

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
FOREST DEPARTMENT

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From
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Telangana, HYDERABAD.

To
The Director General of Forests
& Member Secretary,
National Tiger Conservation Authority,
NBCC Place (1st floor), Pragati Vihar,
Bhishma Pitamah Marg, Lodhi Road,
New Delhi - 110003

Rc. No.: 1416/2014/WL-1, Dt: 12.02.2015

Sir,

Sub:- Telangana Forest Department - Wildlife - Mahaboobnagar and Nalgonda Districts - Reservation for the erstwhile part of Nagarjunasagar Srisailem Tiger Reserve (NSTR) as "Amrabad Tiger Reserve" - Notified under section 38 (V) of Wildlife (Protection) Act 1972 - Issued - Reg.

Ref:- GO Ms. No.: 03/EFS&F (For.H) Dept., Dt: 06.02.2015

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This is to inform that the Govt. of Telangana has issued orders in the above G.O. notifying Telangana part of Nagarjunasagar Srisailem Tiger Reserve (NSTR) as "Amrabad Tiger Reserve" U/s 38 (V) of Wildlife (Protection) Act 1972. A copy of the said G.O. is enclosed.

This is for information and necessary action.

Encl: as above

Yours faithfully
Sd/ P.K.Sharma
Chief Wildlife Warden
& Spl. Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests (Dev.)

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for Chief Wildlife Warden

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**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT**

Forest Department – Mahaboobnagar and Nalgonda Districts – Reservation for the erstwhile part of Nagarjunasagar Srisailem Tiger Reserve (NSTR) as “**Amrabad Tiger Reserve**” - Notified **under section - 38 (V) of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972** – Orders – Issued.
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ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (For.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 3.

Dated: 06-02-2015
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms. No. 66, Forest & Rural Development (For.III) Dept., Dt: 25.02.1983.
2. G.O.Ms.No.54, EFS & T (For.II) Dept., dated 27-07-2012.
3. From Spl. PCCF (Dev.) & CWLW, Rc.No.1416/2014/WL-1, Dated 17-07-2014

ORDER:

The appended Notifications will be published in an Extra-ordinary issue of the Telangana Gazette.

2. The Commissioner, Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase Department is requested to supply (200) copies of the printed Gazette Notification to the Chief Wildlife Warden, Telangana, Hyderabad and (50) copies to Government.
3. The District Collector, Mahaboob Nagar and Nalgonda Districts are requested to re-publish the Notification in the District Gazette and take necessary further action under Chapter-IV of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

RAJESHWAR TIWARI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner, Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase Department,
Telangana, Hyderabad.
The Chief Wildlife Warden & Spl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Dev,)
Telangana, Hyderabad.
The Collectors, Mahaboob Nagar & Nalgonda Districts.
The Field Director, Amrabad Tiger Reserve, Hyderabad.

Copy to :

The Secretary to Government of India,
Ministry of Environment & Forests, CGO Complex, Lodi road, New Delhi.
The Law (B) Department.
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana, Hyderabad.
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Annexure-I**NOTIFICATION OF AMRABAD TIGER RESERVE IN
TELANGANA STATE**

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Preamble

The "**Amrabad Tiger Reserve**" represents the rich floral & faunal diversity of Nallamalai hill ranges of Deccan Plateau. The area has mostly hilly terrain with deep valleys and gorges. The hill ranges contain the Amrabad plateau. The Tiger Reserve nestled in Nallamalai Forest ranges traverses in the Achampet Division of Mahaboob Nagar District & Nagarjun Sagar division of Nalgonda district and forms excellent mosaic of Wildlife habitat in the form of wood lands, grass lands, open areas, rivers, streams and water bodies. The Tiger Reserve with mixed forest comprises of several deciduous tree species and is rich in bamboo. The Forest areas with steep hills and deep valleys forms an excellent habitat for Tiger, co-predators like Panthers, Wild dogs, Sloth bear and Prey species like Chital, Sambar, Nilghai, Chowsingha, etc. The varied topography and diverse climatic conditions supports about 70 species of mammals, 300 avian species, 60 species of reptiles, 18 amphibian species and large number of insect species. The floral diversity has over 600 species of trees, shrubs, herbs and grasses, several of which have medicinal value. The Reserve has high ecological value being the catchment of Dindi & Haliya Rivers, which are the tributaries of River Krishna. The Reserve encompasses large water bodies like Nagarjun Sagar and Srisaillam Reservoirs providing rich habitat for various kinds of aquatic flora and fauna. The Reserve is also home for protected Tribal group called Chenchus.

2. The main objective for the declaration of "**Amrabad Tiger Reserve**" is to protect, restore and manage the rich biodiversity of Nallamalai Forest and conserve wild gene pool with focus on Tiger, besides to manage the landscape of this area which is the catchment area for River Krishna and its tributaries. Development of Eco-Tourism and implementing Eco-Development program to benefit the local communities, particularly the Chenchus, are other objectives of declaring this Tiger Reserve.

3. The proposed "**Amrabad Tiger Reserve**" is a part of the erstwhile Nagarjun Sagar-Srisaillam Tiger Reserve which was declared as a Tiger Reserve vide GO Ms. No.: 66-Forest & Rural Development (For.III) Dept., Dt: 25.02.1983. The bifurcation of the State of Andhra Pradesh with affect from 02.06.2014 and the formation of Telangana State has necessitated this notification of "**Amrabad Tiger Reserve**". The areas of the erstwhile NSTR falling in Mahaboob Nagar and Nalgonda districts are included in the present notification. The "**Amrabad Tiger Reserve**" now being notified spreads over an area of 2166.37 Sq.Km. which will form the core of the Tiger Reserve and an area of 445.02 Sq.Km which will be the buffer to the Tiger Reserve.

Annexure-II**NOTIFICATION - I**

In exercise of powers conferred in Section 38 (V) of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 (Central Act No. 53 of 1972), the Government of Telangana hereby declares an area of 2166.37 Sq.Km. as core. The area identified, constitutes an area of notified Reserve Forest Blocks in Achampet WLM Division of Mahaboob Nagar District & Nagarjun Sagar WLM Division of Nalgonda District. The details are as per the area statement attached and shown in the map kept in the O/o Chief Wildlife Warden, Telangana, Hyderabad.

THE SCHEDULE

Name of the area	:	Core area of " Amrabad Tiger Reserve "
Name of the Districts	:	1) Mahaboob Nagar 2) Nalgonda
Names of the Forest Division	:	1) Achampet 2) Nagarjun Sagar
Name of the Mandals (Tehsils)	:	1) Achampet 2) Amrabad 3) Lingal 4) Balmoor 5) Chandampet 6) P.A.Pally 7) Anumula 8) Peddavoora
Name of the Forest Ranges	:	1) Achampet 2) Mannanur 3) Amrabad 4) Lingal 5) Devarakonda 6) Nagarjun Sagar
Area of the core of Amrabad Tiger Reserve.	:	<u>2166.37 SqKm.</u> (or) 216637 Ha. As shown in the area statement and As described in the boundary description.

**STATEMENT OF AREA INCLUDED IN THE CORE OF
"AMRABAD TIGER RESERVE"**

Sl. No.	Name of the District	Name of the Forest Division	Name of the Mandal /	Name of the Forest Ranges	Name of the Reserve Forest	Area in Sq. Kms (Ha)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1	Mahaboob nagar	Achampet	Amrabad Achampet Lingal Balmoor	i) Amrabad ii) Mannanur iii) Lingal iv) Achampet	Amarabad R.F	1750.00 (1,75,000.00)
2.	Nalgonda	Nagarjun Sagar	Peddavoora PA Pally Anumula Chandamp et	i) Nagarjun Sagar ii) Devarakonda	Nidigul	301.40 (30140.00)
					Azampur	3.42 (342.00)
					Suryaraop et	10.77 (1077.00)
					Rayaram	37.30 (3730.00)
					Nellikal	31.82 (3182.00)
					Rajawara m	31.66 (3166.00)
						416.37(41637.00)
Total :						2166.37 (216637.00)

BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

North (A-B): The boundary of the sanctuary starts from the station "A" denoted on the map (permanent masonry pillars bearing sanctuary mark constructed on the ground) which is North-West corner of the Forest Block Nidigul in Nagarjun Sagar forest Division and it runs in easterly direction in a zig-zag manner along the Northern boundary of Nidigul Reserve Forest upto a point fixed with permanent masonry pillar bearing sanctuary mark constructed on the ground where the Reserve Forests boundary touches the maximum flood level of 179 M. of Nagarjun Sagar Reservoir near the foot of the hillock 341M, thence along the said M.F.L. in Northerly and Westerly direction in zig-zag manner to the confluence of Peddavagu with Nagarjun Sagar, then it crosses Peddavagu and runs along the said M.F.L. line to a point (Permanent Masonry pillar bearing sanctuary mark constructed on the ground) where it comes close in the southern boundary of Suryaraopet Reserve Forests after passing Suryaraopet village; thence along the western boundary of the said Reserve Forests in a general northern, Eastern and Southern directions passing the villages of Suryaraopet, Kannapur, Puttamgondi Tanda, Chingum and Kadutanda to a point where the eastern boundary in the said Reserve Forests comes close to the M.F.L. of Nagarjun Sagar and where a small streamlet also joins Nagarjun Sagar. Then the line runs along the M.F.L. of Nagarjun Sagar in general northern and southern directions to a point where the said M.F.L. line comes close to western boundary of Rayaram Reserve Forests, at the foot of the hill 248' lying in the said Rayaram Reserve Forests, thence towards general north and east and other directions along the Rayaram Reserve Forests boundary till it meets the M.F.L. line of Nagarjun Sagar. Then it runs along the said M.F.L. line of Nagarjun Sagar in a general west, north, east and southern directions till it meets Nelikal Reserve Forests boundary towards west and other directions in a zig-zag manner and crossing state highway from Hyderabad to Vijayapuri North and running along the Northern, eastern and southern boundaries of Nelikal Reserve Forests upto a point where the southern boundary of the said Reserve Forests touches the limits of the northern bank of River Krishna, then the boundary runs along the said river bank, limits towards general easterly direction upto a masonry pillar with sanctuary mark constructed at the bi-junction point of the limits of the western bank of Haliya River upto a point where the extreme north east corner of Rajavaram village touches the western bank of Haliya River. Thus it crosses the Haliya River and meets the point 'B' which is a masonry pillar with sanctuary mark constructed for the purpose.

East (B-C): Thence the boundary runs along the eastern bank of river Haliya upto the River Krishna. Then it enters River Krishna, takes western direction all along the Nalgonda District boundary along the River Krishna, crosses Nagarjun Sagar Dam and Reservoir and then it follows the District boundary upto the junction point of Nalgonda and Mahabubnagar districts in Dindi River. i.e., point 'C'.

South(C-D): Thence it follows the Mahaboob Nagar District boundary all along the River Krishna then it crosses Srisailam dam. Thence it runs all along the Mahabubnagar District boundary all along the in River Krishna upto Vemulapaya vagu, it takes the Northern direction reaches the masonry pillar constructed on the western bank of River Vemulapaya at MFL marked as point "D".

West (D-A): Then it runs along the said vagu and the western boundary of Amarabad Reserve Forests of Achampet Division passing village Lingal, Billakal, Banal etc., upto a point where the southern limits of the state high way from Hyderabad to Srisailam Crosses the said Reserve Forests line south-east of Rangapur (V) and then the line crosses the highway and runs along the Reserve Forests line to northern direction upto the foot-path from Amarabad to Bommanpalli and the line runs along this foot-path in southerly direction and joins the Amarabad enclosure line and then takes a right-turn and return south-westerly direction along the enclosure line and crosses the

foot-path Macharam – Inole and State highway - Hyderabad - Srisailam and then runs southerly and other directions along the said enclosure line passing Mannanur, Amarabad, Tirumaiapur, Uppununthala villages. Then it runs eastern direction via Narsingabavi and touches Udimilla village Fringe and again runs in northern direction via Petralchenu. Then it runs in north-eastern direction upto a point where the Reserve Forests boundary touches the Dindi River near Bakalingalapalli (V). Then it runs along the western-southern bank of River Dindi over a distance of 15 (fifteen) Kms to a point where a masonry pillar, bearing sanctuary mark is constructed.

Then it crosses the said river and meets the bi-junction of Nidigal Reserve Forests boundary and the northern bank Dindi river on the southern side of the hillock 1115'. Then it runs along the said Reserve Forests boundary towards north and other directions to meet the starting point 'A'. Besides the area specified above the following Reserve forests also shall be part of the "**Amrabad Tiger Reserve**".

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| 1. Rajavaram R.F | - | Nalgonda District |
| 2. Azampur | - | Nalgonda District |

For the purpose of the core of the "**Amrabad Tiger Reserve**", all the Forest areas within the above description shall form the core.

Rights and Concessions:-

The local communities are entitled to rights and concessions as admitted at the time of notification of "**Rajiv Gandhi Wildlife Sanctuary (Nagarjunasagar Srisailam Wildlife Sanctuary)**"

Annexure-III**List of Enclosures falling within Core area of Amrabad Tiger Reserve**

SI No	Division	Name of the Block	Name of the Enclosures
1	Wildlife Management Achampet	Amrabad	Amrabad - 1
2		-do-	Amrabad - 2
3		-do-	Amrabad - 3
4		-do-	Yelmapally
5		-do-	Parkala Agrahar
6		-do-	Uppununthala (Chamtota)
7		-do-	Nalchama (Uppununthala)
8		-do-	Tirmalapur
9		-do-	Umamaheswaram
10		-do-	Akkaram
11		-do-	Vatvarlapally
12		-do-	Kollampenta
13		-do-	Farhabad
14		-do-	Chitlamkunta
15		-do-	Udimilla
16		-do-	Ippalapalli-Maredugu
17		-do-	Maddimadugu
18	Wildlife Management Nagarjunasagar	Rajavaram	Tunikinuthala
19		Nidigul	Enclosure-I
20		-do-	Enclosure-II
21		-do-	Enclosure-III

Annexure-IV**NOTIFICATION -II**

In exercise of powers conferred in Section 38 (V) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 (Central Act No..53 of 1972), the Government of Telangana hereby declares an area of 445.02 Sq.Km. as buffer. The area identified, constitutes an area of notified Reserve Forest Blocks in Achampet WLM Division of Mahaboob Nagar District. The details are as per the area statement attached and shown in the map kept in the O/o Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana, Aranya Bhavan, Hyderabad.

THE SCHEDULE

Name of the Area	:	Buffer of "Amrabad Tiger Reserve".
Name of the District	:	1) Mahaboob Nagar
Names of the Forest Division	:	1) Achampet WLM Division
Name of the Mandals (Tehsils)	:	1) Achampet 2) Lingal 3) Kollapur 4) Amrabad
Name of the Forest Ranges	:	1) Achampet 2) Lingal 3) Kollapur 4) Amrabad
Area of the Buffer of Amrabad Tiger Reserve.	:	445.02 SqKm (or) 44502.00 Ha as shown in the area statement and described in the boundary description.

**STATEMENT OF AREA INCLUDED IN THE BUFFER OF
"AMRABAD TIGER RESERVE"**

Sl no	Name of Buffer	Name of the Forest Division	Name of the Forest Range	Buffer area in Sq.Km (Ha.)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1.	Buffer to "Amrabad Tiger Reserve" Segment-I	WLM Achampet	Lingal	37.82 (3782.00)
			Kollapur	245.17 (24517.00)
			Total :	282.99 (28299.00)
	Segment-II		Lingal	25.87 (2587.00)
			Total :	25.87 (2587.00)
	Segment-III		Achampet	83.48 (8348.00)
			Amrabad	52.68 (5268.00)
			Total :	136.16 (1316.00)
			Division Total	445.02 (44502.00)

Block wise areas covered under buffer area of "Amrabad Tiger Reserve" in Achampet WLM Division are as follows:

Sl. No.	Name of the Block	Area in Ha.
1	Kollapur	28299
2	Amrabad	10845
3	Lingal-I	1532
4	Lingal-II	194
5	Ghanpur	3632
	Total :	44502

BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

Segment - I (WLM Achampet Division)

North (1 to 2) :- The boundary of Buffer / Peripheral area outside the sanctuary area starts from Point "1" (North - West corner of compartment No 427 in Kollapur RF of Kollapur Range) and runs towards South- East direction upto North - East corner of compartment No 427. Then the boundary line runs towards Northern direction upto North-West corner of compartment No 415 and runs towards North-East direction upto North-East corner compartment No 415 in Kollapur RF of Lingala Range. Then the boundary line runs towards Southern direction in a small distance along with Eastern boundary of compartment No 415. Then the boundary line runs towards North East direction in Zig zag manner along with northern boundary of compartment No 414 in Kollapur RF Lingala Range and meets point "2" as noted on the map (North-East corner of compartment No 414).

East (2 to 3) :- Thence, the boundary line runs towards South-East direction along with Rajiv Gandhi Wildlife Sanctuary boundary comes North-East boundary of compartment No 413 in Kollapur RF of Lingal Range. Then the boundary line runs all along with Rajiv Gandhi Wildlife Sanctuary boundary and also Northern boundary of compartment Nos 394, 393, 392 in Kollapur R.F of Kollapur Range. Then the boundary line runs towards south-east direction along with boundary of Rajiv Gandhi Wildlife Sanctuary & Inviolate area and also with Eastern boundary of Compartment Nos 392, 391 upto South-East corner of Compartment No 391 in Kollapur R.F. of Kollapur Range. Then the boundary line runs towards South-East direction along with Rajiv Gandhi Wildlife Sanctuary boundary and also northern boundary of compartment Nos 390, 389, 389 upto North-East corner of Compartment No 387 in Kollapur R.F. of Kollapur Range. Then the boundary line runs towards South-East direction along with Rajiv Gandhi Wildlife Sanctuary boundary and also Eastern boundary of compartment No 387 and meets point "3" (Krishna River) as noted on the map (South-East corner of compartment No 387 in Kollapur RF of Kollapur Range and south-west corner of compartment No 364).

South (3 to 4):- Then the boundary line runs towards North-west direction along with Krishna River and also southern boundary of Compartment No 387, 388, 389 in Kollapur RF of Kollapur Range. Then the boundary line runs towards South-West direction along with Krishna river upto a middle of Southern boundary of compartment Nos 407 and also southern boundary of compartment No 390 and South-East boundary of compartment No 401, 403 & 407 (in a small distance) in Kollapur R.F. of Kollapur Range. Then the boundary line runs towards western direction along with Krishna River and also Southern boundary of Compartment Nos. 407, 408, 437, 436 & 435 in

Kollapur R.F. of Kollapur Range and meets point "4" as noted on the map (South-West corner of compartment No 435 in Kollapur RF of Kollapur Range).

West (4 to 1) :- Thence the boundary line runs from 4 to 1 towards North-West direction in Zig-zag manner along with the western boundary of compartment No 435, 433, 432, 430, 424 upto North-West corner of compartment No 424. Then the boundary line runs towards Western direction along with Southern boundary of compartment No 425 upto South- West corner of compartment No 425 in Kollapur R.F. of Kollapur Range. Then boundary line runs towards Northern direction along with Western boundary of compartment No 425, 426 & 427 in Kollapur R.F. of Kollapur Range and meets starting point "1" as noted on the map (North-West corner of compartment No 427 in Kollapur R.F. of Kollapur Range).

Segment - II (WLM Achampet Division)

The following compartment area are included in Buffer / Peripheral area outside the sanctuary area 27, 28, 29 in Amrabd R.F. of Lingal Range and 476, 477, 478, 479 in Lingal - I block & 480 in Lingal - II blocks of Lingal Range.

Segment - III (WLM Achampet Division)

North (5 to 6) : The boundary of Buffer/ Peripheral area to critical wild life habitat area starts from point "5" as note on the map on North - West corner of compartment No. 68 and runs towards North-East direction upto North corner of compartment No. 68 in Amrabad R.F of Achampet Range. Then the boundary line runs towards Northern direction in Zig-zag manner along with Northern boundary of compartment Nos.38,70, 71, 73,74 in Amrabad R.F. of Achampet Range. Then the boundary line runs towards North-East direction upto Northern corner of compartment No.483. Then boundary line runs towards South-East direction upto Northern boundary of compartment no.483 and also Eastern boundary of compartment no. 483 in Zig-Zag manner upto North-West corner of compartment no. 485 in Ghanpur R.F. of Achampet Range. Then the boundary line runs towards North-West cornered line in small distance along with North-West boundary of compartment No.485. Then the boundary line runs to areas Southern direction in a small distance and runs towards Eastern direction in Zig- Zag manner line with the Northern boundary of compartment No.685 & 486 in Ghanpur R.F of Achampet Range and meets point "6" as noted on the map (North-East corner of compartment no.76 in Ghanpur R.F of Achampet Range).

East (6 to 7) : Thence the boundary line starts from point "P" and runs towards South -West direction along with southern boundary of Rajiv Gandhi Wildlife Sanctuary boundary and also with Eastern boundary of compartment No.486 upto South-East corner of compartment no.486 in Ghanpur R.F of Achampet Range. Then the boundary line runs towards Western direction along with the boundary of Compartment Nos 486,485 & 484 in Ghanpur R.F. of Achampet Range. Then the boundary line runs towards Southern direction along with the Compartment No 484 upto eastern boundary of Compartment No 486 upto South-East corner of Compartment No 486 and turn towards western direction of the southern boundary of compartment No 486, 885, 481 upto North-East corner of Compartment No 77 marked as point "7" and turn towards southern direction along the North-East eastern boundary of Compartment No 77 and take North direction for small distance and take western southern directions all along the eastern boundary of Compartment No 77 returns point No "8" (South-East corner compartment No 77)

South (8 to 9):- Then the boundary line runs towards Western direction in Zig-Zag manner along with Southern boundary of compartment no.s77,76,235,232 in Amrabad R.F of Amrabad Range. Then the boundary line runs towards South-West direction along with Eastern boundary of compartment No.231 upto South-East corner of compartment No.231 in

Amrabad Range. Then the boundary line runs towards Southern direction and also Eastern boundary of compartment No. 230, 229 upto South-East corner of compartment No.229 in Amrabad R.F. of Amrabad Range. Then the boundary line runs towards Western direction in Zig-Zag manner along with Southern boundary of compartment no. 229 and meets point '9' as noted on the map (South -West corner of compartment no.229 in Amrabad R.F. of Amrabad Range).

West (9 to 5) :- Thence the boundary line runs towards Northern direction along with the boundary of Rajiv Gandhi Wild Life Sanctuary and also Western boundary of compartment no.230 upto North-West corner of compartment No. 230 Amrabad R.F of Amrabad Range. Then boundary runs towards North-West direction along with the boundary of Rajiv Gandhi Wildlife Sanctuary and also southern boundary of compartment No.237,238 and 66 in Amrabad R.F of Amrabad Range (Compt. No.237,238) and Achampet Range (Compt. 66) upto South-West corner of compartment No.66. Then the boundary line runs towards Northern direction along with Western boundary of compartment No.66,68 in Amrabad R.F of Achampet Range and meets starting pint '5' as noted on the map (North-West corner of compartment no.68 in Amrabad R.F. of Achampet Range).

Rights and Concessions:

The local communities are entitled to rights and consessions as admitted at the time of notification of Kollapur, Amrabad, Lingal-I, Lingal-II and Ghanpur Reserve Forest blocks.

**Division wise details of Reserved Forest Blocks, and Compartments
included in the Buffer to "Amrabad Tiger Reserve"**

Sl. No	Name of the Range	Name of the RF/Block	Compartment No.	Area as per Working plan in (Ha)
1	3	2	4	5
Buffer to the "Amrabad Tiger Reserve" - Segment - I (WLM Achampet Division)				
1	Kollapur	Kollapur	427	297
			426	240
			425	515
			419	817
			418	127
			424	439
			420	979
			412	216
			421	533
			433	431
			422	735
			430	221
			431	208
			432	475
			435	764
			436	539
			437	205
			394	808
			393	498
			395	104
			392	747
			391	361
			409	1194
			408	593
			406	433
			407	1173
			396	1042
			411	320
			397	726
			410	195
			398	1044
			390	1247
			399	461
389	880			
387	1684			
400	277			
388	351			
401	447			
402	232			
405	387			
404	509			
403	1063			
2	Lingal		414	1138
			415	256
			413	755
			416	795
			417	396
			423	442
		Total :		28299

Buffer to the "Amrabad Tiger Reserve" - Segment - II (WLM Achampet Division)						
1	Lingal	Amrabad	29	264		
			28	333		
			27	264		
		Lingal-I	476	317		
			477	200		
			478	315		
			479	700		
		Lingal-II	480	194		
		Total :				2587
		Buffer to the "Amrabad Tiger Reserve" - Segment - III (WLM Achampet Division)				
1	Amrabad	Amrabad	68	217		
			70	1165		
			69	326		
			71	931		
			73	825		
			72	351		
			74	357		
			66	544		
			235	423		
			234	172		
			237	585		
			238	345		
			236	245		
			233	382		
			232	280		
			231	446		
			76	377		
			75	156		
			77	341		
			230	886		
229	630					
2	Achampet	Ghanpur	486	692		
			484	540		
			485	900		
			483	1500		
Total :				13616		
Grand Total :				44502		

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**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
FOREST DEPARTMENT**

From
Sri. A.V. Joseph, I.F.S.,
Pr. Chief Conservator of Forests,
(Head of Forest Force),
& Chief Wildlife Warden,
Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad

To
The Addl. Director General of Forests
& Member Secretary,
National Tiger Conservation Authority,
Annex V, Bikaner House,
Shajahan Road, New Delhi.

Re. No: 41555/2013/WL-1, Dt: 12.06.2014

Sir,

Sub: - FD - WL - Tiger Reserves - Formation of Telangana State, after bifurcation of Andhra Pradesh State - Sanction of Budget under Centrally Sponsored Scheme (Project Tiger) for Nagarjunasagar Srisaillam Tiger Reserve of Andhra Pradesh part - Reg.
Ref: - PCCF, Re. No: 41555/2013/WL-1, Dt: 18.02.2014

It is to inform that, Telangana State has been formed, on 02.06.2014 after bifurcation of Andhra Pradesh state. The area of erstwhile Nagarjunasagar Srisaillam Tiger Reserve now lying in Residual Andhra Pradesh State, is as follows:

NSTR in Residual Andhra Pradesh

Guntur District	---	325.54 Sq.Kms.
WLM Atmakur	---	411.00 Sq.Kms.
WLM Markapur	---	665.18 Sq.Kms.
Buffer	---	700.59 Sq.Kms.
Extended core (U&M W&S)	---	1194.00 Sq.Kms.
Total	---	3296.31 Sq.Kms.

Vide reference cited, APO under CSS (Project Tiger) has been furnished for a total of Rs. 307.024 lakhs. After bifurcation, the budget pertaining to residual Andhra Pradesh under CSS (PT) 2014-15 is as follows:

RESIDUAL ANDHRA PRADESH STATE

INCLUDING EXTENDED CORE AREA OF GBM WLS

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of the Division / District	Amount proposed for 2014-15		
		State	Central	Total
1	Atmakur / Kurnool	23.551	52.151	75.702

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2	Markapur / Ongole	20.585	48.485	69.070
3	N. Sagar / Cuntur	3.675	8.550	12.225
4	ACF (Bio-Div) / Kurnool	1.000	15.500	16.500
	NSTR Total:	48.811	124.686	173.497
1	Nandyal / Kurnool	1.100	25.100	26.200
2	Giddalur / Ongole	3.250	24.250	27.500
		4.350	49.350	53.700
	Grand Total - A.P. State (including NSTR & GBM WLS)	53.161	174.036	227.197

It is requested to release the budget at the earliest to ground the works.

Yours faithfully
Sd/ A.V. Joseph
Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force)
& Chief Wildlife Warden

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for Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests

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GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
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Telangana, Hyderabad
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Fax. No.: 040-23231851

To
The Addl. Director General of Forests,
& Member Secretary,
National Tiger Conservation Authority,
Annex-V, Bikaner House,
Shajahan Road, New Delhi.

Re. No.: 10138/2014/WL-2, Dt: 13.06.2014

Sir,

Sub: - FD - WL - Tiger Reserves - Formation of Telangana State, after bifurcation of Andhra Pradesh State - Reg.

It is to inform that, the Telangana State has been formed on 02.06.2014 consequent to bifurcation of Andhra Pradesh state. The information on the Two Tiger Reserves in the newly formed Telangana State is as follows:

1. **Kawal Tiger Reserve:** The Kawal Tiger Reserve, entirely lies in Adilabad District of Telangana State. The Conservator of Forests, Adilabad circle, Adilabad is the in-charge officer for Kawal Tiger Reserve. His contact details are as follows:
Cell No.: 09440810097, Tel. No.: 08732-226915 (o), Fax: 087332-226016, Email: cfadilabad@rediffmail.com
Postal address: At post - Adilabad, Dist: Adilabad, State: Telangana, PIN: 504 001.
2. **Nagarjunasagar Srisaillam Tiger Reserve (Telangana Part):** The area of erstwhile Nagarjunasagar Srisaillam Tiger Reserve now lying in Telangana State, is as follows:

NSTR in Telangana State

Achampet division in Manjira Nagar Dist. Core area	----	1750.00 Sq.kms.	} 2166.37
Nagarjunasagar Division in Nagarkurda Dist. Core area	----	416.37 Sq.kms.	
Buffer	----	445.02 Sq.Kms.	
Total	----	2611.39 Sq.kms.	

The proposal for notifying the NSTR as a separate Tiger Reserve is under process. The administrative control of this area is kept under Addl. Pr. Chief Conservator of Forests / Conservator of Forests WLM Hyderabad circle, Hyderabad till further orders. The Contact address Cell. No.: 09440810147, Tel. & Fax: 040-23234166, E-mail: cfwlm_apfd_hyc@ap.gov.in.

Postal address: Room. No: 351, Aranya Bhavan, Saifabad, Hyderabad-500 004

This is for favour of information, and necessary action.

Yours faithfully
Sd/ S.B.L.Misra

Pr. Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force)

Copy to the Addl. Pr. Chief Conservator of Forests, WLM Hyderabad, the Conservator of Forests, Adilabad, for information and necessary action.

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Chief Conservator of Forests

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F. No. 1-11/93-PT
Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
National Tiger Conservation Authority

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Dated: 30th June, 2014

To
The Chief Wildlife Warden
Govt. of Andhra Pradesh/Telangana
Hyderabad

Sub: Formation of Telangana State after bifurcation of Andhra Pradesh State - discrepancy in Core and Buffer Area of Nagarjunasagar Srisaillam Tiger Reserve - reg.

Ref: (1) Rc. No. 41555/2013/WL-I dt. 12.6.2014 from PCCF (HoFF) & CWLW, Andhra Pradesh.
(2) Rc No. 10138/2014/WL-2 dt. 13.6.2014 from PCCF (HoFF), Telangana.

Sir,

Apropos to the matter cited above. In this context, the undersigned is directed to inform that as per the existing information available in this Authority **the core area of the erstwhile NSTR is 3721.00 sqkm. and buffer area 1175.51 sqkm.** Consequent upon the formation of the Telangana State, after bifurcation of erstwhile undivided Andhra Pradesh State, the details of the core and buffer area of the erstwhile Nagarjunasagar Srisaillam Tiger Reserve are as below as intimated vide letters cited in the reference:

S. No.		Core area in sq.km.	Buffer area in sq.km.
1	NSTR in Residual Andhra Pradesh		700.59
	(i) Guntur District	325.54	
	(ii) WLM Atmakur	411.00	
	(iii) WLM Markapur	665.18	
	(iv) Extended core (GBM WLS)	1194.00	
	TOTAL	2595.72	700.59
2	NSTR in Telangana State		445.02
	(i) Achampet Division	1750.00	
	(ii) Nagarjunasagar Division	416.37	
	TOTAL	2166.37	445.02
	Grand Total (4762.09+1145.61 = 5907.7)	4762.09	1145.61

In view of above, there seems some discrepancy viz 1041.09 sqkm. (4762.09-3721.00) in the extant of core area and - 29.9 sqkm. (1145.61-1175.51) in the extant buffer area as per the orders issued by Govt. of Telangana. The position may therefore, please be clarified and intimated to this Authority at the immediate.

Yours faithfully,


(Dr. S., Rajesh)

Asstt. Inspector General (NTCA)

Copy to:

1. The Secretary (Forests), Govt. of Telangana, Hyderabad
2. The Secretary (Forests), Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad
3. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests/HoFF, Govt. of Telangana, Hyderabad
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From
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To,
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New Delhi - 110 011

Rc. No. 1416/2014/WL-1, Dt: 04.07.2014

Sir,

Sub:- Telangana Forest Department - Wildlife - Formation of Telangana State after bifurcation of Andhra Pradesh - Discrepancy in Core and Buffer Area of Nagarjunasagar Srisaillam Tiger Reserve - Regarding.

Ref:- NTCA, GOI, MoEF F. No.: 1-11/93-PT, Dt: 30.06.2014

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Total area of NSTR in Telangana State	----	2611.39 Sq.kms.

It is to certify that the above details of the area of NSTR in Telangana State are correct and there is no discrepancy.

Sd/ P.K.Sharma

Spl. Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests (Dev.)
& Chief Wildlife Warden

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& Chief Wildlife Warden

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for Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests

S.No.	Name of Tiger Reserve	State	Area of the core/ critical tiger habitat (In Sq. Kms.)	Area of the buffer/ peripheral (In Sq. Kms.)	Total Area	Date of Notification
1	Nagarjunsagar	Andhra Pradesh	2595.72	700.59	3296.31	
		Telangana	2166.37	445.02	2611.39	
2	Kawal	Telangana	893.230	1125.890	2019.120	10.04.2012
3	Namdapha	Arunachal Pradesh	1807.820	245.000	2052.820	24.09.2012
4	Pakke	Arunachal Pradesh	683.450	515.000	1198.450	24.09.2012
5	Manas	Assam	840.040	2310.880	3150.920	30.05.2008
6	Nameri	Assam	200.000	144.000	344.000	18.09.2010
7	Kaziranga	Assam	625.580	548.000	1173.580	03.08.2007
8	Valmiki	Bihar	598.450	300.930	899.380	10.05.1978
9	Udanti-Sitanadi	Chhattisgarh	851.090	991.450	1842.540	20.02.2009
10	Achanakmar	Chhattisgarh	626.195	287.822	914.017	06.03.2003
11	Indravati	Chhattisgarh	1258.370	1540.700	2799.070	06.03.2009
12	Palamau	Jharkhand	414.080	715.850	1129.930	14.07.2012
13	Bandipur	Karnataka	872.240	584.060	1456.300	20.12.2007
14	Bhadra	Karnataka	492.460	571.830	1064.290	20.12.2007
15	Dandeli-Anshi	Karnataka	814.884	282.630	1097.514	20.12.2007
16	Nagara hole	Karnataka	643.350	562.410	1205.760	20.12.2007
17	Biligiri Ranganatha Temple	Karnataka	359.100	215.720	574.820	24.01.2011
18	Periyar	Kerala	881.000	44.000	925.000	22.03.2011
19	Parambikulam	Kerala	390.890	252.772	643.662	17.12.2009
20	Kanha	Madhya Pradesh	917.430	1134.361	2051.791	05.10.2010
21	Pench	Madhya Pradesh	411.330	768.302	1179.632	
22	Bandhavgarh	Madhya Pradesh	716.903	820.035	1536.938	27.10.2010
23	Panna	Madhya Pradesh	576.130	1002.420	1578.550	09.08.2012
24	Satpura	Madhya Pradesh	1339.264	794.044	2133.308	03.01.2011
25	Sanjay-Dubri	Madhya Pradesh	812.571	861.931	1674.502	07.02.2011
26	Melghat	Maharashtra	1500.490	1268.030	2768.520	27.12.2007
27	Nawegaon-Nagzira	Maharashtra	653.674	0.000	653.674	12.12.2013
28	Tadoba-Andhari	Maharashtra	625.820	1101.771	1727.591	05.05.2010
29	Pench	Maharashtra	257.260	483.960	741.220	29.09.2010
30	Sahyadri	Maharashtra	600.120	565.450	1165.570	21.08.2012
31	Dampa	Mizoram	500.000	488.000	988.000	03.03.2011
32	Similipal	Orissa	1194.750	1555.250	2750.000	31.12.2007
33	Satkosia	Orissa	523.610	440.260	963.870	08.08.2012
34	Ranthambore	Rajasthan	1113.364	297.927	1411.291	09.07.2012
35	Sariska	Rajasthan	881.112	332.230	1213.342	06.07.2012
36	Mukundra Hills (including Darrah, Jawahar Sagar and Chambal Wildlife Sanctuaries)	Rajasthan	417.170	342.820	759.990	12.04.2013
37	Kalakad-Mundanthurai	Tamil Nadu	895.000	706.542	1601.542	13.08.2012