

MINUTES OF THE 35th MEETING OF THE NATIONAL COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY HELD ON 24.09.2018 AT NEW DELHI.

The 35th Meeting of the National Coastal Zone Management Authority (NCZMA) was held on 24.09.2018 under the chairmanship of Secretary (EF&CC). The list of participants, including members of NCZMA and the representatives from Coastal Zone Management Authorities in the State/UTs is given at **Annexure**. The deliberations held and decisions taken in the meeting are as under:

1. Presentation by Tamil Nadu Coastal Zone Management Authority on draft CZMPs of the Tamil Nadu:

Member Secretary, Tamil Nadu Coastal Zone Management Authority (TNCZMA) made a presentation on the draft Coastal Zone Management Plans (CZMPs) of Tamil Nadu. It was informed that the draft CZMP was published on 19.02.2018 for inviting suggestions/objections from stakeholders and public consultations were carried out during 12.04.2018 and 30.04.2018 in all 13 coastal districts. It was further informed that objections/suggestions received from various stake holders have been examined and suitably incorporated as admissible. TNCZMA has recommended the CZMPs and sent to the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change for approval.

2. Presentation by Daman & Diu Coastal Zone Management Authority on draft CZMP of Daman & Diu:

Secretary (Environment & Forest) and Chief Conservator of Forests, Union Territory Administration, Daman & Diu made a presentation on the draft Coastal Zone Management Plans (CZMPs) of Daman & Diu. The NCZMA was informed that the draft CZMP prepared by NCSCM, Chennai was published on 10.05.2018 for inviting suggestions/objections from stakeholders and public consultations were carried out, chaired by the Collectors of Daman and Diu. It was further informed that objections/suggestions received from various stake holders have been examined and issues flagged, were incorporated as admissible and deliberated during the meeting of the Technical Scrutiny meeting held in NCSCM during 11-12 September, 2019 under the Chairmanship of Dr. Shailesh Nayak, Ex-Secretary, Ministry of Earth Sciences. The aforesaid Committee had recommended the updated CZMP of Daman and Diu for presenting before the NCZMA for approval.

3. Presentation by Puducherry Coastal Zone Management Authority on draft CZMPs of Puducherry:

Secretary, Science & Technology and Environment, Government of Puducherry made a presentation and informed that the CZMPs of Puducherry has been prepared by Institute of Remote Sensing, Anna University for all the four regions of Puducherry viz. Puducherry, Karaikal, Mahe and Yanam. The NCZMA was informed that the draft CZMP was published

for inviting suggestions/objections from stakeholders and public consultations were carried out in all the four regions on varying dates i.e 14.03.2018, 28.03.2018, 06.04.2018 and 11.04.2018 respectively. It was further informed that objections/suggestions received from various stakeholders have been examined and issues flagged, were incorporated as admissible and deliberated during the 36th meeting of the PCZMA held on 27.07.2018. Thereafter the draft CZMPs were sent to NCSCM for technical evaluation. It was further informed that the draft CZMPs and proceedings of the Public Hearing and response received in writing were submitted to NCSCM and discussed in the meeting of the Technical Scrutiny Committee held in NCSCM Chennai on the 03.07.2018 and 31.07.2018. Necessary corrections suggested by the Committee were carried out and submitted to NCSCM and final approved draft CZMPs were handed over by NCSCM on 21.09.2018 for submission to MoEF&CC, GoI.

Decision of the NCZMA:

The CZMPs presented by the respective States/UT were deliberated upon and Director, NCSCM informed the NCZMA that the CZMPs are in order. Accordingly, the NCZMA approved the CZMPs of Tamil Nadu, Daman & Diu and Puducherry. The NCZMA further decided that the final printed version of the CZMPs shall be made available to the respective States/UTs for their safe custody and implementation thereof.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

ANNEXURE

LIST OF PARTICIPANTS

S.No.	Name of Participant	Organisation
1.	Shri C.K. Mishra, Secretary	MoEFCC, New Delhi
2.	Shri A K Mehta, Addl. Secretary	MoEFCC, New Delhi
3.	Shri Ritesh Kumar Singh, Joint Secretary	MoEFCC, New Delhi
4.	Dr. R. Ramesh, Director	NCSCM, Chennai
5.	Shri. A.Udhayan IFS, Director, Department of Environment	Government of Tamil Nadu
6.	Shri K. Ravichandaran, IFS, CCF& Secretary(E&F)	UT Admn. of Daman & Diu
7.	Shri P. Parthiban, Secretary (Science & Technology, Environment)	Government of Puducherry
8.	Shri P Vipin Babu	Scientist, PCZMA, Govt. of Puducherry
9.	Shri P .Pravin, ADG	ICAR, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, New Delhi
10.	Smt. Urmi Shrivastava	Director, Ministry of Defence, New Delhi
12.	Shri W. Bharat Singh, Addl. Director	MoEFCC, New Delhi
13.	Dr. Bhawna K. Negi, Technical Officer	MoEFCC, New Delhi