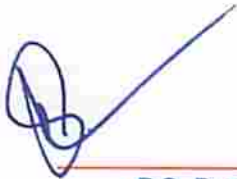


**Notification on the revised price of timber and sand**

This is for general information that the Natural Resource Pricing Committee (NRPC) comprising of members from Ministry of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Agriculture and Forests, Ministry of Finance, Bhutan Chamber of Commerce and Industry and Druk Holding and Investments (DHI) with its Secretariat at DHI approved the following prices of timber (log and sawn) and sand in its first NRPC meeting held on 12<sup>th</sup> January 2017. The revised price shall be implemented with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2017.

**1. Timber (log)**

Selling Rate (Nu/cft) Logs for 2017					
Sl.No	Dzongkhag	Conifer		Broadleaf	
		A Class	B Class	A Class	B Class
1	Thimphu	162.39	157.61	142.39	137.61
2	Paro	160.91	156.99	140.91	136.13
3	Haa	160.91	156.99	140.91	136.13
4	Wangdue	163.21	158.43	143.21	138.43
5	Gasa	163.21	158.43	143.21	138.43
6	Punakha	163.21	158.43	143.21	138.43
7	Tsirang	163.21	158.43	143.21	138.43
8	Dagana	163.21	158.43	143.21	138.43
9	Bumthang	159.67	154.89	139.67	134.89
10	Trongsa	159.67	154.89	139.67	134.89
11	Zhemgang	159.67	154.89	139.67	134.89
12	Sarpang	159.67	154.89	139.67	134.89
13	Chhukha	173.85	169.06	153.85	149.06
14	Samtse	173.85	169.06	153.85	149.06
15	Monggar	167.47	162.69	147.47	142.69
16	Lhuentse	167.47	149.19	147.47	142.69
17	Trashiyangtse	167.47	162.69	147.47	142.69
18	Tashigang	167.47	162.69	147.47	142.69
19	Samdrupjongkhar	167.47	162.69	147.47	142.69
20	Pemagatshel	167.47	162.69	147.47	142.69



**2. Timber (sawn) if retailed by sawmills**

Selling Rates (Nu/cft) of sawn timber for 2017					
Sl.No	Dzongkhag	Conifer		Broadleaf	
		A Class	B Class	A Class	B Class
1	Thimphu	297.47	290.73	306.93	299.20
2	Paro	295.38	289.85	304.53	296.80
3	Haa	295.38	289.85	304.53	296.80
4	Wangdue	298.63	291.89	308.25	300.52
5	Gasa	298.63	291.89	308.25	300.52
6	Punakha	298.63	291.89	308.25	300.52
7	Tsirang	298.63	291.89	308.25	300.52
8	Dagana	298.63	291.89	308.25	300.52
9	Bumthang	293.63	286.89	302.52	294.79
10	Trongsa	293.63	286.89	302.52	294.79
11	Zhemgang	293.63	286.89	302.52	294.79
12	Sarpang	293.63	286.89	302.52	294.79
13	Chhukha	313.62	306.87	325.45	317.71
14	Samtse	313.62	306.87	325.45	317.71
15	Monggar	304.64	297.80	315.15	307.41
16	Lhuentse	304.64	297.80	315.15	307.41
17	Trashiyangtse	304.64	297.80	315.15	307.41
18	Tashigang	304.64	297.80	315.15	307.41
19	Samdrupjongkhar	304.64	297.80	315.15	307.41
20	Pemagatshel	304.64	297.80	315.15	307.41

**3. Timber (sawn) if retailed by NRDCL**

Selling rates (Nu/cft) of sawn timber by NRDCL					
Sl.No	Dzongkhag	Conifer		Broadleaf	
		A Class	B Class	A Class	B Class
1	Thimphu	279.86	273.06	286.72	278.93
2	Paro	277.96	272.26	284.54	276.76
3	Haa	277.96	272.26	284.54	276.76
4	Wangdue	280.91	274.11	287.93	280.14
5	Gasa	280.91	274.11	287.93	280.14
6	Punakha	280.91	274.11	287.93	280.14
7	Tsirang	280.91	274.11	287.93	280.14
8	Dagana	280.91	274.11	287.93	280.14
9	Bumthang	276.36	269.57	282.71	274.93

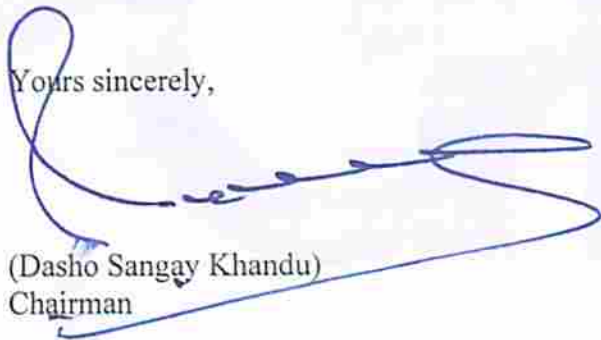


10	Trongsa	276.36	269.57	282.71	274.93
11	Zhemgang	276.36	269.57	282.71	274.93
12	Sarpang	276.36	269.57	282.71	274.93
13	Chhukha	294.54	287.73	303.57	295.76
14	Samtse	294.54	287.73	303.57	295.76
15	Monggar	286.37	279.48	294.20	286.40
16	Lhuentse	286.37	279.48	294.20	286.40
17	Trashiyangtse	286.37	279.48	294.20	286.40
18	Tashigang	286.37	279.48	294.20	286.40
19	Samdrupjongkhar	286.37	279.48	294.20	286.40
20	Pemagatshel	286.37	279.48	294.20	286.40

**3. Sand Price (per cubic meter) at site**

Sand Price (per cubic meter) at site				
Sl. No	Dzongkhag			
		Quarry	Stock	Dredged
1	Zhonggar	257.94		
2	Sha	140.86	219.91	273.77
3	Phuentsholing	137.54	337.03	
4	Jakar	178.63	261.91	

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3. The Secretary, Ministry of Economic Affairs, Thimphu for kind information
4. The Secretary, Association of Wood Based Industries, Thimphu for kind information
5. The Secretary General, Bhutan Chamber of Commerce and Industry, for kind information
6. The CEO, NRDC, Thimphu for kind information and necessary action.

