

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

ABSTRACT



Forests - Declaration of Vedanthangal Lake, Madurathangal Taluk, Kancheepuram District as Birds Sanctuary - Notification under Section 26 A(i) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 - Orders Issued.

ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (FR.V(1)) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.199

Dated: 3.7.1998.

Read :

1. G.O.Ms.No.67, Environment and Forests Department, dated 13.3.96.
2. From the Collector, Kancheepuram District Lr.No.153613/91 FSO, dated 21.5.97.
3. From the Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) and Chief Wildlife No.3137/91 D, dated 5.6.97.

ORDER :

In its orders first read above, the Government have notified its intention to constitute the lake area measuring an extent of 73.06 acres in S.No.220 5 kms. surrounding the lake in Vedanthangal Village, Madurathangal Taluk, Kancheepuram District, as a Birds Sanctuary under Section 13 (1) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972. The notification was published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette No.13, Part-II Section 2, dated 3.4.1996 in English and in the District Gazette July 1996 of Kancheepuram District, in Tamil Nadu.

2. After observing the due formalities prescribed in Sections 19-25 of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972, the Collector of Kancheepuram District and the Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) and Chief Wildlife warden in their letters second and third read above respectively have stated that no claims and objection have been received for the constitution of the said area as Birds Sanctuary and that the final notifications may be issued under Section 26 (A)(i) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 for declaring the said area as Birds Sanctuary.

3. The Government, after careful consideration, accept the proposals of the Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) and Chief Wildlife Warden sent in his letter second read above and direct that the lake area in S.No.220 measuring an extent of 73.06 acre and 5 kms. surrounding the said lake in Vedanthangal Village, Madurathangal Taluk, Kancheepuram District, by reason of the ecological, fauna, flora, geomorphological and zoological associations and importance, be constituted as a Birds Sanctuary for the purpose of protection, propagation and development of wildlife and its environment under Section 26 A(i) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972.

4. The Notification appended to this Order shall be published both in English and in Tamil in the next issue of Tamil Nadu Government Gazette and in Tamil in the District Gazette of Kancheepuram District.

5. The Tamil Development and Culture Department is requested to send immediately a Tamil translation of the Notification to the Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai for publication in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette and in the District Gazette of Kancheepuram District.

6. The Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai is requested to send twenty copies of each (in English and in Tamil) of the Notifications to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai-15, Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife), and Chief Wildlife Warden, Chennai-15, Government in Environment and Forests Department and to the Collector of Kancheepuram District, as soon as the Notification is published.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

K.S. SRIPATHI
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

The Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai-79.

The Director of Stationery and Printing, Chennai-2.

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai-15.

The Chief Wildlife Warden, Chennai-15.

The Collector of Kancheepuram District.

The Tamil Development and Culture Department, Chennai-9.

Copy to:

The Senior PA to the Hon'ble Minister (Forests & Printing), Chennai-9.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Paryavaran Bhavan, CGO Complex, Lodi Road, New Delhi-3.

The Law Department, Chennai-9.

The Revenue Department, Chennai-9.

The Senior Personal Assistant to the Hon'ble Minister for Revenue, Chennai-9.

The Senior Personal Assistant to the Hon'ble Minister for Public Works, Chennai-9.

FORWARDED/BY ORDER

SECTION OFFICER

14/2/15

THE SCHEDULE

- (1) Name of the district : Kancheepuram
- (2) Name of the forest division : Chengalpattu
- (3) Name of the Taluk : Madurantagam
- (4) Number and Name of the village : 27, Vedanthangal
- (5) S.F. Number : 220
- (6) Name of the sanctuary : Vedanthangal Lake Birds Sanctuary
- (7) Area of the sanctuary : 73.06 acres or 29.51.6 Hectares and surroundings five kilometres around the lake.

BOUNDARIES

Northh:- It starts from the trifunction of S.F.No.215, 213 and 220 of Vedanthangal Village.. Thence it runs towards east along the northern boundary of SF Nos.213,234,232,231, 228, 229 and 271.

East :- Thence it runs towards the south along the eastern boundary of S.F.Nos.274, 227 and 225.

South :- Thence it runs north-west along the southern boundary of S.F.Nos.138, 152, 153 and 173 western boundary of S.F.Nos.184 and 218.

West :- Thence it runs towards north along the western boundary of S.F.Nos.213 and 215 until it meets the starting point.

K.S. SRIPATHI
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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11.7.92

ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS DEPARTMENT

APPENDIX
NOTIFICATION

WHEREAS the area specified in the schedule below is not an comprised within the forest of the territorial matters.

AND WHEREAS the Government of Tamil Nadu considered that the specified in the schedule below is of adequate ecological and significance for the purpose of protecting birds and their environment.

AND WHEREAS in the Notification issued under sub section (1) section 18 of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 (Central Act : 1972), the Government of Tamil Nadu declared the intention constitute the area specified in the schedule to be a Sanctuary and the Vedanthangal Lake Birds Sanctuary and the same has been issued in the Environment and Forests (FR.V) Department. Notification No.II(2)/EF/790/96, at page 218 of Part-II Section-2 of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette, dated the 3rd April, 1996.

AND WHEREAS, the Collector, Kancheepuram District have published a proclamation under Section 21 of the said Act, in and around the village and in the Government Offices of the area comprised therein requiring any person, claiming any right mentioned in Section 19 of the said Act within two months from the date of publication and preferred within the time specified above.

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub section (1) of section 26-A of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 (Central Act 53 of 1972), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby declares that the area specified in the schedule below shall be a sanctuary called the 'Vedanthangal Lake Birds Sanctuary' with effect on and from the date of publication of this