Proceedings of the Hearing conducted on 18.08.2023 at 10.30 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 Socorro Village of Bardez Taluka.

The following members/representatives were present: -

- Shri Praveen Kumar Raghaw, IFS
   Chief Conservator of Forests & Chairman of Review Committee.
- Shri Naveen Kumar P, IFS
   Dy. Conservator of Forests (WP) & Member Secretary, Review Committee.
- Smt. Vrushika Kauthankar,
   Representative of Additional Collector, North Goa District.
- Shri Sandip Fal Dessai,
   Representative of the Director of Agriculture
- Smt. Maya K. Amonkar,
   Representative of the Director of Settlement and Land Record Panaji, Goa.
- Shri Vishwas Chodankar
   Assistant Conservator of Forests (North), Member.
- 7. Shri D. M. Kudalkar,
  Assistant Conservator of Forests (South), Member.

## Following were in attendance

- 1. Shri Jose Colaco, Assistant Conservator of Forests, (WP)
- 2. Shri. Mangaldas Devsekar, Range Forest Officer, Panaji Goa.
- 3. Shri Gaurish Naik, Forest Surveyor (WP)
- Promod Naik, Field Surveyor, DSLR
- 5. Shri. Sandip Mandrekar, I/c Round Forester, Panaji Range

Objection from the villagers of Socorro Village of Bardez Taluka were heard individually. The Member Secretary informed the Review Committee that the notice for hearing dated 11/08/2023 was served to each objector through post, special messenger, also through telephone calls and messages.

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The Member Secretary informed that 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 number 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 is now placed before the Review Committee for public hearing on 18/08/2023.

The area qualified as private forest after field enumeration were verified in presence of the objectors. Field report along with copy of each such document / plan were shown to concerned objectors during hearing.

## Summary of hearing is as under:

Sr.	Name of the	Area	Objections query/	Observations/
No.	person		statements of the	comments of review
			Owners/objectors	committee
1.	Mr. Josepha	Survey	Has objected stating	Survey Number 249 of
	Bogito.	No. 249/3	there are shrubs and	Socorro Village of Bardez
	Wilson	of Socorro	bushes and no big	Taluka is provisionally
	D'souza	Village of	trees are available in	identified as Private
	represented	Bardez	his plot of land.	Forest by Thomas
	on Behalf of	Taluka		Committee.
	the objector			The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet with
				objection.
				Comments / Views /
				objection were recorded
				by the committee.

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2.	Mr. Arjun		-	
	Sidappa	249/1-C	1 1 2	
	Badiger.	of Socorro	outside the	Taluka is provisionally
	Present title		-	identified as Private
	holder Mr.	Bardez	Private Forest.	Forest by Thomas
	Mohammad	Taluka.		Committee.
	Anwar			The objector has signed
	Abbigiri of the			the attendance sheet and
	land has		-	accepted the findings of
	represented			the Review Committee in
	his case.			Survey no. 249 Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
3.	Mr. Mohan	Survey No	Objector was not	Survey Number 249 of
	Ladu Naik	249/1 of	present for hearing.	Socorro Village of Bardez
		Socorro	But he informed over	Taluka is provisionally
		Village of	telephone that he is	identified as Private
r		Bardez	not interested as he	Forest by Thomas
		Taluka.	had sold the plot.	Committee.
				The objector was not
				present for the hearing.
				Committee decided to give
				another chance during
				next hearing.
4.	Mr. Vijay V.	Survey No	Has no objection as	Survey Number 249 of
	Shetye	249/1 of	his property is	Socorro Village of Bardez
	Korgaonkar	Socorro	outside the	Taluka is provisionally
	and Gauri V.	Village of	qualifying area as	identified as Private
	Shetye	Bardez	Private Forest.	Forest by Thomas
	Korgaonkar	Taluka.		Committee.
				The objector has signed
	t:			the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of

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	1			the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
5.	Mr. Savio	Survey	Has no objection as	
5.	Vithu	Number	his property is	Socorro Village of Bardez
	Kauthankar	249/1 of		identified as Private
		Socorro	1 3 0	Forest by Thomas
		_	Private Forest.	Committee.
		Bardez		
		Taluka		The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
6.	Mr.	Survey	Has no objection as	
	Mohammad	Number	his property is	_
	Gowas	249/1-H	outside the	
	Khalifa	of Socorro	qualifying area as	
		Village of	Private Forest.	Forest by Thomas
		Bardez		Committee.
		Taluka		The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
7.	Mr. Mahesh	Survey	Has no objection as	Survey Number 249 of
	Nandlal	Number	his property is	Socorro Village of Bardez
	Maurya	249/1-A	outside the	Taluka is provisionally
		of Socorro	qualifying area as	identified as Private
		Village of	Private Forest.	

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		Bardez		
		Taluka		Committee.
				The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 of Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
8.	Mr. Suresh	Survey	Has no objection as	Survey Number 249 of
	Yamanappa	Number	his property is falling	Socorro Village of Bardez
	Kerkar	249/1-E	outside the	Taluka is provisionally
		of Socorro	qualifying area as	identified as Private
		Village of	Private Forest.	Forest by Thomas
L		Bardez		Committee.
		Taluka		The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
	,			the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 of Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
9.	Mr. Deepti	Survey	Has no objection as	Survey Number 249 of
	Deepesh	Number	his property is	Socorro Village of Bardez
	Manerkar	249/1-F	outside the	Taluka is provisionally
	E	of Socorro	qualifying area as	identified as Private
		Village of	Private Forest.	Forest by Thomas
		Bardez		Committee.
		Taluka		The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 of Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
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10.	Mr.	Survey	Has no objection as	Survey Number 249 of
10.	Chandrakant	Number	his property is	Socorro Village of Bardez
	B. Borkar	249/1-G	outside the	Taluka is provisionally
	B. Bornar	of Socorro	qualifying area as	identified as Private
		Village of		Forest by Thomas
		Bardez		Committee.
		Taluka		The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 of Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
11.	Mr. Tavaresh	Survey	No objection as his	Survey Number 249 ot
	B. Pujar	Number	property is outside	Socorro Village of Bardez
		249 of	the qualifying area as	Taluka is provisionally
		Socorro	Private Forest.	identified as Private
		Village of		Forest by Thomas
		Bardez		Committee.
		Taluka		The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
	+			accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 of Socorre
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
12	Mr. Amit	Survey No	Has no objection as	Survey Number 249 of
	Deepak Naik	249/1-I of	his property is	Socorro Village of Bardez
	1	Socorro	outside the	Taluka is provisionally
		Village of	qualifying area as	identified as Private
		Bardez	Private Forest.	Forest by Thomas
		Taluka		Committee.
				The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and

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				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 of Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
13	Mr. Ilahi	Survey	Has no objection as	Survey Number 249 of
	Hanil Panari	Number	his property is	Socorro Village of Bardez
		249/1-D	outside the	Taluka is provisionally
		of Socorro	qualifying area as	identified as Private
		Village of	Private Forest.	Forest by Thomas
		Bardez		Committee.
		Taluka		The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 of Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
14	Shri. Dawal	Survey No	Has no objection as	Survey Number 249 of
	Sayyed	249/2-A	his property is	Socorro Village of Bardez
	Nalband	of Socorro	outside the	Taluka is provisionally
		Village of	qualifying area as	identified as Private
		Bardez	Private Forest.	Forest by Thomas
		Taluka		Committee.
				The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 of Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
15	Shri. Mustafa	Survey No	Has no objection as	Survey Number 249 of
	Muzawar	249/2-B	his property is	Socorro Village of Bardez
		of Socorro	outside the	Taluka is provisionally
				identified as Private

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		Village of	qualifying area as	Forest by Thomas
		Bardez	Private Forest.	Committee.
		Taluka	Tilvate Porese.	The objector has signed
		Taluka		the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 of Socorro
ľ				Village of Bardez Taluka.
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16	Mrs. Kurusha	Survey No	No objection as her	
	Mudgad	249/2-G	property is outside	Socorro Village of Bardez
		of Socorro	the qualifying area as	Taluka is provisionally identified as Private
		_	Private Forest.	
		Bardez		Forest by Thomas
		Taluka		Committee.
				The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 of Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
17	Mr. Habib	Survey	No objection as his	
	Khan Pathan	Number	property is outside	Socorro Village of Bardez
		249/2-D	the qualifying area as	Taluka is provisionally
		of Socorro	Private Forest.	identified as Private
		Village of		Forest by Thomas
		Bardez		Committee.
		Taluka		The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249 of Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.

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18	Mrs. Muntaz	Survey No	Was not present for	Survey Number 249 of
	bi Nagpure	249/2 of		Socorro Village of Bardez
		Socorro	_	Taluka is provisionally
		Village of		identified as Private
		Bardez		Forest by Thomas
		Taluka		Committee.
				The objector was not
				present for the hearing.
			1	Committee decided to give
				another chance during
				next hearing.
19	Mr. Bismillah	Survey No	Objected stating that	Survey Number 249 of
	S. Sheikh	249/2 of	he has already	Socorro Village of Bardez
		Socorro	constructed a house	Taluka is provisionally
	1	Village of	and living in the area	identified as Private
		Bardez	identified as Private	Forest by Thomas
		Taluka	Forest.	Committee.
				The objector has signed
				the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
				Survey no. 249/2 of
				Socorro Village of Bardez
				Taluka.
				Comments/Views/objecti
			C.	on were recorded by the
				committee.
20	Mr. Vahid	Survey No	Has no objection as	
	Saheb Modin	249/2-C	his property is	Socorro Village of Bardez
1	Khaliph	of Socorro	outside the	Taluka is provisionally
				identified as Private
				identified as Private

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		Village of	qualifying area as	Forest by Thomas
		Bardez	Private Forest.	Committee.
		Taluka		The objector has signed
			-	the attendance sheet and
				accepted the findings of
				the Review Committee in
		φ.		Survey no. 249 of Socorro
				Village of Bardez Taluka.
21	Mr.	Survey No	Was not present for	Survey Number 249 of
	Sayedsaheb	249/2 of	hearing	Socorro Village of Bardez
	H. Shirhatti	Socorro		Taluka is provisionally
		Village of		identified as Private
		Bardez		Forest by Thomas
		Taluka		Committee.
				The objector was not
				present for the hearing.
				The committee decided to
				give one chance in the
				next hearing.

The Review Committee accordingly decided the following-

- Committee decided to give the additional points in Survey number 249 of Socorro village of Bardez Taluka for field verification to the Sub Committee.
- 2. Committee decided to give one opportunity to person who were not present for hearing.
- Committee finalizes an area of 0.7774 Ha. in survey number 249/1, 249/2, 249/2-E, 249/3, 249/6, 249/8, 249/9, 249/10, 249/11 of Socorro village of Bardez Taluka.

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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Rep of Additional Collector North (Revenue), Member Additional Collector South (Revenue), 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.

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