

Annexure-1

**Government of West Bengal
Forests Department
FOR Branch
Writers' Building, Kolkata-700001**

NOTIFICATION

No: 3051 – For / 11M-28/07
Kolkata, the 6th August, 2009

Dated,

In partial modification of this Department's Notification No.6027-For, dated 18-12-2007 and in exercise of the power conferred by the paragraph (i) of the explanations following sub-sections (4) of Section 38 V of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972, the Governor is pleased hereby to declare, with effect from the date of issue of this Notification, the area described in the Schedule below to be the Core or Critical Tiger Habitat of Buxa Tiger Reserve.

Area Statement of Buxa Tiger Reserve

A. CORE AREA:

S/L No.	Block & Comptt.	Area (Ha.)	Legal Status
1.	Tashigaon (1, 2)	1254.70	NP
2.	North Rajabhatkhawa (5a, 6a(P), 7, 12, 13, 14)	1975.21	NP
3(a).	South Rajabhatkhawa (3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13)	2001.93	NP
3(b).	South Rajabhatkhawa (14)	234.72	WLS
4.	Jainti (1- 9)	4021.27	NP
5.	Panbari (1-3, 6-9)	2065.52	NP
6(a).	Checko (1)	394.98	WLS
6(b).	Checko (2)	391.64	NP
7.	Chunabhati [1, 2, 3(P)]	1990.25	WLS
8.	Tobgaon (1 - 4)	3135.95	WLS
9.	Phaskhawa [1(P), 3(P)]	1265.00	WLS
10.	Hatipota [1, 2(P)]	767.80	WLS
11.	Bhutanghat [1, 2]	1031.13	WLS
12.	Adma [4, 5(P)]	695.13	WLS
13(a)	Pana (1, 2)	627.08	WLS
13(b)	Pana (3,4)	709.18	WLS
14.	Bharnabari (1-4)	1685.44	WLS
15(a).	Santrabari [1, 2a, 3(P), 4(P)]	2154.03	WLS
15(b)	Santrabari [2b]	108.82	WLS
16.	Bhutri [1, 2, 3(P), 4]	1132.77	WLS

S/L No.	Block & Comptt.	Area (Ha.)	Legal Status
17	. North Rydak (1- 3)	1538.23	WLS
18.	Marakhata (1-4)	1352.24	WLS
19.	Narathali (1, 2)	1288.12	WLS
20(a)	Newlands (1, 2b)	819.51	WLS
20(b)	Newlands (2a)	26.00	WLS

S/L No.	Block & Comptt.	Area (Ha.)	Legal Status
20(c)	Newlands I & II	96.91	WLS
21.	Kumargram [1(P), 2(P)]	990.37	WLS
22.	Sankosh [1, 2(P)]	646.27	WLS
23.	Kartick PF	558.78	WLS
24.	Rahimabad	68.58	WLS
25.	Jainti-Hatipota-I & II	489.22	WLS
26.	Phaskhawa	248.80	WLS
27.	Chuniajhora- I & II	180.79	WLS
28.	Kartick USF	40.12	WLS
29.	Turturi	114.67	WLS
30.	Rangamati (1-3)	1008.49	WLS
31.	Central Rydak (1-4)	1339.03	WLS
32.	Central Rydak (5,6)	609.45	WLS
TOTAL ∴		39058.13	

By Order of the Governor

Sd/-
(K. S. Rajendra Kumar)
Additional Chief Secretary to the
Govt. of West Bengal

Annexure 2

**Government of West Bengal
Forests Department
FOR Branch
Writers' Building, Kolkata-700001**

NOTIFICATION

No: 3050 - For / 11M-28/07
Kolkata, the 6th August, 2009

Dated,

WHEREAS it has been established on the basis of scientific and objective criteria that the area described in the Schedule below (hereinafter referred to as the said area) is required to ensure the integrity of the Core of Critical Tiger Habitat of Buxa Tiger Reserve with adequate dispersal for tiger species and which aim of promoting co-existence between wildlife and human activity with due recognition for the livelihood, developmental, social and cultural rights of the local people;

WHEREAS the State Government agrees with the recommendation of the expert committee set up vide P.C.C.F. (Wildlife), Govt. of West Bengal's Office Order No.12-M/8-2007, dated 04-11-2007 that the said area should be maintained as the Buffer or Peripheral Area of Buxa Tiger Reserve.

NOW, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by paragraph (II) of the Explanation following sub-section (4) of Section 38 V of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972, the Governor is pleased hereby to declare with effect from the date of issued of this Notification, the said area to be the Buffer or Peripheral Area of Buxa Tiger Reserve.

Area Statement of Buxa Tiger Reserve

1. BUFFER AREA

S/L No.	Block & Comptt.	Area (Ha.)	Legal Status
1.	North Rajabhatkhawa [1, 2, 3, 4, 5b, 6a(P), 6b, 8, 9, 10, 11, 15, 16]	3329.42	RF
2.	South Rajabhatkhawa [1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16]	3001.67	RF
3.	Panbari [4, 5, 10]	1106.46	RF
4.	Phaskhawa [1(P), 2, 3(P)]	1222.00	RF
5.	Hatipota [2(P)]	647.00	RF
6.	Checko [3, 4, 5, 6-9]	1761.12	RF
7.	Chunabhati [3(P)]	11.33	RF
8.	Adma [1, 2, 3, 5(P)]	1812.31	RF
9.	Santrabari [3(P), 4(P)]	37.00	RF
10.	Kumargram [1(P), 2(P)]	61.00	RF
11.	Sankosh [2(P), 3a, 3b]	458.75	RF

S/L No.	Block & Comptt.	Area (Ha.)	Legal Status
12	Dima[1-4]	1027.44	RF
13	Gadadhar [1, 2, 3, 4-6]	1433.86	RF
14	Damanpur [1, 2, 3, 4, 5-9]	2574.94	RF
15	Poro [1-11]	3620.29	RF
16	Nimati [1-7]	2359.69	RF

S/L No.	Block & Comptt.	Area (Ha.)	Legal Status
17	Raimatang [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]	3504.26	RF
18	Dhawla [1-3]	587.22	RF
19	North Bholka [1-5]	1422.46	RF
20	South Bholka [1-6]	2335.05	RF
21	South Rydak [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7]	2397.84	RF
22	Bhutri [3(P), 5]	392.85	RF
23	Gudamdabri [1-4]	1613.42	RF
24	Nimti-Domohani	5.14	RF
25	Lokenathpur	7.07	RF
26	Turturi khand	2.66	RF
27	Madhya Haldibari	52.21	RF
28	Uttar Rampur	7.21	USF
29	Turturi Khand	11.13	USF
30	Rydak	127.29	USF
31	Phoskadanga	35.96	USF
32	Dakshin Rampur	9.00	USF
33	Dima R. L.	53.81	USF
TOTAL ::		37028.86	

By Order of the Governor

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Additional Chief Secretary to the
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Annexure-2A

Zonation Status of Buxa Tiger Reserve

Block-Compartment	Proposed Core		Block-Compartment	Proposed Buffer	
	Area (Ha)	Legal Status		Area (Ha)	Legal Status
Tashigaon (1, 2)	1,255	NP			
North Rajabhatkhawa (1-16)	5304.63	NP+RF			
South Rajabhatkhawa (1,2,3, 4, 5, 6,7,8,11,12,13)	3,051	NP	South Rajabhatkhawa(9,10,15,16)	1953	RF
South Rajabhatkhawa (14)	235	WLS			
Jainti (1-9)	4,021	NP			
Panbari (1-3, 6-9)	2,066	NP	Panbari(4,5,10)	1107	RF
Checko (1)	395	WLS	Checko(6,7,8,9)	1122	RF
Checko (2)	392	NP			
Checko (3,4,5)	639	RF			
Chunabhati [1, 2, 3]	2,002	WLS			
Tobgaon (1-4)	3,136	WLS			
Phaskhawa [1, 2,3]	2,487	WLS+RF			
Hatipota [1,2]	1,415	WLS+RF			
Bhutanghat (1, 2)	1,031	WLS			
Adma [1,2,3,4,5]	2,507	WLS			
Santrabari [1, 2a, 2b,3, 4]	2,300	WLS			
North Rydak (1,2,3)	1538	WLS			
Newlands (1, 2a,2b)	846	WLS			
Kumargram [1,2]	1,051	WLS+RF			
Sankosh [1,2,3]	1,105	WLS	Central Rydak(1-6)	1,948	WLS
			Kartick PF	559	WLS
			Rahimabad	69	WLS
			Jainti-Hatipota-I & II	489	WLS
			Phaskhawa	249	WLS
			Chuniajhora-I & II	181	WLS
			Kartick USF		WLS
				40	
			Turturi	115	WLS

Block-Compartment	Proposed Core		Block-Compartment	Proposed Core	
	Area (Ha)	Legal Status		Area (Ha)	Legal Status
			Rangamati (1-3)	1,008	WLS
			Newlands -I & II	97	WLS
			Pana(1,2,3,4)	1,336	WLS
			Bharnabari(1-4)	1,685	WLS
			Bhutri (1,2,3,4,5)	1526	WLS+RF
			Marakata (1-4)	1,352	WLS
			Narathali(1,2)	1,288	WLS
Dima(1,2,3,4)	1027	RF			
Gadadhar(1,3)	448		Gadadhar(2,4,5,6)	985	RF
			Damanpur(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9)	2575	RF
			Poro(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11)	3620	RF
			Nimati(1,2,3,4,5,6,7)	2360	RF
Raimatang (1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10)	3504	RF			
			Dhawla(1,2,3)	587	RF
			North Bholka(1,2,3,4,5)	1422	RF
			South Bholka(1,2,3,4,5,6,)	2335	RF
			South Rydak(1,2,3,4,5,6,7)	2398	RF
			Godamdabri (1,2,3,4)	1613	RF
			Nimti Domohoni	5	RF
			Lokenathpur	7	RF
			Turturi Khand	14	RF
			Madhya Haldibari	52	RF
			Uttar Rampur	7	USF
			Rydak	127	USF
			Phoskadanga	36	USF
			Dakshin Rampur	9	USF
			Dima RL	54	USF
TOTAL ::	41,755	-		34,332	
Synopsis					
Core:	41,755				
Buffer Area	34,332				
Total-BTR	76,087				

Annexure – 2B

**Forest Villages & FD Holdings in
Proposed Core Zone of Buxa Tiger Reserve**

S/L No.	Village Name	Total No. of family *
1	PampuBasti	41
3	Raimatang	81
4	Gangutia	68
5	Adma	64
6	28 th Mile	51
7	29 th Mile	25
8	Sankosh	98
9	Kumargram	56
10	Newlands	40
11	Chunabhati	70
13	Lepchakhawa (Tashigaon)	86
12	Santrabari	96
13	BhutiaBasti	72
14	JAINTY FD Holding	92
15	BUXADUAR FD Holding	79

* As per official records

ANNEXURE- 2C
Report of the Expert Committee for Realignment of Core Zone of Buxa Tiger Reserve held on 12.05.2015 at Kolkata, West Bengal.

(Vide Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife & Chief Wildlife Warden, West Bengal Order No. 4-M/8-2015, dated 27-04-2015)

In pursuance to the Order No. 4-M/8-2015, dated 27-04-2015 by Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife & Chief Wildlife Warden, West Bengal regarding Constitution of Expert Committee for Realignment of Core Zone of Buxa Tiger Reserve, the 1st meeting of the committee was held on 12.05.2015 in the Conference Room in the Office of PCCF, Wildlife & Chief Wildlife Warden, Bikash Bhawan, Kolkata. The necessity for realignment of core zone of Buxa Tiger Reserve has arisen after the State Board for Wildlife in its 9th meeting held on 10-02-2015 has approved the proposal for realignment of core zone of Buxa Tiger Reserve and in pursuance of the same u/s 38V of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972, the Expert Committee has been constituted.

After having detailed discussion on the subject in the 1st meeting, the committee has considered all the aspects related to the existing core zone of Buxa Tiger Reserve in light of its habitat quality, habitat occupancy by major wildlife, availability of actual buffer to the existing core zone, the rights of Schedule Tribes and other forest dwellers mainly occupying the forest villages in Buxa Tiger Reserve, to ensure the availability of inviolate habitat for tigers and other wildlife. After detailed deliberation, the committee has unanimously concluded that:

1. The committee realigned core zone of Buxa Tiger Reserve for existing core zone with an area of 390.58 sq.km. to 417.55 sq.km. for proposed realigned core zone.
2. The details of existing core zone and buffer zone are annexed as Annexure-1, whereas the details of compartment wise proposed realigned core zone and buffer zone are annexed as Annexure-2.
3. The details of population of Schedule Tribes and other forest dwellers in existing core zone and realignment of proposed core zone are annexed as Annexure-3.
4. The map of Buxa Tiger Reserve with existing core zone and proposed realigned core zone along with buffer zone is annexed as Annexure-4.

The committee is of the view that the proposed realigned core zone of Buxa Tiger Reserve shall address the issue of conservation of tiger and other wildlife by providing

inviolable space. The proposed realigned core zone will address the issue of rights of Schedule Tribes and other forest dwellers in accordance with rules and laws in vogue. Most importantly the proposed realigned core zone will address management issues rather than pressing them under the carpet, which is not in the interest of public and wildlife both. Overall committee is of the view that proposed core zone of Buxa Tiger Reserve will help in conservation of tiger and other wildlife in better way on sustainable manner.

Encl.: Annexure 1 to Annexure 4

(Dr. Pradeep Vyas, IFS)
APCCF & Director, Sundarban Biosphere Reserve
West Bengal

(Dr. Brij Raj Sharma, IFS)
APCCF, Wildlife, West Bengal

(Shri S. Sundriyal, IFS)
CCF & Field Director, Buxa Tiger Reserve

(Shri Animesh Bose)
HNAF & Member, State Board for Wildlife, West
Bengal

(Shri Biswajit Roy Chowdhury)
NEWS & Member, State Board for Wildlife, West
Bengal

Annexure -2D

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
DIRECTORATE OF FORESTS
Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife
& Chief Wildlife Warden, West Bengal
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Tel No. 033-2334-6900/2358-3208, Fax. 91-033-2334 5946
e-mail.wildlife@cal.vsnl.net.in

No. 4762 /WL/2W-743/2015,

Dated. 03.10.2016

To,
The Principal Secretary,
Forest Department,
Govt. of West Bengal.

Kind Attn: The OSD & Ex-Officio Jt. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal.

Sub: Minutes of 39th Meeting of standing Committee of NBWL.

Ref: MoEF&CC (WL Divn), GOI's letter No. 6-109/2016/WL (39th Meeting), dt. 19.09.16.

Kindly find enclosed herewith the extract of minutes of 39th Meeting of the Standing Committee of National Board for Wildlife, held on 23.08.2016 at New Delhi, where in, it is decided to recommend the proposal, in connection with Realignment of Core Zone of Buxa Tiger Reserve, West Bengal, based upon the recommendation of the Members of State Board for Wildlife in their 9th Meeting, held on 10.02.2015 at Nabbanna, Howrah as well as endorsement of the Forest Department, Govt. of West Bengal.

In this context, you are requested to issue necessary Resolution on this issue for taking appropriate action from our end.

Encl: As above,

Sd/- Dr. P. Vyas, IFS

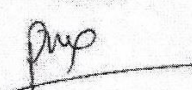
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife
& Chief Wildlife Warden, West Bengal.

No. 4763(s)/WL/2W-743/2015,

Dated. 03.10.2016

Copy along with enclosure forwarded for kind information to:-

1. The P.S. to the Hon'ble MIC, Department of Forests, Govt. of West Bengal.
2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), West Bengal.
3. The Chief Conservator of Forests & Field Director, Buxa Tiger Reserve, West Bengal.
4. The Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife (North), West Bengal.
5. The Scientist -'C', Deputy Director (Wildlife), MoEF&CC (Wildlife Division), Govt. of India, 6th Floor, Vayu Wings, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bag Road, Aliganj, New Delhi - 110 003, with reference to his letter quoted above.


Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife
& Chief Wildlife Warden, West Bengal.

Rabi\D:CFWL\letter1

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CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS
Reg. No. 11638/17
Case No.
Date 22-9-16
PRINCIPAL OFFICE * E.N. *



Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Wildlife Division)

6th Floor, Vayu Wing
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Jor Bag Road, Aliganj
New Delhi-110003

F.No.6-109/2016 WL(39th Meeting)
Dated:19th September 2016

To
All Members,
Standing Committee of NBWL.

Sub: Minutes of 39th Meeting of Standing Committee of NBWL.

Sir/Madam,

Kindly find enclosed copy of the minutes of the 39th Meeting of the Standing Committee of National Board for Wildlife held on 23rd August 2016 at 11.00 AM in "Teesta", 1st Floor, Vayu Block, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bagh, New Delhi-110003 under the chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister of State (Independent Charge) for Environment, Forest and Climate Change.

Yours faithfully,

Roy

(Rajasekhar Ratti)
Scientist 'C'/Deputy Director (WL)

Encl: As above

Distribution:

1. Secretary, MoEF & CC
2. Director General of Forests & Special Secretary, MoEF & CC.
3. Member Secretary, NTCA, New Delhi.
4. Additional Director General of Forests (FC), MoEF&CC.
5. Additional Director General of Forests (WL), MoEF&CC.
6. Director, Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun.
7. Director, GEER Foundation, Gandhinagar, Gujarat.
8. Prof. R.Sukumar, Central for Ecological Sciences, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore.
9. Dr. H.S. Singh, Gandhi Nagar, Gujarat.
10. Pr. Secretary (Forests), Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

1. PS to Hon'ble MOS (I/C) E&F.
2. PPS to DGF&SS, MoEF&CC.
3. PPS to Addl.DGF(WL) and Member Secretary, Standing Committee (NBWL).
4. PPS to IGF(WL)/PS to DIG(WL)/PS to JD(WL).

Minutes of 39th Meeting of the Standing Committee of NBWL held on 23rd August 2016.

to the communities which in turn would be helpful for conservation of fish resources and habitats with the help of communities there.

After discussions, the Standing Committee decided to recommend the proposal along with the conditions stipulated by State Chief Wildlife Warden – including waste and sewage management and environmental monitoring.

38.2.1.2 Realignment of core zone of Buxa Tiger Reserve, West Bengal.

The Member Secretary briefed the Committee on the proposal. He mentioned that the proposal was deferred earlier due to non-receipt of endorsement of State Government.

The Chief Wildlife Warden, West Bengal stated that overall boundary of the Tiger Reserve has not been altered. Some areas of core area of the TR have been proposed to be re-designated as buffer while some areas of buffer have been proposed to be added in the core zone, based on the scientific and objective criteria following the due process of the law. The Core and Critical Tiger Habitat of the TR has been consolidated in this process. In the process, the core area of the TR has increased by 26.87 sq km. NTCA has recommended the proposal.

After discussions, the Standing Committee decided to recommend the proposal.

Annexure-3A

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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL

FOREST DEPARTMENT

Forest

NOTIFICATION

No. 316-For./11B-1/86- 24th January 1986- Whereas the State Government considers that the area, the situation and limits of which are specified in the Schedule below (hereinafter referred to as the said area), is of adequate ecological, faunal, natural and zoological significance ;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (I) of section 18 of the wild life (Protection) Act, 1972 (53 of 1972), the Governor is pleased hereby to declare, with effect from the date of publication of this notification in the official Gazette, the said area to be a sanctuary, to be known as Buxa Wild Life Sanctuary for the purpose of protecting, propagating and developing wild life and its environment.

The Schedule

Situation—

District : Jalpaiguri

Buxa Forest Division, Pana, Buxaduar, Jainti, East Rajabhatkhawa, West Rajabhatkhawa, East Damanpur, Rydak and North Bholka Ranges, Covering an area of 314.52 sq. km. and comprising the following forest blocks and compartments—

Block	Compartment
Chunabhati	1,2,3, (part)
Tobgaon	1,2,3,4,
Tashigaon	1, 2a (part), 2b (part)

North Rajabhatkhawa	...	...	...	5a, 6a, (part), 7, 12, 13, 14
Jainti	...	...	...	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 (part), 7 (part) 8, 9
Phaskhawa	...	...	...	1 (part), 3 (part)
South Rajabhatkhawa	...	...	...	3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, 14
Panbari	...	...	...	1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9
Checko	...	...	...	1, 2
Hatipota	...	...	...	1, 2 (part)
Bhutanghat	...	...	...	1, 2
Pana	...	...	...	1, 2, 3 (part), 4
Adma	...	...	...	4, 5 (part)
Santrabari	...	...	...	1, 2a, 2b, 3(part), 4(part)
North Rydak	...	...	...	1, 2, 3,
Central Rydak	...	...	...	1, 2, 3, 4, 5 (part), 6
Maarakata	...	...	...	1, 2, 3, 4
Narathali	...	...	...	1, 2
Newlands	...	...	...	1, 2 (part)
And				
Resumed Forests				
Of				
Jainti Hatipota	...	...	...
I and II				
Phaskhawa	...	...	...
Chuniajhora	...	...	...
I and II				
Kartick Protected Forest	...	...	...
Turturi	...	...	...
Rahimabad	...	...	...
Newland	...	...	...
Kartick Unclassed State Forest	...	...	...

A. Limits—

North— International boundary with Bhutan.

East— Eastern boundary of Forests of Rydak range and Newland Block of North Bholka Range.

South—20-mile road.

West—

Road from Radharani Tea Estate to 30 miles and eastern boundaries of North Rajabhatkhawa 2, 4, 11, South Rajabhatkhawa 2, 7, 10, 15 and Damanpur 3 compartments.

By order of the Governor
R.N. MUKHERJEE
Dy. Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal.

Annexure-3B
Government of West Bengal
Forests Department
Forest Branch

No. 7588-For. 11B-24/90

Calcutta, the 6th October, 1990

N O T I F I C A T I O N

WHEREAS the area whose situation and boundaries are described in the Schedule below (hereinafter referred to as the said area) is considered to be of adequate ecological, faunal, natural and Zoological significance ;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 18 of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 (53 of 1972), and in supersession of such part of all previous notifications declaring the said area or part thereof to be a sanctuary as relates to such declaration, the Governor, in continuation of this department notification No. 316-For/11B-1/86, dated the 24th January, 1986, declaring the forest area of 314.52 sq. km. to be a sanctuary to be known as Buxa Wild Life Sanctuary, is pleased hereby to declare, with effect from the date of publication of this notification in the official Gazette, the said area to be a sanctuary to be known as Buxa Wild Life Sanctuary, for the purpose of protecting, propagating and developing wild Life and its environment.

The Schedule

A. Situation

District : Jalpaiguri :-

Buxa Forest Division, Cooch Behar Forest Division North Bholka Range and Nilpara Range covering an area of 54.47* sq. km. and comprising the following blocks and compartments :-

<u>Block</u>	<u>Compartment</u>
Rangamati	1a
	1b
	2a
	2b
	3a
	3b
Barnabari	<u>Extension Block</u>
	1a
	1b
	2a
	2b
	3a
	3b
	4a
	4b

[**' Area corrected vide notification no.12-For/11B-24/90, dt.01-01-91]

<u>Block</u>	<u>Compartment</u>
Bhutri	1a 1b 2a 2b 3b (Part excluding Forest village)
Kumargram	4 1a (Part excluding Forest village) 1b 2 (Part excluding Forest village)
Sankosh	1a 1b 2a (Part excluding Forest village) 2b 3b

B. Boundaries

(i) Extention in the North-East :

- North - International boundary with Bhutan.
- East - Inter-State boundary with Assam.
- South - Newlands Tea Estate, Kumargram Tea Estate and Sankash Tea Estate.
- West - Newlands Forest Block.

(ii) Extention in the North-East :

- North - International boundary with Bhutan and Rangamati Tea Garden.
- East - Pana Forest Block and Bhutri Forest Block (southern part).
- South - Godamdabri Forest Block.
- West - Chhota Joygaon, Torsa Tea Garden, Dalsingpara Tea Garden and Bharnobari Tea Garden.

By order of the Governor,

B. K. Mitra
Jt. Secy. to the Govt. West Bengal

No. 7588/1-For.

Copy forwarded to the Collector, Jalpaiguri for information.

It is requested that necessary action as contemplated in section 9 to 25 of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972.

Annexure-4

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PART I -- Orders and notifications by the Governor of West Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL

FOREST DEPARTMENT

Forest Branch

NOTIFICATION

No. 3403-For/11B-6/95

Calcutta, the 5th December, 1997

WHEREAS the area whose situation and boundaries are described in the Schedule below (hereinafter referred to as the said area) in considered to be of adequate ecological, faunal, geomorphological, natural and zoological significance for the purpose of protecting, propagating and developing wild life and its environment;

AND WHEREAS the events referred to in subsection (4) of section 35 of the said Act have occurred, Collector, Jalpaiguri, has since completed the proceedings under sections 19 and 25 of the Wildlife (Protection) Act. 1972 (53 of 1972), in respect of the said area;

AND WHEREAS by this department notification No. 85-For/11B-42/91, dated the 6th January, 1992, the Governor declared his intention to constitute the said area as a National

Park to be known as Buxa National Park for the said purpose;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (4) of section 35 of the wild life (Protection) Act, 1972 (53 of 1972), the Governor is pleased hereby to declare, with effect from the date of publication of this notification in the official Gazette, the said area to be a National Park to be known as Buxa National Park and to specify in the Schedule below the limits of the said area which shall be comprised within the said National Park.

The Schedule

- A. Situation
District : Jalpaiguri- Land covering area 11,710.10 hectare or 117.10 square Kilometres comprising of the following Blocks and compartments:-

(2) THE CALCUTTA GAZETTE, EXTRA ORDINARY, JANUARY 7, 1998 [PART 1]

Block	Compartment	Compartment Area In (hactare)	Block Area	Remarks
Tashigaon	1	804.74		
	2	449.96	1254.70	
North Rajabhatkhawa	5a	424.85		11.5 hectare
	6a (Part)	324.65		(28.4 Acre) of
	7	359.24		Jainti Location
	12	278.64		in the
	13	218.70		compartment 6a
	14	368.96	1975.04	to be excluded.
South Rajabhatkhawa	3	247.86		
	4	414.32		
	5	322.79		
	6	267.30		
	11	240.98		
	12	242.19		
	13	266.49	2001.93	
Jainti	1	250.20		
	2a	222.35		
	2b	322.79		
	3a	268.11		
	3b	277.83		
	4	392.45		
	5	661.77		
	6a	494.91		
	6b	165.24		
	7a	182.66		
	7b	70.47		
	8	360.05		
	9	352.35	4021.27	
Panbari	1	381.92		
	2	353.57		
	3	210.60		
	6	330.89		
	7	267.71		
	8	179.01		
	9	341.82	2065.52	
Chiko	2	391.64	391.64	

Total **11,710.10** **11,710.10 Hectare**
Or 117.10 Sq.km.

B. Boundaries**North** → Tobgaon Block**East** → Jainti Rivwer; Phaskhawa Block; Chuniajhora Tea Garden; Panbari 4,5,10.**South** → 20th Mile Forest Road.**West** → Santrabari 4, North Rajabhatkhawa-2,4,8,11,15; South Rajabhatkhawa 2,7,10,14; Chiko-1.

By order of the Governor,

S.M.Chaki

Dy. Secy to the Govt. of West Bengal.