

**KSCSTE-KERALA FOREST RESEARCH INSTITUTE  
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**PROCEEDINGS**

Sub: KSCSTE-KFRI-Admin – Charges of DNA barcoding and DNA testing for timber forensics  
- Sanctioned - Orders issued - reg.

No. G10/KSCSTE/KFRI/Estt/2018

Date: 08-05-2023

Ref: Decision of 38<sup>th</sup> MC, Dated: 20/03/2023

As per the reference cited, the charges of DNA barcoding and DNA testing for timber forensics is fixed as follows. These charges will be applicable to perform DNA barcoding for various stakeholders, and DNA testing of seized wood samples related to various timber forensics applications for the Judiciary, Police Department, Forest Department & other Departments.

Timber forensic services	Charge per wood sample (in Rupees)				GST (18%)	Total (Rs.)
	DNA extraction	PCR amplification	Sanger sequencing	Total		
DNA barcoding	300/-	800/-	400/-	1500/-	270/-	1770/-
DNA finger printing	300/-	800/-	200/-	1300/-	234/-	1534/-

\* Charges tend to vary for extremely difficult wood samples.

The revised rate will be applicable with effect from the date of this order.

**DIRECTOR**

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