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ABSTRACT

Forests - Wildlife - Declaration of Periakulam Eri in Vadamugam Vellode village, Erode District as Birds Sanctuary - Notification - Under section 26A(1) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act 1972 - Orders - Issued.

Vellode

ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (FR.V) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms) No:44

Dated 29.2.2000

Read again:

1. G.O. Ms. No. 237, Environment & Forests, dated 30.6.97
- Read also: 2. From the Collector of Erode ref. No. R2/128694/98, dt. 18.9.98
3. From the Chief Wildlife Warden, ref. No. 2713/93/WL 11, dt. 17.11.98.

ORDER:

In their order first read above, the Government have notified the intention to constitute the lake area measuring 77.185 Hectare in Vadamugam Vellode village, Erode District as a Birds Sanctuary under section 18(1) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 (Central Act 53 of 1972). The above notification was published with the Environment and Forests Department Notification No. II(2)EF/1458/97, at page 443 of Part II-Section 2 of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette, dated the 16th July 1997 in English and in the District Gazette, dated the 2nd January 1998 of the Erode District.

2. After observing the due formalities prescribed under sections 19-25 of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 (Central Act 53 of 1972), the Collector of Erode District and the Chief Wildlife Warden in their letters second and third read above, respectively, have stated that no claim and objection has been received for the constitution of the said area as Birds Sanctuary and that the final notification may be issued under section 26(A)(i) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 (Central Act 53 of 1972) for declaring the said area as a Birds Sanctuary.

3. The Government after careful consideration accept the proposal of the Chief Wildlife Warden in his letter third read above and decided that the lake area in S.F. Nos. 584 and 503, measuring 77.185 Hectares in Vadamugam Vellode Village, Perunthurai taluk, Erode district, by reason of the ecological, fauna, flore, geomorphological and zoological associations and importance, be constituted

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as a Birds Sanctuary for the purpose of protection, propagation and development of wildlife and its environment under section 26-A(1) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 (Central Act 53 of 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 Erode 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 Erode 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/Chief Wildlife Warden, Chennai-15, Government in Environment and Forests Department and to the Collector of Erode District, as soon as the Notification is published.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

S. RAJARETHINAM
Secretary to Government

To
The Works Manager, Govt. Central Press, Chennai-600 079
The Director of Stationery & Printing, Chennai-600 002
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests/Chief Wildlife Warden, Chennai-600 015
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The Tamil Development & Culture Department, Chennai-9
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The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Paryavaran Bhavan, CGO Complex, New Delhi-3
The Law Department, Chennai-9
The Revenue/Rural Development Department, Chennai-9
The Senior P.A. to Hon'ble M(Rav), Chennai-9
The Senior P.A. to Hon'ble M(R.D), Chennai-9
The Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Chennai-9
(with reference to his office no. P.H. 532. Dt. 4-11-1999)
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Annexure (To G.O. No. 44, Environment
and Forests, Dated 29-2-2000)

NOTIFICATION

WHEREAS, the area specified in the Schedule below is not an area comprised within any reserve forest or the territorial waters;

AND WHEREAS, the Government of Tamil Nadu considered that the area specified in the Schedule below is of adequate ecological, faunal, floral, geomorphological significance for the purpose of protecting propagating and developing birds and their environment;

AND WHEREAS, in the notification issued under sub-section (1) of section 18 of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 (Central Act 53 of 1972), the Governor of Tamil Nadu declared the intention to constitute the area specified in the Schedule thereunder to be a sanctuary called the Vellore Birds Sanctuary and the same has been published in the Environment and Forests (FR.V) Department Notification No. II(2)/EF/1458/97 at page 443 of Part II - Section 2 of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette, dated the 16th July 1997;

AND WHEREAS, the Collector, Erode District has published a proclamation under section 21 of the said Act, in the regional language 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, to prefer the claim before the Collector within two months, from the date of such proclamation, and received no claims within the time specified above;

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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 Vellode Birds Sanctuary with effect on and from the date of publication of this Notification.

THE SCHEDULE

- 1. Name of the District :- Erode
- 2. Name of the Taluk :- Perunthurai
- 3. Number and Name of the Village. :- 109; Vadamugam Vellode

4. Survey Numbers

	<u>Area</u>
109. Vadamugam Vellode Village S.F.No.584	75.935 Hectares
109. Vadamugam Vellode village (Odai Poramboke) S.F.No.503	1.250 Hectares
TOTAL	----- 77.185 Hectares. -----

5. Boundaries:

This sanctuary contains the entire area of S.F.Numbers 584 and 503 of 109, Vadamugam Vellode Village of Perunthurai Taluk in Erode District.

EAST:- Starting from the trijunction of No.109, Vadamugam Vellode No.110, Pungambadi and No.113, Thenmugam Vellode villages of Perundurai Taluk the boundary runs towards, south along western boundary of S.F.Nos.1294, 1292 and 1258 of Thenmugam Vellode till the supply channel of Thenmugam Vellode. Thence, the boundary runs towards south west of S.F.No.1257, 1256 and 1255 till it meet supply channel of Vadamugam Vellode.

SOUTH:- Thence, the boundary starts from S.F.No.601 and runs towards west and south-west of S.F.Nos.600, 599 and 586.

Thence the boundary runs towards north, west and south till it meets S.F.No.502. Thence it runs towards west and south west of S.F.No.502 to meet the trijunction of S.F.Nos.505, 503 and 584.

WEST:- Starting from the trijunction S.F.Nos.505, 503 and 584 the boundary runs along Odai Poramboke of S.F.No.503 thence, towards west of 505, north of S.F.No.504, east of 507 and crosses the Odai - Poramboke to meet the trijunction of the S.F.Nos. 503, 584 and 513.. Thence, the boundary runs towards north along eastern boundaries of S.F.Nos.513,514, 515 and 521 till it meets the Lower Bhavani Project main canal.

NORTH: Starting from lower Bhavani Project main canal in the S.F.numbers 572 the boundary runs towards east along the southern boundary of S.F.Nos.575,580, 581, 582 and 583 to meet S.F.No.110 of Pungambadi village border. Thence, the boundary runs towards south, north east along with the southern border of S.F.No.381 to meet the starting point.

S.RAJARETHINAM,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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29/2/2000

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