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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
FOREST DEPARTMENT

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The Spl. Chief Secretary to Government,
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Re.No.779/07/WL-I, Dt:5.3.2007

Madam,

Sub:- Eco-fragile/Eco-sensitive zones around Sanctuaries &
National Parks - Supreme Court order in W.P.No.460/04
in Gon Foundation Vs Union of India - Proposals called
for - Reg:-

Ref:- 1. O.M.No.H747/For-II (2/06-I, Dt:29.12.2006
2. PCCF (WL) Re.No.779/07/WL-I, Dt:6.1.2007
3. PCCF (WL) Re.No.779/07/WL-I, Dt:12.1.2007

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In continuation to the reference 3rd cited, it is submitted that the issue of
notification of Eco-fragile/Eco-sensitive zones around Sanctuaries & National
Parks has been discussed with each of the Protected Area Managers and the
feasibility of maintaining such zones and the width of these zones has also been
discussed. Accordingly, the Protected Area Managers have submitted the maps of
the Protected Areas duly marking the proposed Eco-sensitive zone.

The list of the Sanctuaries along with the proposed Eco-sensitive Zones is
furnished herewith so as to inform the Ministry of Environment & Forests,
Government of India to facilitate them to file an affidavit in the Hon'ble Supreme
Court of India. Based on the orders of the Supreme Court of India, the notification
proposals for each of the Sanctuaries shall be submitted under Environmental
Protection Act.

Submitted for favour of information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- K.S.Rao,
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Copy to Dr. Anmol Kumar, Dy. Inspector General of Forests (WL), Ministry of
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*Status of Eco-fragile Zones of Protected Areas in
Andhra Pradesh.*

Sl.No.	Name of the Protected Area	Area in Sq.Kms.	Width of the Eco-fragile Zone Proposed
WILDLIFE SANCTUARIES			
1	Kawal Wildlife Sanctuary	893	10 Kms.
2	Pranahita Wildlife Sanctuary	136.02	5 & 10 Kms.
3	Shwaram Wildlife Sanctuary	29.81	10 Kms.
4	Eturihagaram Wildlife Sanctuary	803	10 Kms.
5	Pakhel Wildlife Sanctuary	890.2	10 Kms.
6	Kinnarasani Wildlife Sanctuary	635.4	10 Kms.
7	Papikonda Wildlife Sanctuary	591	10 Kms.
8	Coringa Wildlife Sanctuary	235.7	1 to 5 Kms.
9	Kolleru Wildlife Sanctuary	808.85	5 Kms.
10	Krishna Wildlife Sanctuary	194.81	10 Kms.
11	Pocharam Wildlife Sanctuary	128.84	10 Kms.
12	Manjira Wildlife Sanctuary	20	1 Km.
13	Rajiv Gandhi Wildlife Sanctuary	3568	5 & 10 Kms.
14	Rollapadu Wildlife Sanctuary	6.14	5 Kms.
15	Gundla Brahmaswara Wildlife Sanctuary	1194	5 & 10 Kms.
16	Sri Lankamaswara Wildlife Sanctuary	484.42	5 Kms.
17	Nalapattu Wildlife Sanctuary	4.58	5 & 10 Kms.
18	Pulicat Wildlife Sanctuary	500	5 & 10 Kms.
19	Koundinya Wildlife Sanctuary	357.8	5 & 10 Kms.
20	Sri Venkateswara Wildlife Sanctuary	525.97	2, 5 & 10 Kms.
21	Kambalakonda Wildlife Sanctuary	70.7	1 Kms.
22	Peninsula Neresimha Wildlife Sanctuary	1030.85	5 & 10 Kms.
NATIONAL PARKS			
23	Kasu Brahmananda Reddy National Park	1.425	1 Kms.
24	Sri Venkateswara National Park (Part of S.V. Wildlife Sanctuary)	353.63	2, 5 & 10 Kms.
25	Mrugavani National Park	3.8	1 Kms.
26	Mahavir Harina Vanasthal National Park	14.59	1 Kms.
27	Rajiv Gandhi National Park	2.3	1 Kms.

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