

REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

FORESTRY ACT [CAP 276]

Forestry (2013 Sandalwood Harvesting Season) (Amendment) Order Notwof 2013

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by paragraphs 47(6)(a), (b) and (c), and 71(1)(e), I, the Honourable DAVID TOSUL, Minister of Agriculture, Livestock, Forestry, Fisheries and Biosecurity, on the advice of the Director General, make the following Order.

1 Amendment

The Forestry (2013 Sandalwood Harvesting Season) Order No. 88 of 2013 is amended as set out in the schedule.

2 Commencement

This Order is taken to have commenced on the 7th October 2013.

Made at Port Vila this day of Det , 2013.

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK, FORESTRY, FISHERIES & Minister of Agriculture, Livestock-Forestry, Fisheries and Biosecurity

SCHEDULE

1 Clause 1

Delete "07 October 2013", substitute "08 December 2013"

2 Clause 2

Repeal the clause, substitute

"2. Licence quota

- (1) The licence quota for the 2013 sandalwood harvesting season is not more than 82 metric tons.
- (2) Licensees that have not reached their license quota under subclause (1) are allowed to purchase sandalwood.
- (3) To avoid doubt, a licensee who has reached the licence quota under subclause (1) is not allowed to purchase sandalwood.

3 After clause 3

Insert.

"3A Offences

A person who fails to purchase sandalwood heartwood at the minimum price set out in clause 3 is guilty of an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine of VT 100,000."