

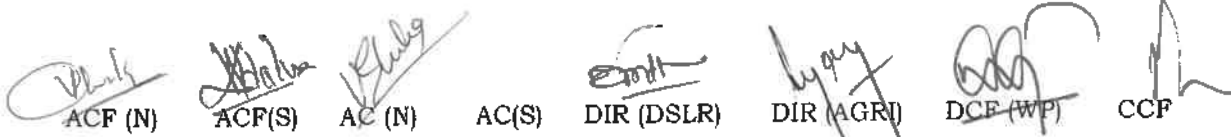
Proceedings of the Hearing conducted on 02.03.2023 at 11.00 a.m. in connection with objections filed by Land Owners / Power of Attorney / representatives of areas provisionally identified as Private Forests by North Goa (Thomas) & South Goa (Araujo) Committee in Cacora and Quedem Village of Quepem Taluka, Salaulim Village of Sanguem Taluka, Moissal, Sigao & Sangod Villages of Dharbandora Taluka.

The following members/representatives were present: -

1. Shri Praveen Kumar Raghaw, IFS
Chief Conservator of Forests & Chairman of Review Committee.
2. Shri Naveen Kumar P, IFS
Dy. Conservator of Forests (WP) & Member Secretary, Review Committee.
3. Kum. Vrushika Kauthankar
Representative of Additional Collector, North Goa District.
4. Shri Sujay Shirodkar,
Representative of the Director of Agriculture
5. Shri Vishwas Chodankar,
Assistant Conservator of Forests (North), Member.
6. Shri D. M. Kudalkar
Assistant Conservator of Forests (South), Member.
7. Smt. Pratima Kavlekar,
Representative of the Director of Settlement and Land Record Panaji Goa.

Following were in attendance

1. Shri Dilesh A. Gauns Desai, Chief Forest Surveyor, (WP)
2. Shri Prakash Naik, RFO, Quepem


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3. Shri. Vikaramaditya Gaonkar, RFO Sanguem
4. Shri Nilesh C. Dessai, Forest Surveyor
5. Shri. Deepak Tandel, RFO Ponda
6. Shri. Devidas Velip, RFO, Pissonem
7. Shri Sandip Madelkar, Field Surveyor
8. Shri Pravin Kurtikar, Field Surveyor
9. Shri Samir X Rajguru, Field Surveyor
10. Shri Rajesh Bhomkar, Field Surveyor
11. Shri. Rupesh Bhandodkar, Field Surveyor


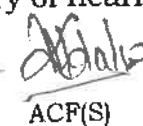

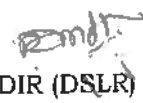



Objection from the village of Cacora of Quepem Taluka, Salaulim Village of Sanguem Taluka and Moissal Village of Dharbandora Taluka were heard individually. The Member Secretary informed the Review Committee that the notice for hearing dated 02/03/2023 was served to each objector through post, special messenger and also through telephone calls and messages.

The Member Secretary informed that the public hearing scheduled for the day is being conducted for the areas qualifying as private forests based on three criteria of approved methodology. ie., Survey numbers qualified for area and canopy density criteria as per Forest Cover Map provided by Forest Survey of India were subjected to field enumeration by sub-Committee, on submission of plan and enumeration report by the sub-committee after which now it is placed before the Review Committee for public hearing on 02/03/2023.

The area qualified as private forest after field enumeration were verified in presence of the objectors.

Copies of the field verification report were sent to all the members before the hearing for verification. Field report along with copy of each such document / plan were shown to concerned objectors.









Summary of hearing is as under:

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Sr. No.	Name of the person	Area	Objections query/ statements of the Owners/objectors	Observations/ comments of review committee
1.	Rep. of Deejay Cocount Farm Pvt. ltd	Survey No 37 of Salaulim Village Sanguem Taluka.	Objected saying that the area does not qualify as private forests.	<p>Survey Number 37 of Salaulim Village of Sanguem Taluka is provisionally identified as Private Forest by Araujo Committee.</p> <p>The objector has signed the attendance sheet and requested for resurvey of survey number 37 of Salaulim Village Sanguem Taluka.</p> <p>Comments/Views/objections were recorded by the committee and directed the subcommittee for resurvey in presence of the owners/objectors and to submit the re-survey plan within one week.</p>
2.	Rep. of Mr. Laximikant Damu Naik Karmali, Mr. Bhaskar	Survey No 170 Cacora Village Quepem Taluka.	Objected saying that the he has objection only for Sy no: 165 and thus he has no objection in survey number 170	<p>The objector submitted his objection letter jointly for Sy 165 & 170 of Cacora village hence he was called for hearing.</p> <p>During the hearing, objector has signed the attendance</p>

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	Damu Naik Karmali		of Cacora Village of Quepem Taluka.	sheet stating he has no objection for notifying Private Forest in Survey No 170 of Cacora Village Quepem Taluka. Comments/Views/objections were recorded by the committee.
3.	Rep. of Ivora Braganza Mr. earl Andrew Braganza.	Survey No 21 of Moissal Village Dharbando ra Taluka.	Objected saying that the area does not qualify as private forests.	Survey Number 21 of Moissal Village of Dharbandora Taluka is provisionally identified as Private Forest by Araujo Committee. The objector has signed the attendance sheet and requested for additional sample points to verify the area once again in Survey No 21 of Moissal Village of Dharbandora Taluka. Comments/Views/objections were recorded by the committee and directed the subcommittee for re enumerate in presence of the owners/ objectors with additional 5 sample points and directed to submit the report in within a week time

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The Subcommittees were directed to take all necessary actions to inform the objectors/owners of the lands/ representatives about the field verification and conduct the re-survey in the presence of the land owners/representatives. Photographs and signatures of the land owners/ representatives shall be invariably taken during the re-survey field verification and submitted along with the field verification report hereafter.


The Review Committee decided the following-


1. Mr. Kashinath Sawant Dessai and others of survey number 170 Cacora Village of Quepem Taluka were not present for hearing, committee decided to call them in next hearing.
2. In view of objections raised by owners, it was decided that the concerned Sub Committee will revisit survey number 37 of Salaulim Village Sanguem Taluka and Survey number 21 Moissal Village of Dharbandora Taluka with additional sample points to conduct joint survey and enumeration in the presence of objectors/land owners and submit its report/plan along with the photographs of joint verification immediately.
3. Since there were no objections for an area of 24.309 Ha in survey number 9 of Quedem Village of Quepem Taluka, an area of 7.02 Ha in survey number 21 of Sigao Village of Dharbandora Taluka, an area of 2.84 Ha in survey number 10 of Sangod Village of Dharbandora Taluka and an area of 1.14 Ha in Survey number 38 Salaulim Village Sanguem Taluka. The Review Committee finalised the area admeasuring 35.309 Ha, as per the plan as private forest.

Copies of photographs and attendance sheet of the Public Hearing are enclosed as a part of the hearing proceedings.


The public hearing ended with thanks to chair.

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Member


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Rep. of Director of Settlement & Land Record
Member


Rep of Additional Collector
North (Revenue), Member


Rep of Director of Agriculture
Member


Dy. Conservator of Forests
(Working Plan) Member Secretary









Chief Conservator of Forests
Chairman

Copy to: -

1. Deputy Conservator of Forests (North / South) for information and necessary action.
2. Deputy Conservator of Forests (Headquarter) for information.
3. Member Secretary (Sub-Committees) for information and necessary action as directed by the review committee.

No: -MS/REV-PF/DCF/WP/2022-23/595

Dated: -15/04/2023
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