

No.RB/Desk-II/Forest/2211(215)/2023  
Office of the Divisional Commissioner  
Konkan Division, Kokan Bhavan,  
Navi Mumbai 400 614.  
Date - 16/10/2023.

प्रादेशीय आवृत्त कोंकण विभाग दाच कार्यालय  
कोंकण भवन, नवी मुंबई - ४०० ६१४  
मध्यवर्ती नोंदणी शाखा

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

आवृत्त क्रमांक :-  
दिनांक :- 18 OCT 2023  
शाखेचे नाव :-  
नोंदणी अधिकारी / अका  
साहाय्य शाखा  
मुख्य नगरपालिका  
महाराष्ट्र शासन / रप ६१५००

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)  
215<sup>th</sup> 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 214<sup>th</sup> report in this regard has been submitted on dated-05/09/2023.

I am now submitting herewith 215<sup>th</sup> Monthly Report from 01<sup>st</sup> August, 2023 to 31<sup>th</sup> August, 2023. The same may please be brought to the notice of the Hon. High Court, Mumbai.

Encl: As above.

sd/-

(Dr. Mahendra Kalyankar)

Division Commissioner, Konkan Division

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

(Vivek Gaikwad)

Dy. Commissioner (Revenue), Konkan Division

215<sup>th</sup> Monthly Report ending 31<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 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 31/07/2023.	164
2	No. of complaints received in current month.	00
3	Total Complaints as on 31/08/2023	164
4	Action taken thereon in current month.	11
5	No. of pending complaints as on 31/08/2023	153
6	No. of offenders named.	04
7	The details of prosecution / action lodged.	01

**Complaint received in current month**

215/1 Complaint of Shri Dhiraj Ramesh Parab, Received by letter dated 24/08/2023.		
Sr	Nature of Complaint	Action taken
1	Destruction of Mangroves at Village Gorai, Tal.Borivali, Dist. Mumbai Suburban.	The complaints has been forwarded to the Member Secretary, Divisional Mangroves Conservation and Conservation Committee and Deputy Forest Conservator Forest (Mangroves Cell), Mumbai for further action.

**Action taken on the previous complaints**

108/2. Complaint of Shri. Orsan Nronha, Mahavir Nagar, Kandivali (W) Mumbai received by letter Dated-..../09/2014.		
S.no	Nature of Complaint	Action taken
1.	Complaint regarding Grossly illegal construction activity undertaken by Nadeem Sarang stranger purchaser of fragment abutting our land at Vijaydurg City, Dist-Sindhudurg.	The Collector, Sindhudurg has submitted a report dated 13/07/2023. The Complaint was enquired by Tahsildar Devgad and no substance found.
151/3. Complaint of Mr.Satish Shantaram Bandkar received by letter dated 12/03/2018.		
160/9. Complaint of Mr.Satish Shantaram Bandkar received by letter dated 16/01/2019.		
167/3. Complaint of Mr.Satish Shantaram Bandkar received by letter dated 12/08/2019.		
S.no	Nature of Complaint	Action taken
2. 3. 4.	Destruction of mangroves at Mithmumbari - Baghwadi, Tal. Devgad.	The Collector, Sindhudurg has submitted a report dated 04/07/2023. The Complaint was enquired by Forester Devgad. It was found that village Mithmumbari, Tal. Devgad cutting the mangroves trees Thus, mangroves were destroyed. So FIR No.0030/2019 dated 09/05/2019 was as lodged against shri Madhukar Appa Bandkar, shri Appa alias Dayal Madhukar Bandkar, Rajendra Vishwanath Bandkar and Smt. Swati Rajendra bandkar in Devgad police station under section 15 (1) of the Environment Protection Act, 1986.

186/4. Complaint of Mr. Sachin Anand Desai received by letter dated 23/02/2021		
S.no	Nature of Complaint	Action taken
5.	Violation of wetland land rule at Dhamapur, Tal. Malvan.	The Collector, Sindhudurg has submitted a report dated 14/07/2023. The Complaint was enquired by Circle Officer Aamberi and no substance found.
186/3. Complaint of Mr. Dilip Balkrishna Bhosale received by letter dated 21/02/2021.		
S.no	Nature of Complaint	Action taken
6.	Violation of Wetland rule at Dhamapur.	The Collector, Sindhudurg has submitted a report dated 14/07/2023. The Complaint was enquired by Circle Officer Aamberi and no substance found.
173/10. Complaint of Mr. Dattaram Janardhan Tandel received from MCZMA letter dated 08/01/2020.		
181/2. Complaint of Mr. Dattaram Janardhan Tandel received from MCZMA letter dated 24/09/2020		
S.no	Nature of Complaint	Action taken
7. 8.	Complaint regarding cutting trees and Illegal dredging of sand at Kambliwada, Ubhandanda, Tal. Vengurla.	The Collector, Sindhudurg has submitted a report dated 13/07/2023. The Complaint was enquired by Member secretary Mangroves cell, Vengurla and no substance found.
173/11. Complaint of Shri. Parshuram Uparkar received from MCZMA letter dated 28/01/2020		
S.no	Nature of Complaint	Action taken
9.	Complaints regarding Illegal, dredging and excavation of iron ore on plot bearing S. No. 9,37,58, 15 at Village Redi-Kanyal Redi, Tal Vengurla.	The Collector, Sindhudurg has submitted a report dated 13/07/2023. The Complaint was enquired by Circle Officer, Shiroda and no substance found.
173/7. Complaint of Vishwajeet Chandrakant Chinderkar received from MCZMA letter dated 02/01/2020.		
S.no	Nature of Complaint	Action taken
10.	Complaint regarding unauthorized construction on plot bearing S. No. 1276/2, 1276/3 at Medha Kotewada, Malvan.	The Collector, Sindhudurg has submitted a report dated 18/07/2023. The Complaint was enquired by Member secretary Mangroves cell, Kudal and no substance found.
173/1. Complaint of Ramesh Sajo Ganus received from MCZMA letter dated 02/01/2020.		
S.no	Nature of Complaint	Action taken
11.	Complaint regarding reclamation of sea and ground water contamination arising out of Iron ore mining in village Redi, Tal Vengurla complaint by Shri. Ramesh Sajo Ganus and ors.	The Collector, Sindhudurg has submitted a report dated 13/07/2023. The Complaint was enquired by Circle Officer, Shiroda and no substance found.

Complaint submitted to Collector office Action Taken Report- Nil.

(O/C sign by Hon'ble Divisional Commissioner)

  
(Vivek Gaikwad)

Dy. Commissioner (Revenue), Konkan Division