• Logs with diameter of 29 cm and below	...	45.00

Round for processing

(i) Forest Reserve and Natural Forest Management Production		
• Reduced Impact Logging (RIL) Production	...	65.00
• Helicopter logging coupes	...	32.50
• Non-RIL Production	...	75.00
• Logging residues	...	5.00
(ii) State Land, Alienated Land and Industrial Tree Plantation Clearance Production in Forest Reserves		
• Logs with diameter of 60 cm and above	...	75.00
• Logs with diameter between 45 cm to 59 cm	...	65.00
• Logs with diameter between 30 cm to 44 cm	...	25.00
• Logs with diameter of 29 cm and below	...	20.00
• Logging residues	...	5.00
Converted	...	150.00
• Helicopter logging coupes	...	65.00

3. Timber from trees of Class C in Schedule I

Round for Export

(i) Forest Reserve and Natural Forest Management Production regardless of sizes	...	150.00
• Helicopter logging coupes	...	75.00
(ii) State Land, Alienated Land and Industrial Tree Plantation Clearance Production in Forest Reserves		
• Logs with diameter of 60 cm and above	...	150.00
• Logs with diameter between 45 cm to 59 cm	...	115.00
• Logs with diameter between 30 cm to 44 cm	...	95.00
• Logs with diameter of 29 cm and below	...	45.00



Round for processing

(i) Forest Reserve and Natural Forest Management Production		
• Reduced Impact Logging (RIL) Production	...	65.00
• Helicopter logging coupes	...	32.50
• Non-RIL Production	...	75.00
• Logging residues	...	5.00
(ii) State Land, Alienated Land and Industrial Tree Plantation Clearance Production in Forest Reserves		
• Logs with diameter of 60 cm and above	...	75.00
• Logs with diameter between 45 cm to 59 cm	...	65.00
• Logs with diameter between 30 cm to 44 cm	...	25.00
• Logs with diameter of 29 cm and below	...	20.00
• Logging residues	...	5.00
Converted	...	150.00
• Helicopter logging coupes	...	65.00

4. Timber from trees of Class D in Schedule I

Round for Export

(i) Forest Reserve and Natural Forest Management Production regardless of sizes		
• Helicopter logging coupes	...	57.50
(ii) State Land, Alienated Land and Industrial Tree Plantation Clearance Production in Forest Reserves		
• Logs with diameter of 60 cm and above	...	115.00
• Logs with diameter between 45 cm to 59 cm	...	85.00
• Logs with diameter between 30 cm to 44 cm	...	65.00
• Logs with diameter of 29 cm and below	...	45.00

Round for processing

(i) Forest Reserve and Natural Forest Management Production		
• Reduced Impact Logging (RIL) Production	...	65.00
• Helicopter logging coupes	...	32.50
• Non-RIL Production	...	75.00
• Logging residues	...	5.00

(ii) State Land, Alienated Land and Industrial Tree Plantation Clearance Production in Forest Reserves		
• Logs with diameter of 60 cm and above	...	75.00
• Logs with diameter between 45 cm to 59 cm	...	65.00
• Logs with diameter between 30 cm to 44 cm	...	25.00
• Logs with diameter of 29 cm and below	...	20.00
• Logging residues	...	5.00
Converted	...	150.00
• Helicopter logging coupes	...	65.00
5. Timber from Class E in Schedule I		
Round for Export		
(i) Forest Reserve and Natural Forest Management Production regardless of sizes	...	115.00
(ii) State Land, Alienated Land and Industrial Tree Plantation Clearance Production in Forest Reserves regardless of sizes	...	115.00
Round for processing		
(i) Forest Reserve and Natural Forest Management Production regardless of sizes	...	75.00
(ii) State Land, Alienated Land and Industrial Tree Plantation Clearance Production in Forest Reserves regardless of sizes	...	75.00
Converted	...	150.00
6. Timber from trees of Class F in Schedule I		
Round for Export		
(i) Forest Reserve and Natural Forest Management Production regardless of sizes	...	15.00
• Helicopter logging coupes	...	7.50
(ii) State Land, Alienated Land and Industrial Tree Plantation Clearance Production in Forest Reserves regardless of sizes	...	15.00

Round for processing

(i) Forest Reserve and Natural Forest Management Production regardless of sizes	...	5.00
(ii) State Land, Alienated Land and Industrial Tree Plantation Clearance Production in Forest Reserves regardless of sizes	...	5.00

7. Timber from trees of Class G in Schedule I

Round for Export

(i) Forest Reserve and Industrial Tree Plantation (ITP) Production		
• Logs with diameter of 60 cm and above	...	115.00
• Logs with diameter between 45 cm to 59 cm	...	85.00
• Logs with diameter between 30 cm to 44 cm	...	65.00
• Logs with diameter of 29 cm and below	...	45.00
(ii) State Land Production regardless of sizes	...	20.00
(iii) Alienated Land Production regardless of sizes	...	0.00

Round for processing

(i) Forest Reserve and Industrial Tree Plantation (ITP) Production		
• Logs with diameter of 60 cm and above	...	75.00
• Logs with diameter between 45 cm to 59 cm	...	65.00
• Logs with diameter between 30 cm to 44 cm	...	25.00
• Logs with diameter of 29 cm and below	...	20.00
(ii) State Land Production regardless of sizes	..	5.00
(iii) Alienated Land Production regardless of sizes	...	0.00

## Sawn and Converted Timber

## 1. Sawn Timber

Species		Grade	Rate per cubic metre RM sen
(a)	Belian	(i) Rough Sawn	... 400.00
	Kayu Malam	(ii) Kiln dried rough sawn/semi-finished (pallets, strips, S4S, E4E)	... 400.00
		(iii) Pressure Impregnated Timber Rough Sawn	... 400.00
(b)	Agathis	(i) Rough Sawn	... 250.00
		(ii) Kiln dried rough sawn/semi-finished (pallets, strips, S4S, E4E)	... 210.00
		(iii) Pressure Impregnated Timber Rough Sawn	... 200.00
(c)	Red Seraya	(i) Rough Sawn	... 200.00
	White Seraya Oba Suluk Perupok Tengkawang- kawang	(ii) Kiln dried rough sawn/semi-finished (pallets, strips, S4S, E4E)	... 160.00
		(iii) Pressure Impregnated Timber Rough Sawn	... 150.00
(d)	Ramin	(i) Rough Sawn	... 180.00
	Merbau Nyatoh Kembang/ Mengkulang	(ii) Kiln dried rough sawn/semi-finished (pallets, strips, S4S, E4E)	... 140.00
		(iii) Pressure Impregnated Timber Rough Sawn	... 130.00
(e)	Melapi	(i) Rough Sawn	... 135.00
	Selangan Batu	(ii) Kiln dried rough sawn/semi-finished	

	Kapur		(pallets, strips, S4S, E4E)	...	95.00
	Yellow Seraya				
	Keruing	(iii)	Pressure Impregnated Timber Rough Sawn	...	85.00
(f)	Jelutong	(i)	Rough Sawn	...	120.00
	Pisang-Pisang	(ii)	Kiln dried rough		
	Durian		sawn/semi-finished		
	Serungan/ Geronggang		(pallets, strips, S4S, E4E)	...	80.00
	Cempaka	(iii)	Pressure Impregnated		
	Bawang- bawang		Timber Rough Sawn	...	70.00
	Medang				
	Kempas				
	Jongkong				
	Gagil				
(g)	Others	(i)	Rough Sawn	...	60.00
		(ii)	Kiln dried rough		
			sawn/semi-finished		
			(pallets, strips, S4S, E4E)	...	30.00
		(iii)	Pressure Impregnated		
			Timber Rough Sawn	...	30.00
2.	Rotary Veneer			...	150.00
3.	Sliced Veneer			...	60.00
4.	Finished S4S/E4E (Kiln Dried planed and wrapped with Polythene sheet)			...	50.00
5.	Railway Sleepers/Transmission Posts			...	40.00
6.	Sticks (the cross section of which equals or less than 4 sq. in. with no allowance)			...	60.00
7.	Grapesticks			...	60.00
8.	Plywood			...	70.00
9.	Moulding/Profiles			...	20.00
10.	Blockboard/Fibreboard			...	Nil

11.	Matchsticks/Chopsticks	...	Nil
12.	Laminated Board with no overlay	...	30.00
13.	Finger-Joint Product	...	Nil
14.	Furniture/Furniture Components	...	Nil
15.	Fancy Plywood	...	Nil
16.	Veneer/Lumber Core/Processed Woodwaste and plywood trimming prohibited from Export (case by case with special permit)		

PART B  
(Rule 14)  
Grading and Marking Fees

(a) Sawn Timber:

		<i>Rate per cubic metre RM sen</i>
(i)	Marking with mark of Origin "BINOB"	... 0.35
(ii)	Certificate of Grade and marking with mark of Origin "BINOB"	... 0.61
(iii)	Certificate of correct measurement	... 1.25
(iv)	Certificate of Freedom from live borer only	... 0.61
(v)	Certificate of Grades, correct measurement, freedom from live borer and hammer marking	... 2.45
(vi)	Miscellaneous Inspection	... 0.96

(b) Logs:

(i)	Marking with mark of Origin "BINOB"	... 0.35
(ii)	Certificate of Grade and marking with mark of Origin "BINOB"	... 0.35
(iii)	Certificate of correct measurement	... 0.35
(iv)	Certificate of Freedom from live borer only	... 0.35
(v)	Certificate of Grades, correct measurement, freedom from live borer and hammer marking	... 1.20
(vi)	Miscellaneous Inspection	... 1.00

PART C  
(Rule 19 (1))  
Sawmill/Plant Licence Fees

		<i>Per annum</i>		
		<i>RM sen</i>		
(i)	Chipmill	...	6,000.00	
(ii)	Moulding Plant	...	6,000.00	
(iii)	Medium Density Fibreboard Plant (MDF)	...	6,000.00	
(iv)	Particleboard Plant	...	6,000.00	
(v)	Pulp Plant	...	12,000.00	
(vi)	Paper Plant	...	12,000.00	
(vii)	Plywood Plant	...	6,000.00	And for each peeler
		...	2,400.00	
(viii)	Saw mill			
	(a) for own use	...	500.00	
	(b) for commercial use	...	3,000.00	And for each sawbench
		...	100.00	
(ix)	Veneer Plant	...	6,000.00	And for each slicer/peeler
		...	2,400.00	
(x)	Wood Preservation Plant	...	1,200.00	
(xi)	Wood-cement Board Plant	...	5,000.00	

PART D  
(Rule 20A)  
Fees to Occupy Land and/or to Collect/Extract  
Forest Produce in/or from Forest Reserve

1.	Permit to occupy Forest Reserve:		<i>Per hectare</i>
			<i>per annum</i>
			<i>RM sen</i>
	(a) for campsite, logging roads and dumping point	...	120.00
	(b) for landings -		
	(i) Class I (less than or equal to 0.5 ha)	...	1,000.00
	(ii) Class II (0.51 ha – 1 ha)	...	2,000.00
	(iii) Class III (greater than 1 ha)	...	5,000.00
	(c) for quarry	...	1,000.00

(d)	for removal of sand	...	5,000.00
(e)	for removal of gravel stones	...	1,000.00
2.	Permit to:		
(i)	quarry	...	1,200.00
(ii)	operate gravel excavation work	...	1,200.00

PART E

(Rule 20B (2))

Registration Fees for Tractors, Trucks and  
Other vehicles

Registration of:

			<i>Per unit per annum RM sen</i>
(i)	Tractor	...	1,000.00
(ii)	Skidder	...	500.00
(iii)	Others	...	500.00

PART F

(Rule 17A (2))

Fees for Approving Vessels

			<i>Per vessel RM sen</i>
(a)	For destination to one country –		
(i)	Vessels registered in Malaysia	...	1,000.00
(ii)	Vessels registered outside Malaysia	...	2,000.00
(b)	For destination to every additional country	...	500.00





3. ....  
4. ....  
5. ....

(For Official Use)

- |     |                         |      |         |
|-----|-------------------------|------|---------|
| (a) | Authority               | :MNR |         |
| (b) | Deposit/Bank Guarantee  | :RM  | Rt. No. |
| (c) | Licence Fee             | :RM  | Rt. No. |
| (d) | Other Charges or Fees - |      | Rt. No. |
|     | (i) Property Mark       | :RM  | Rt. No. |
|     | (ii)                    |      |         |
|     | (iii)                   |      |         |

FORM IIA  
FOREST RULES, 1969  
(Rule 3)

LICENCE TO TAKE FOREST PRODUCE FREE OF ROYALTY  
(LESEN MENGAMBIL KELUARAN HUTAN BEBAS DARI ROYALTI)

Under the Forest Enactment, 1968 and Forest Rules 1969  
*Di bawah Enakmen Hutan, 1968 dan Kaedah-Kaedah Hutan 1969*

Monthly Licence to take .....  
*Lesen bulanan untuk mengambil*

This licence authorises .....  
*Lesen ini membenarkan*

of .....  
*beralamat di*

to cut, collect and remove forest produce  
*untuk memotong, mengambil dan memindah keluaran hutan*

of the following description .....  
*seperti yang diperihalkan berikut:*

from ..... in the District of .....  
*dari ..... dalam daerah*

during the calendar month of ..... year .....only.

*dalam bulan* ..... *tahun* ..... *sahaja.*

Free of royalty.

*Bebas dari royalty.*

Signed ..... (Authorised Officer)

*Tandatangan* ..... (*Pegawai Berkuasa*)

Office ..... Name or Stamp

*Jabatan* ..... *Nama atau Cap*

Date .....

*Tarikh*

(Rules 5 (3), 11, 15 and 16 (3) to be printed on the back)

FORM IIB  
FOREST RULES, 1969  
(Rule 3)

LICENCE TO TAKE FOREST PRODUCE ON PREPAYMENT OF ROYALTY  
(LESEN MENGAMBIL KELUARAN HUTAN DENGAN  
DIBAYAR ROYALTI DAHULU)

Monthly Licence to take .....

*Lesen bulanan untuk mengambil*

on prepayment of fee or royalty .....

*dengan dibayar fee atau royalty dahulu*

This Licence authorises ..... of .....

*Lesen ini membenarkan* ..... *beralamat di*

to cut, collect and remove forest produce of the following description:

*untuk memotong, mengambil dan memindah keluaran hutan seperti yang diperihalkan berikut:*

.....  
.....

from ..... in the District of .....

*dari* ..... *dalam Daerah*

to ..... in the District of .....  
ke ..... dalam Daerah

during the calendar month ..... year ..... only  
dalam bulan ..... tahun ..... sahaja

Provided that the following fee or royalty has first been paid:

*Dengan syarat bahawa fee atau royalty berikut hendaklah dibayar terlebih dahulu:*

Royalty ..... ringgit ..... sen.  
*Royalti*

Fee ..... ringgit ..... sen.  
*Fee*

Received payment of .....  
*Pembayaran yang diterima*

(signature of Officer receiving payment)  
*(Tandatangan Pegawai yang menerima bayaran)*

Date .....  
*Tarikh*

N.B. This Form is an Official receipt Form of Government  
(Rules 5 (3), 11, 15 and 16 (3) to be printed on the back)

FORM III  
FOREST RULES, 1969  
(Rule 5 (1))

CERTIFICATE OF IDENTITY  
(SIJIL PENGENALAN)

Number .....

*Number*

..... Sabah

Date .....

*Tarikh*

Certificate of Identity in respect of Licence No. ....

*Sijil Pengenalan bagi Lesen No.*

Name of Worker .....

*Nama Perkerja*

Address .....

*Alamat*

Place of work .....

*Tempat berkerja*

Nature of Work .....

*Jenis perkerjaan*

Date of Expiry .....

*Tarikh tamat tempoh*

.....

Forest Officer

*Pegawai Hutan*

.....

Licensee

*Pemegang Lesen*

FORM IV  
FOREST RULES, 1969  
(Rule 15 (1))

DISPOSAL PERMIT FOR FOREST PRODUCE  
(PERMIT MENGELUARKAN KELUARAN HUTAN)

..... is hereby authorised to .....  
*dengan ini telah dibenarkan untuk*

the following forest produce taken under Licence No. ....  
*Keluaran hutan berikut yang diambil di bawah Lesen No.*

in the name of ..... issued at .....  
*atas nama ..... dikeluarkan di*

Permit expires on .....  
*Permit ini tamat tempohnya pada*

Quantity	Species	Dimensions	Class	Volume	Rate per M <sup>3</sup>	Royalty
<i>Kuantiti</i>	<i>Spesis</i>	<i>Ukuran</i>	<i>Kelas</i>	<i>Isipadu</i>	<i>Kadar</i>	<i>Royalti</i>
					<i>semeterpadu</i>	<i>RM sen</i>

Place ..... Date .....  
*Tempat ..... Tarikh*

.....  
Authorised Officer  
(Pegawai Berkuasa)

FORM V  
FOREST RULES 1969  
(Rule 15(1))

DISPOSAL PERMIT FOR ROUND LOGS

Original

.....  
(Licence No./Coupe Permit No.)

CODE							
DP. No.							
No. of Entries							
Scaling Order date							

..... Is hereby authorised to cut/extract/remove the  
(Name of Company/Contractor/Licensee)

Following timber from the area(s) under the above-stated Licence/Permit:

Serial No.	Log No.	Species Symbol	Dimensions			Symbol	Defect		Remark
			Length (m)	Diameters			Diameters		
				D1	D2		Mean	Length	Dia.

Place of Scaling .....

Licensee Account No. ....

Date Scaled .....

Name of Scalars .....

Registered Property Hammer Mark .....

Owner of Property Hammer Mark .....

FD RP Number .....

Scaling Order No. ....

These logs certified for

(i) Export [ ]

(ii) Local processing [ ]

FORM VI  
FOREST RULES, 1969  
(Rule 15)

DISPOSAL PERMIT FOR ROUND LOGS FOR PROCESSING

..... is here authorised to remove to his mill the following timber already measured at full rate. Subsidy claimed by.....  
Timber cut under Licence/Permit No. ....

Log No.	Species Symbol	Dimensions	Volume	Volumes by Classes						
		(enter dimensions of any defects on next line	Defective	A	B	C	D	E	F	OT

Total

Place ..... Date scaled .....

.....  
Authorised Officer



FORM VII  
FOREST RULES, 1969  
(Rule 15 (1))

TRANSIT PASS

PART I REFERENCE .....

TRANSPORTED BY .....  
ORIGIN .....  
DESTINATION .....  
SHIPPER ..... ADDRESS .....  
CONSIGNEE ..... ADDRESS .....  
NO. OF LOGS ..... ROUND/SQUARED .....  
LICENCE NO. ....  
DATE OF EXPIRY OF THIS FORM .....  
DATE OF EXPIRY OF LICENCE .....  
ISSUED AT FORESTRY OFFICE, SANDAKAN ON ..... 19 .....  
PROPERTY MARK:

.....  
AUTNORISED OFFICER

PART II

A. The licensee has outstanding accounts as below –

Bill no.	Amount	Date due	Remarks
	RM    sen		
<hr/>			
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B. TDP's for checking      Logs scaled to      are under

*b.p. Jurukira, Jabatan Perhutanan, Sandakan*

Date .....

FORM VIII  
FOREST RULES, 1969  
(Rule 19 (1))

LICENCE TO ERECT AND/OR OPERATE SAWMILL OR PLANT

This Licence authorises ..... of .....  
to erect and/or operate a sawmill or plant at .....  
to be known as the ..... Sawmill  
or Plant for the period or periods specified in Appendix A hereto, subject to the provisions of any  
written law relating to machinery and to the following conditions:—

1. This Licence may not be transferred or assigned.
2. The sawmill or plant shall comprise the buildings and machinery detailed in Appendices B and C hereto, and no building or machinery shall be added to or removed from the sawmill or plant without the written permission of the Director.
3. Unhindered access to all parts of the sawmill or plant buildings and grounds shall be allowed to any forest officer at any time for the purpose of inspection.
4. Saving and conversion shall be maintained to such standards as may be considered reasonable by the Director, and the licensee shall comply with such instructions as may be issued by the Director regarding the proper adjustment of the machinery and the method of operation thereof.
5. Government does not guarantee the supply of timber for the sawmill or plant.  
(Such special conditions may be added by the Director).

.....  
Director of Forestry



FORM IX  
FOREST RULES, 1969  
(Rule 20A)

PERMIT TO OCCUPY LAND IN FOREST RESERVE

This permit authorises ..... of  
..... to occupy an area of  
approximately ..... acres within ..... Forest  
Reserve as shown on Plan No. F. D. .... for the purpose of  
..... for the period or periods specified  
in the Appendix hereto, subject to the following conditions:-

1. This permit may not be transferred or assigned.  
(such special conditions as may be added by the Director).

.....  
Director of Forestry

APPENDIX  
PERIOD DURING WHICH THE PERMIT IS VALID

Date		Fee paid RM	Receipt no. and Date	Signature of Forest Officer	Date		Fee paid RM	Receipt No. and Date	Signature of Forest Officer
From	To				From	To			

FORM X  
FOREST RULES, 1969  
(Rule 15 (1))

DISPOSAL PERMIT FOR MANGROVE WOOD (BILLETS)

DP. No. ....

..... is hereby authorised  
to ..... the following Mangrove Billets cut under  
licence/Coupe Permit No. .... in the name of  
..... expiring on .....  
19 .....

This Permit expires on .....

Scow/Light No.	Weight in Metric Tons	Remarks

Place weighed ..... date .....

Weight taken by .....

.....  
Authorised Officer

FORM XI  
FOREST RULES, 1969  
(Rule 20B (3))

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FORESTRY DEPARTMENT  
STATE OF SABAH, MALAYSIA

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REGISTRATION BOOK  
FOR A LOGGING VEHICLE

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REGULATIONS

1. On first issue of this book, please sign your name in the space provided at the top of page 3.
2. **KEEP THIS BOOK IN A SAFE PLACE OTHER THAN IN THE VEHICLE.** If this book is lost you may face difficulties and delays in renewing the licence or selling the vehicle; and you must immediately report such loss to the Pejabat Perhutanan (stated at page 2) with whom the vehicle is currently registered.
3. Check the particulars at page 5 and if there is a mistake or they are incorrect by reason of any change in the vehicle or its usage, the Pejabat Perhutanan must be immediately informed and this book sent to them. The licence must be sent therewith if any alteration is required thereon.
4. This Book must accompany every application for renewal of the licence.
5. If you change your address, state your name and address in the space "Transfer" at page 3 (or at page 4 if page 3 has been filled up) and sign thereunder and send this book to the Pejabat Perhutanan.
6. If you sell the vehicle, surrender this book to the purchaser. You must also notify the Pejabat Perhutanan of such sale, stating the index mark and registration number of the vehicle and the name and address of the purchaser.
7. A purchaser of this vehicle shall state his name and address in the first vacant "Transfer" space at page 3 (or at page 4 if page 3 has been filled up) and sign thereunder, and send this book to the Pejabat Perhutanan.
8. If you have difficulties regarding any matter pertaining to the registration or licensing of your vehicle, please write to the Pejabat Perhutanan (stated in page 2) for his clarification.

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ADDRESS OF REGISTRAR AND  
INSPECTOR OF LOGGING VEHICLES  
MAKING THE REGISTRATION

Sabah LawNet

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NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER

Full name: .....  
(in block capitals)

Address: .....  
.....  
.....

Usual signature: .....  
\_\_\_\_\_

FIRST TRANSFER

Full name: .....  
(in block capitals)

Address: .....  
.....  
.....

Usual signature: .....  
\_\_\_\_\_

SECOND TRANSFER

Full name: .....  
(in block capitals)

Address: .....  
.....  
.....

Usual signature: .....  
\_\_\_\_\_

THIRD TRANSFER

Full name: .....  
(in block capitals)

Address: .....  
.....  
.....

Usual signature: .....  
\_\_\_\_\_

\* The registered owner is the person who possesses the vehicle. He may or may not be the legal owner thereof.



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NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER

FOURTH TRANSFER

Full name: .....  
(in block capitals)

Address: .....  
.....  
.....

Usual signature: .....  
\_\_\_\_\_

FIFTH TRANSFER

Full name: .....  
(in block capitals)

Address: .....  
.....  
.....

Usual signature: .....  
\_\_\_\_\_

SIXTH TRANSFER

Full name: .....  
(in block capitals)

Address: .....  
.....  
.....

Usual signature: .....  
\_\_\_\_\_

SEVENTH TRANSFER

Full name: .....  
(in block capitals)

Address: .....  
.....  
.....

Usual signature: .....  
\_\_\_\_\_

\* TheThe registered owner is the person who possesses the vehicle. He may or may not be the legal owner thereof.

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Extract of Registration particulars Identification  
mark .....

- 
- (a) Class .....
  - (b) Body Type .....
  - (c) Colour .....
  - (d) Powered by .....
  - (e) Maker:
    - Name .....
    - Engine No. ....
    - Chassis No. ....
  - (f) Year of make .....
  - (g) Seating capacity .....
  - (h) Horse power .....
  - (i) Number of cylinders .....
  - (j) Unladen weight .....
  - (k) Number of wheels .....
  - (l) Date of original registration .....
  - (m) Radio installed .....
  - (n) Total annual  
licence fee RM

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Stamp, date and signature  
of Issuing Officer

FORM XI  
(Rule 20B (3))

FOT USE ON REGISTRATION OF LOGGING VEHICLES

Forest District of registration ..... Name of registering Forest Officer .....

Total Fee	Receipt No. (licence)	Date of issue of Receipt (licence)	Date, stamp and signature of issuing officer	Change of Place (Forest District)

Sabah LawNet