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**GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL**  
**FOREST DEPARTMENT**

Writers' Buildings, Kolkata-700 001

**NOTIFICATION**

No. 901-For dt. the 1st March, 2007. In exercise of the power conferred by clause (2) of section 3 of the West Bengal Trees (Protection and Conservation in Non-Forest Areas) Act, 2006 (West Ben. Act X of 2006) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), the Governor is pleased hereby to appoint the competent authority under column (1), to perform the duties and exercise the powers conferred under the said Act within the jurisdiction as described under column (2), of the Schedule given below :—

**SCHEDULE**

Name of the competent authority (1)	Jurisdiction (2)
(1) Forest Range Officer	Rural areas under the jurisdiction of the Forest Range Officer ;
(2) Divisional Forest Officer (Utilisation Division)	Kolkata Municipal Corporation area ;
(3) Divisional Forest Officer	All other "Rural Areas", not covered by the jurisdiction of the Forest Range Officer, and Municipalities/Corporations/Notified Area Authorities within his jurisdiction, except Kolkata Municipal Corporation area.

By Order of the Governor,

Sd/-

( S. Nag )

*Joint Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal*