

No.RB/Desk-II/Forest/2211(175)/2020
Office of the Divisional Commissioner
Konkan Dn.Konkan Bhavan,
Navi Mumbai 400 614.
Dated -06/05/2020.

To,
The Prothonotary & Senior Master
High Court, Mumbai.

Sub:- Protection and Conservation of Mangroves
and Implementation of Hon. High Court
order dated 06/10/2005 in P.I.L.87 of 2006
(W.P.(L)No.3246/2004)
175th Monthly Report.

As the Hon. Bombay High Court vide order dated 06/10/2005 in Writ Petition No (L) No.3246 of 2004 the Bombay Environmental Action Group V/s State of Maharashtra directed the State Government to designate an Officer not below the rank of District Magistrate to see that the orders of the Hon. High Court are implemented and to entertain the complaints received regarding the destruction of mangroves. Accordingly, the State Government Revenue Department designated the Divisional Commissioner, Konkan Division to implement the orders of the Hon. High Court in respect of preservation of mangroves and to prevent the destruction thereof.

According to para. 8 (vi) of the Hon. High Court order, the State Government is directed to file a monthly report to the Hon. High Court about the action taken on the complaints of destruction of mangroves received. The 174th report in this regard has been submitted by E-mail dated 20/04/2020 and copy is attached with this report.

I am now submitting herewith 175th Monthly Report from 1st April, 2020 to 30th April, 2020. The same may please be brought to the notice of the Hon. High Court, Mumbai.

Encl: As above

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Divisional Commissioner, Konkan Division

- Copy -Fd.w.cs.to the Government Pleader (Original Side), High Court, Mumbai.
- Copy - Submitted to the Additional chief Secretary (Revenue), Revenue & Forests Department Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- Copy - Submitted to the Principal Secretary (Forests), Revenue & Forests Deptt. Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- Copy- Submitted to the Principal Secretary, Environment Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- ✓ Copy- Submitted to the Deputy Commissioner (General), Konkan Division for uploading on official Website.

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Dy. Commissioner (Revenue), Konkan Division

175th Monthly Report ending 30th April, 2020 of the Divisional Commissioner, Konkan Division, Mumbai as per the directions of the Hon. High Court, Mumbai dated.6/10/2005 in P.I.L.No.87 of 2006 (W.P.(L) 3246/2004)

Sr. No.	Complaints Details	No.
1	No. of pending complaints as on 31/03/2020	214
2	No. of complaints received in current month.	Nil
3	Total Complaints as on 31/03/2020.	214
4	Action taken thereon in current month.	07
5	Suomoto Action Taken Complaints disposed.	02
6	No. of pending complaints as on 31/03/2020.	207
7	No. of offenders named.	07
8	The details of prosecution / action lodged.	09

Complaints details Received in Current Month- Nil

Action taken on the previous complaints

1.	145/9. Complaint of Mukesh Sable received by letter dated 02/03/2017.	
	Nature of Complaint	Nature of Complaint
	Destruction of mangroves at Plot No.36, Road No.1, Malad Malvani, Mumbai.	The Collector, Mumbai Suburban has submitted a report dated 16/03/2020. The Complaint was enquired into by Circle Officer Goregaon and Maintenance Surveyor Goregaon and no substance was found in the complaint.
2.	164/10. Complaint of Mr. Nandkumar Pawar received by email dated 22/05/2019.	
	Nature of Complaint	Nature of Complaint
	New illegal slum development at Chedda nagar reserved forest land near Jijamata Bhosale Marg Junction, Chembur, Mumbai.	The Collector, Mumbai Suburban has submitted a report dated 16/03/2020. The Complaint was enquired into by Resident Naib Tahasildar Kurla, Circle Officer Chembur and Talathi Mahul and no substance was found in the complaint.
3	155/4. Complaint of Mr. Arvind Kumar Nautiyal dt.08/11/2017 received by MCZMA letter, dated 11/06/2018.	
	Nature of Complaint	Nature of Complaint
	Complaint regarding encroachment in mangroves area in Ganpatatil Nagar, Borivali- Dahisar in Mumbai.	The Collector, Mumbai Suburban has submitted a report dated 03/03/2020. The Complaint was enquired into by Talathi Eksar. In Village Eksar, S. No. 221 within 50 meters of mangroves area 360 hutment were built by encroachers from year 2007 to 2017. So total Seven FIR has been lodged time to time in M.H.B. Police Station

under section 15(1)(2) of the Environment Protection Act, 1986 as follows.

S. No	FIR No. and Date	Name of person
1	2239/07, Dt.17/12/2007	Santosh Ratansingh Vasisthand ors.
2	876/08, 17/05/2008	Dt. Unknown person
3	435/09, 10/02/2009	Dt. Unknown person
4	375/12, 17/03/2012	Dt. Shashi Mhatre and Ors.
5	45/14, 29/11/2014	Dt. Rameshwar Ganpati Bidawe and Ors.
6	31/2016, Dt. 29/07/2016.	Sashikala Pande and Ors.
7	32/17, 03/11/2017	Dt. Shashi Mhatre and Ors.


4.	169/1. Complaint of Mr. Kantilal Inkar received by letter dated 30/08/219.	
	Nature of Complaint	Nature of Complaint
	Destruction of Mangroves, at Mahul, Chembuer by Tata Trermal Ltd. and Pirpav Jettey.	The Collector, Mumbai Suburban has submitted a report dated 16/03/2020. The Complaint was enquired into by Circle Officer Chembur and Talathi Mahul and no substance was found in the complaint.
5.	171/1. Complaint of Smt. Supriya Rege received by letter dated 04/12/2019..	
	Nature of Complaint	Nature of Complaint
	Destruction of Mangroves, at Sector 8, Charkop, Kandivali, Mumbai.	The Collector, Mumbai Suburban has submitted a report dated 06/03/2020. The Complaint was enquired into by Talathi Kandivali. In Village Kandivali Sector No. 8, S. No. 41pt and 149 household waste were kept near mangroves. So FIR No. 10/2019, Dated 14/01/2019 has been lodged in Charkop Police Station against Unknown person under section 15(1)(2) of the Environment Protection Act, 1986.
6.	170/2. Complaint of Prasad Khale received by E-mail dated 18/11/2019.	
	Nature of Complaint	Nature of Complaint
	Destruction of Mangroves for pipeline work in Mankhurd, Mumbai.	The Collector, Mumbai Suburban has submitted a report dated 16/03/2020. The Complaint was enquired into by Circle Officer Chembur and Forest Gaurd and no substance was found in the complaint.

7.	171/6. Complaint of Shri. Amar Yashwant Mhatre, received by letter dated 13/11/2019.	
	Nature of Complaint	Nature of Complaint
	Destruction of mangroves at Elephanta Caves, Gharapuri.	The Collector, Raigad has submitted a report dated 20/02/2020. The Complaint was enquired into by Sub divisional Officer, Panvel, Tahasildar Uran and Circle Officer Jasai and no substance was found in the complaint.

Grivences submitted at Collector Office- Action taken report

1.	Complaint of Satish Shyam Salvi, letter dated 19/03/2019.	
	Nature of Complaint	Nature of Complaint
	Destruction of mangroves and Unauthorised construction in Khardanda Koliwada, Mumbai.	The Collector, Mumbai Suburban has submitted a report dated 06/03/2020. The Complaint was enquired into by Talathi Danda and no substance was found in the complaint.
2.	Complaint of Vishnu Ishwarlal Patel and Shivanand Shetty letter dated 27/03/2019.	
	Nature of Complaint	Nature of Complaint
	Unauthorized debris were kept on Mangroves area and destruction of mangroves in Gorai - Juipada, Tal. Borivali.	The Collector, Mumbai Suburban has submitted a report dated 31/01/2020. The Complaint was enquired into by Circle Officer Kurar. In Village Gorai S. No. 191/7 Hotel by name 'U and Me' were built within 50 meters of mangroves area. So FIR No. 02/2019, Dated 25/07/2019 has been lodged in Gorai Police Station against Smt. Hilari Joseph Muzela and Dashrath Chavan under section 15(1)(2) of the Environment Protection Act, 1986.

O.C. signed by Divisional Commissioner)


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