

Legal Timber & Wood Sourcing Compliance

Furniture & Home Furnishings

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This guide explains what the tool produces, how to use the output, and what to watch for. The actual output (draft/report) is generated on the tool page.

Background

Explains legal timber and wood sourcing for a furniture business — legal sources, transit permits, restricted species, imported timber and documentation. Use it to avoid illegal-wood liability. For the licensing map use the Furniture Licensing Roadmap.

Purpose of this tool & output

Source and document wood legally

How the output is used

Use it to source and document wood legally — a legal timber and wood sourcing compliance guide across permits, invoices and species rules.

Important cautions

Handling illegal or undocumented timber carries serious penalties and reputational risk — buy only from legal sources, comply with state transit-permit rules, avoid protected and banned species, and keep purchase and legality documentation for every lot. Transit and species rules vary by state; confirm locally.

Companion documents

- Furniture Licensing Roadmap
- GST & Tax Guide for Furniture
- Factory Licences & Pollution Guide
- BIS / Quality Standards Guide
- Shops & Establishment / Trade Licence
- Export Council (EPCH) & RCMC / GI Guide

This is AI-assisted guidance. Verify with a qualified professional before any binding decision. Fees, authorities and processes vary by state and change over time — confirm with your state authority.