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NOTIFICATION

Publication of draft Karnataka State Coastal Zone Management Plan inviting suggestions, objections, comments from the stakeholders and public

The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India, New Delhi have issued Notification No. GSR 37 (E) dated 18 January 2019 which is referred to as CRZ Notification, 2019 in supression of CRZ Notification, 2011 declaring the designated areas as Coastal Regulation Zone with a view to ensure livelihood security to the fisher communities and other local communities living in the coastal areas, to conserve and protect coastal stretches, its unique environment and its marine area and to promote development through sustainable manner based on scientific principles taking into account the dangers of natural hazards in the coastal area, sea level raise due to global warming etc.

Sub-para (iii) to (v) of Para 6 of the said Notification provides for preparation of State Coastal Zone Management Plan in 1 : 25,000 scale map identifying and classifying the CRZ areas in accordance with the guidelines given in Annexure –IV of the said Notification and getting approval from the Ministry of Environment and Forest and Climate Change, Government of India.

As per the provisions made in sub-para (ii) of para 6 of the Notification, the Government of Karnataka have entrusted the task of preparation of Coastal Zone Management Plan for the coastal stretches of the State in accordance with the CRZ Notification, 2019 to National Centre for Sustainable Coastal Management (NCSCM), Chennai. Accordingly, the said institution have prepared draft Karnataka State Coastal Zone Management Plan (CZMP) in 1: 25,000 scale map. The draft CZMPs need to be published for the public scrutiny inviting objections, suggestions, comments etc, if any.

Hence the draft Karnataka State Coastal Zone Management plans along with the following documents are kept in the offices mentioned here under for the verification by the public in general and the Stakeholders in particular for offering their comments, suggestions, objections if any.

Documents kept for public verification / notice :

1. Draft Karnataka State Coastal Zone Management plan (CZMP) in 1:25,000 scale maps prepared in accordance with Notification No.GSR 37 (E), dated 18.01.2019 issued by the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Government of India.
2. Brief note on the Coastal Regulation Zone (CRZ) an its different classifications viz, CRZ-I (CRZ-I & CRZ-IB), CRZ-II, CRZ-III(CRZ-III A, CRZ-III B) and CRZ-IV(CRZ-IV A & CRZ-IV B) activities that are permissible, prohibited and regulated in each of the Zones.
3. Copy of the Notification No.GSR 37 (E), dated: 18.01.2019 issued by the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Government of India along with the amendments.

4. Near translation of CRZ Notifications, 2019 in Kannada language.

Offices where the draft KCZMP are kept for the public notice

1. Special Director (Technical cell) Department of Ecology and Environment Room No. 710, 7th floor, 4th Gate, M.S. Building, Bangalore-560001.
2. The Deputy Commissioners, Dakshina Kannada District, Udupi District and Uttar Kannada District.
3. The Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayat, Dakshina Kannada District, Udupi District and Uttar Kannada District
4. The Regional Director (Environment), Forest, Ecology and Environment Department, Government of Karnataka, Udupi, Mangalore and Karwar.
5. The Tahashildar of Mangalore, Udupi, Kundapur, Brahmavara, Bainduru, Bhatkal, Honnavar, Kumta, Ankola and Karwar Taluks.
6. The Executive Offices, Taluk Panchayat of Mangalore, Udupi, Kundapur, Brahmavara, Baindur, Bhatkal, Honnavar, Kumta, Ankola and Karwar Taluks.
7. The Village Panchayats having villages covered under CZMP.

Further, soft copy of the Draft Karnataka State Coastal Zone Management plan and other documents are also made available in the website of the Karnataka State Coastal Zone Management Authority having web address (<https://ksczma.karnataka.gov.in>).

All the stakeholders and the general public are called upon to verify the draft Karnataka State Coastal Zone Management plans and send their objections, suggestions, comments etc, if any, in writing to the Special Director (Technical cell) Department of Ecology and Environment Room No. 710, 7th floor, 4th Gate, M.S. Building, Bangalore-560001 on or before 60 days from the date of publication of notification.. The objections, suggestions, comments may also be sent within the stipulated time through e-mail msksczma@gmail.com. The objections, suggestions, comments etc received after the prescribed date will not be considered.

Public hearing in this regard will be held as per rules at the district level under the Chairmanship of Deputy Commissioner of the concerned district after due intimation of the date.


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