

Forest Act, 1963

Section 102 - General Powers to Make Rules

- (1) The State Government may by notification, make rules to carry out all or any of the purposes of this Act.
- (2) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, rules may be made,-
- (a) to prescribe and limit the powers and duties of any Forest Officer under this Act;
 - (b) to regulate the procedure of Forest Settlement Officers;
 - (c) for the preservation, reproduction and disposal of trees, timber and other forest produce belonging to Government, but grown on lands belonging to or in the occupation of private persons;
 - (d) to regulate the rewards to be paid to officers and informers out of the proceeds of fines and confiscation under this Act or otherwise.
 - ¹(e) to regulate the cutting, felling, sale or disposal of blackwood or bite tree (*Dalbergia Latifolia*);
 - (f) to prescribe the fees to be levied in respect of licences, permits, passes or permissions issued under this Act or rules made thereunder;
 - (g) in respect of any other matter which is required or allowed by this Act to be prescribed];

1. Clauses (e) to (g) inserted by Act 23 of 1974 w.e.f. 1.6.1969.
