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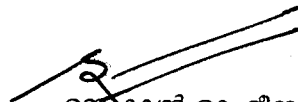
ശ്രീ. തിരുവഞ്ചൂർ രാധാകൃഷ്ണൻ
(വനവും പരിസ്ഥിതിയും ഗതാഗതവും
സ്പോർട്സും സിനിമയും വകുപ്പു മന്ത്രി)

എ) വന നശീകരണവും വനം കയ്യേറ്റവും തടയുന്നതിനായി ഈ സർക്കാർ സ്വീകരിച്ച നടപടികളുടെ പുരോഗതി വിലയിരുത്തിയിട്ടുണ്ടോ;

എ) ഉണ്ട്.

ബി) വന നശീകരണം സംഭവിച്ച മേഖലകളിൽ സ്വാഭാവിക വനം വളർത്തിയെടുക്കുന്നതിനും പ്രകൃതിയുടെ നിലനിൽപ്പിനും ജൈവ വൈവിധ്യ സംരക്ഷണത്തിനുമായി വനവൽക്കരണ നടപടികൾ ഊർജ്ജിതപ്പെടുത്തുന്നതിനും അടിയന്തര നടപടി സ്വീകരിക്കുമോ?

വന നശീകരണം സംഭവിച്ച മേഖലകളിൽ സ്വാഭാവിക വനം വളർത്തിയെടുക്കുന്നതിനും, പ്രകൃതിയുടെ നിലനിൽപ്പിനും ജൈവ വൈവിധ്യ സംരക്ഷണത്തിനുമായി വനവൽക്കരണ നടപടികൾ വനം വകുപ്പിന്റെ തുടർ പരിപാടിയായി നടപ്പാക്കി വരുന്നു.


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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
Abstract

Forest & Wild Life Department - Eviction of encroachments - Implementation of the direction of Government of India - Constitution of State Level Monitoring Committee - Orders issued.

FOREST & WILD LIFE (C) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.69/2002/F&WLD.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram 8-11-'02.

- Read:-
- 1) Letter No.7-16/2002/FC dated 3-5-2002 from Government of India.
 - 2) Letter No.L3-8343/2002 dated 17-6-2002 from the Chief Conservator of Forests (P), Thiruvananthapuram.
 - 3) G.O.(Ms)No.53/2002/F&WLD.dated.20-9-2002.

O R D E R

Government of India in the letter read above has informed that the problem of encroachments of forest land is assuming a serious proportion in the Country. These encroachments are seriously threatening the continuity of the Wild Life Corridors between various National Parks and Sanctuaries and timely action is not taken by frontline staff for the eviction of the encroachers which further emboldens others also for similar activities. It is also stated that the Hon'ble Supreme Court in their Order dated 23-11-2001 in IA No.703 in W.P .202/95 have restrained the Central Government from regularisation of encroachment in the Country. Therefore, the Government of India have suggested time bound programme for eviction of encroachers from the forest land and steps to comply with the Hon'ble Supreme Court direction.

2. The Chief Conservator of Forests (Protection) in his letter read as 2nd paper above has also sent concrete proposals to Government seeking Government Orders for implementing the direction of the Government of India in compliance to the Hon'ble Supreme Court Orders.

3. As per Government Order 3rd read above, Government have ordered various measures to be taken in this regard, which include constitution of a State Level Monitoring Committee under the Chairmanship of the Chief Secretary for monitoring forest encroachments and review of remedial measures adopted.

4. Accordingly, Government are pleased to constitute a State Level Monitoring Committee, with the following members:-

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| 1. | Chief Secretary | .. | Chairman |
| 2. | Secretary (Forests) | .. | Member |
| 3. | Secretary (Revenue) | .. | Member |
| 4. | Secretary (Home) | .. | Member |
| 5. | Secretary (Law) | .. | Member |
| 6. | Director General of Police. | .. | Member |
| 7. | Principal Chief Conservator of Forests.. | | Member |
| 8. | Director of Survey & Land Records. | .. | Member |
| 9. | Chief Conservator of Forests in charge at the Headquarters. | .. | Member |

The Committee will meet biannually to take stock of the situation relating to encroachments. The Committee while monitoring forest encroachments should also fix responsibility of the field formulations including the Revenue Officials for their failure to prevent/evict encroachments on the forest lands.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

E.K. BHARATH BHUSHAN,
Secretary to Government.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
The Secretary (Forests)
The Secretary (Revenue)
The Secretary (Home)
The Secretary (Law)
The Director General of Police, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Director of Survey & Land Records, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Chief Conservator of Forests in charge at Headquarters Thiruvananthapuram.
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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
Abstract

Forest & Wild Life Department – Eviction of encroachments- Constitution of State Level Monitoring Committee – Modified - Orders issued.

FOREST & WILD LIFE (C) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(MS) No. 52 /2011/F&WLD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram 18.11.2011

- Read: 1. G.O(MS) No. 69/02/F&WLD dated 08.11.2002
2. G.O(MS) No. 15/03/F&WLD dated 06.03.2003
3. G.O.(MS) No.38/11/F&WLD dated 1.09.2011

ORDER

A State level Monitoring Committee under the Chairmanship of the Chief Secretary and Circle level Committees under the Chairmanship of Conservators of Forest were constituted for monitoring steps taken against forest encroachments vide Government orders read as first and second paper above respectively.

2. Inorder to effectively counter the threat of encroachment, Government have decided to modify the constitution of the State level Monitoring Committee, by including the Secretary, Tribal Welfare Department as a member, in addition to the existing members of the State level Monitoring Committee and order accordingly.

3. The G.O read as 1st paper above stands modified to the above extent only.

By Order of the Governor
SAJEN PETER,
Principal Secretary

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
The Additional Chief Secretary, Revenue Department
The Additional Chief Secretary, Home Department
The Secretary, Law Department
The Secretary, Tribal Welfare Department
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Thiruvananthapuram
The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Protection), Thiruvananthapuram
The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Administration), Thiruvananthapuram
The Director General of Police, Thiruvananthapuram
The Director, Survey and Land Records, Thiruvananthapuram
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ABSTRACT

Forest & Wild Life Department - Eviction of encroachments -
Implementation of the directions of Government of India
Constitution of Circle Level Committees - Orders Issued.

FOREST & WILD LIFE (C) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (MS) No. 15/03/F&WLD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 6-3-2003

- Read:- 1. Letter No. 7-16/02/FC dated 3-5-2002 from Government of India.
2. G.O. (MS) No. 53/02/F&WLD dated 20-9-2002.
 3. G.O. (MS) No. 69/2002/F&WLD dated 8-11-2002.
 4. Letter No. L3-8343/02 dated 30-1-2003 from the Chief Conservator of Forests (P), Thiruvananthapuram.

ORDER

Government of India in the letter read as 1st paper above has informed that the problem of encroachments of forest land is assuming a serious proportion in the country. These encroachments are seriously threatening the continuity of the Wild Life Corridors between various National Parks and Sanctuaries and timely action is not taken by front line staff for the eviction of the encroachers which further emboldens others also for similar activities. It is also stated that the Hon. Supreme Court in their order dated 23-11-2001 in I.A.No.703 in W.P.No.202/95 have restrained the Central Government from regularisation of encroachment in the Country. Therefore the Government of India have suggested time bound programme for eviction of encroachers from the forest land and steps to comply with Hon. Supreme Court directions.

2. As per Government Order read as 2nd paper above Government have ordered various measures to be taken in this regard, which include constitution of State Level Monitoring Committee and Circle Level Committees under the Chairmanship of Conservator of Forests, with District Collector and Superintendent of Police as members.

3. As per G.O. read as IIIrd paper above, Government have already constituted a State Level Monitoring Committee with Chief Secretary as the Chairman.

4. The Chief Conservator of Forests (P) in his letter read as 4th paper above has now sent proposals to Government seeking Government Orders to constitute Circle Level Committees under the Chairmanship of Conservator of Forests.

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5. Government have examined the matter and are pleased to constitute five Circle Level Committees with the following members:

I. Southern Circle (Revenue District: Thiruvananthapuram, Kollam, Pathanamthitta)

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| 1. Conservator of Forests, Kollam | Chairman |
| 2. District Collector, Thiruvananthapuram | Member |
| 3. District Collector, Kollam | Member |
| 4. District Collector, Pathanamthitta | Member |
| 5. Superintendent of Police, (Rural) Thiruvananthapuram | Member |
| 6. Superintendent of Police, Kollam | Member |
| 7. Superintendent of Police, Pathanamthitta | Member |
| 8. Superintendent of Survey, Thiruvananthapuram | Member |
| 9. Superintendent of Survey, Kollam | Member |
| 10. Divisional Forest Officer, Ranni | Member |
| 11. Divisional Forest Officer, Punalur | Member |
| 12. Divisional Forest Officer, Achencoil | Member |
| 13. Divisional Forest Officer, Thennala | Member |
| 14. Divisional Forest Officer, Konni | Member |
| 15. Divisional Forest Officer, Thiruvananthapuram | Member |
| 16. Wild Life Warden, Shendurney | Member |
| 17. Wild Life Warden, Neyyar and Peppara | Member |

II. High Range Circle (Revenue) District - Kottayam, Idukki

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| 1. Conservator of Forests, Kottayam | Chairman |
| 2. District Collector, Kottayam | Member |
| 3. District Collector, Idukki | Member |
| 4. Superintendent of Police, Kottayam | Member |
| 5. Superintendent of Police, Idukki | Member |
| 6. Superintendent of Survey, Kottayam | Member |
| 7. Superintendent of Survey, Idukki | Member |
| 8. Divisional Forest Officer, Kottayam | Member |
| 9. Divisional Forest Officer, Munnar | Member |
| 10. Divisional Forest Officer, Kothamangalam | Member |
| 11. Divisional Forest Officer, Mankulam | Member |
| 12. Deputy Director, Periyar East | Member |
| 13. Deputy Director, Periyar West | Member |
| 14. Wild Life Warden, Idukki | Member |
| 15. Wild Life Warden, Eravikulam | Member |

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III. Central Circle (Revenue District - Thrissur, Idukki, Ernakulam)

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| 1. Conservator of Forests, Thrissur | Chairman |
| 2. District Collector, Thrissur | Member |
| 3. District Collector, Idukki | Member |
| 4. District Collector, Ernakulam | Member |
| 5. Superintendent of Police, Thrissur | Member |
| 6. Superintendent of Police, Idukki | Member |
| 7. Superintendent of Police, (Ernakulam(Rural)) | Member |
| 8. Superintendent of Survey, Thrissur | Member |
| 9. Superintendent of Survey, Idukki | Member |
| 10. Superintendent of Survey, Ernakulam | Member |
| 11. Divisional Forest Officer, Thrissur | Member |
| 12. Divisional Forest Officer, Vazhachal | Member |
| 13. Divisional Forest Officer, Chalakkudy | Member |
| 14. Divisional Forest Officer, Malayattoor | Member |
| 15. Wild Life Warden, Peechi | Member |

IV. Northern Circle (Revenue District - Kozhikode, Wayanad, Kasaragod, Kannur).

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| 1. Conservator of Forests, Kozhikode | Chairman |
| 2. District Collector, Kozhikode | Member |
| 3. District Collector, Wayanad | Member |
| 4. District Collector, Kasaragode | Member |
| 5. District Collector, Kannur | Member |
| 6. Superintendent of Police (Rural) Kozhikode | Member |
| 7. Superintendent of Police, Wayanad | Member |
| 8. Superintendent of Police, Kasaragode | Member |
| 9. Superintendent of Police, Kannur | Member |
| 10. Superintendent of Survey, Kozhikode | Member |
| 11. Superintendent of Survey, Wayanad | Member |
| 12. Superintendent of Survey, Kannur | Member |
| 13. Superintendent of Police, Kasaragode | Member |
| 14. Divisional Forest Officer, Kozhikode | Member |
| 15. Divisional Forest Officer, Wayanad South | Member |
| 16. Divisional Forest Officer, Wayanad North | Member |
| 17. Divisional Forest Officer, Kannur | Member |
| 18. Wildlife Warden, Wayanad | Member |
| 19. Wild Life Warden, Aralam | Member |

4. The Chief Conservator of Forests (Reserve Division - Palakkad).
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| 1. Superintendent of Forests | Chairman |
| 2. District Collector, Malappuram | Member |
| 3. District Collector, Palakkad | Member |
| 4. Superintendent of Police, Malappuram | Member |
| 5. Superintendent of Police, Palakkad | Member |
| 6. Superintendent of Survey, Malappuram. | Member |
| 7. Superintendent of Survey, Palakkad | Member |
| 8. Divisional Forest Officer, Palakkad | Member |
| 9. Divisional Forest Officer, Mannarkkad | Member |
| 10. Divisional Forest Officer, Nemmara | Member |
| 11. Divisional Forest Officer, Nilambur South | Member |
| 12. Divisional Forest Officer, Nilambur North | Member |
| 13. Wild Life Warden Parambikulam | Member |

The Committee will meet every quarter and take effective steps to assist the Divisional Forest Officers of the Territory Divisions/Wildlife Warden/National Park and Sanctuary Director for the eviction of the encroachers. The Chairman will furnish report to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests every quarter in order to enable him to furnish the details to Government of India and the State Government.

(By Order of the Governor)

E.K. BHARAT BHUSHAN
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Chief Conservator of Forests (P), Thiruvananthapuram.
The Director General of Police, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Commissioner, Land Revenue, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Director of Survey and Land Records.
All Chief Conservator of Forests.
All District Collectors.
All Superintendents of Police.
All Divisional Forest Officers.
All Superintendents of Survey
All Wildlife Wardens.
The Deputy Director, Periyar East.
The Deputy Director, Periyar West
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