

F. No. 15-22/2013-NTCA  
Government of India  
Ministry of Environment, Forest Climate Change  
National Tiger Conservation Authority  
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To,

The Chief Wildlife Warden(s),  
Andhra Pradesh, Chhatisgarh, Rajasthan, Maharashtra, Uttar Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh and  
Tamil Nadu

**Subject : Submission of proposal for notifying Eco sensitive Zones of Tiger Reserves**

Sir,

Reference is invited to the subject cited above. In this context, I am directed to request you to kindly furnish proposal for notifying Eco sensitive Zones around Tiger Reserves, as per list enclosed herewith, as per advisory issued by this Authority in the matter which states;

1. The entire buffer zone should be included in the eco sensitive zone
2. A radial cushion of minimum 1 km should be kept from the critical tiger habitat wherever the buffer is disjunct/absent
3. Where a Protected Area forms part of the buffer, then a minimum 1 km cushion should be demarcated around the said buffer also

An expeditious response is kindly requested.

Enclosed: As above

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Vaibhav C. Mathur)  
Assistant Inspector General (NTCA)

Copy to:

1. NTCA Regional Offices, Guwahati, Bengaluru and Nagpur
2. The Field Director(s) concerned

| State             | Tiger Reserve             | Status                | Letter no.                       | Date              | Remarks sent  |
|-------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Rajasthan         | Mukandra Hills            | Not concurred         | 18-27/2014-NTCA                  | 12.5.15           | Compliance to meeting dated 27.4.16   |
|                   | Sariska                   |                       | 18-26/2014-NTCA                  | 12.5.15           | Compliance to meeting dated 27.4.16   |
|                   | Ranthambhore              |                       | 18-25/2014-NTCA                  | 31.10.17          | Compliance to meeting dated 27.4.16   |
| Andhra Pradesh    | Nagarjunasagar Srisaillam | Not concurred         | 18-15/2014-NTCA & 18-3/2015-NTCA | 12.5.14 & 30.4.15 | Consolidated proposal for tiger reserve solicited & maps showing core, buffer and ESZ |
| Maharashtra       | Sahyadri                  | Not concurred         | 18-4/2014-NTCA                   | 17.10.16          | Rectification of proposal solicited   |
| Uttar Pradesh     | Dudhwa                    | Not concurred         | 18-34/2014-NTCA                  | 9.9.15            | Consolidated map clearly showing core, buffer and ecosensitive zone solicited         |
|                   | Pilibhit                  | Proposal not received | -                                | -                 | -   |
| Arunachal Pradesh | Namdapha                  | Not concurred         | 18-35/2014-NTCA                  | 22.10.14          | Rectification of proposal solicited   |
|                   | Karniang                  | Proposal not received | -                                | -                 | -   |
|                   | Pakke                     | Not concurred         | 18-7/2015-NTCA                   | 28.10.15          | Rectification of proposal solicited   |
| Tamil Nadu        | Anamalai                  | Not concurred         | 18-9/2014-NTCA                   | 15.7.14           | Consolidated map clearly showing core, buffer and ecosensitive zone solicited         |
|                   | Mudumalai                 | Not concurred         | 15-22/2013-NTCA                  | 27.1.14           | Buffer is disjunct  |
|                   | Sathyamanthalam           | Not concurred         | 18-20/2014-NTCA                  | 3.7.14            | Consolidated map clearly showing core, buffer and ecosensitive zone solicited         |
|                   | Kalakad Mundunthurai      | Not concurred         | 15-22/2013-NTCA                  | 27.1.14           | Buffer is disjunct  |
| Chhattisgarh      | Indravati                 | Proposal not received | 16-22/2013-NTCA                  | 26.8.14           | Copy of proposal solicited  |