GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN

MINISTRY OF CLIMATE CHANGE

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**INSTRUCTIONS FOR ISSUANCE OF CITES EXPORT PERMIT FOR ROSEWOOD/SHISHAM/ *DALBERGIA SP.***

1. Rosewood/ Shisham/*Dalbergia sp.*  is listed in Appendix-II of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora(CITES). As per provision of the CITES; export of products containing rosewood require CITES Export Permit issued by CITES Management Authority of the country of export. In Pakistan, Ministry of Climate Change issues such documents on recommendation of Provincial Forest Departments.
2. For export of rosewood products, exporter is required to get registered with ministry of Climate Change. Duly filled Registration Form is to be recommended and forwarded by relevant Provincial Forest Department to Ministry of Climate Change. The exporter is accordingly registered after deposition of Registration Fee (PKR. 10,000) in State Bank of Pakistan, Islamabad. The Registration is valid for one calendar year.
3. For issuance of CITES export permit for rosewood products, an application is to be submitted by exporter to relevant Provincial Forest Department along with proof of legal acquisition/purchase of the wood to be exported. The application will be endorsed and forwarded to Ministry of Climate Change, Islamabad.
4. The application should include quantity of the rosewood (detail of articles; number & weight in kilogram) and addresses of importer and exporter.
5. CITES export permit will be issued by Ministry of Climate Change after deposition of export fee (PKR. 2,000 per consignment) in State Bank of Pakistan, Islamabad.