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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

FOREST CONSERVATION ORDINANCE

THE order under sub section 4(2) of the Forest Conservation Ordinance (Chapter 451) No. 16 of 1907, as amended by Act No. 13 of 1966 (reprint), No. 56 of 1979, No. 13 of 1982, No. 84 of 1988, No. 23 of 1995 and No. 65 of 2009.

The Order

By virtue of the powers vested in me under sub section 4(2) of the Forest Conservation Ordinance (Chapter 451) No. 16 of 1907, as amended by Act No. 13 of 1966 (reprint), No. 56 of 1979, No. 13 of 1982, No. 84 of 1988, No. 23 of 1995 and No. 65 of 2009, I, Minister of Wildlife and Forest Resources Conservation do by this Order release the block of forest lands of the extent of 155.3 hectares and bounded by the limits set forth in the Schedules 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 & 10 given below, of the Niliyamote 01 Reserved Forest of the extent of 1,199.1 hectares and was declared as a Reserved Forest by *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 2257/61 dated 10th December 2021, from the reserved status from 07th day of August, 2024.

PAVITHRA WANNIARACHCHI,

Minister of Wildlife and Forest Resources Conservation.

Ministry of Wildlife and Forest Resources Conservation, No. 07, Hector Kobbekaduwa Mawatha, Colombo 07, 07th day of August. 2024.



The state land of 3.0 hectares located within Vengalacheddikulam Divisional Secretary Division of Vavuniya District in the Northern Province of Sri Lanka located within the area depicted by the following geodesic coordinates (Survey method - Geodesic Coordinates EPSG: 5234 method).

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
1	140677	393720
2	140751	393699
3	140742	393639
4	140691	393593
5	140664	393579
6	140632	393576
7	140596	393544

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
8	140573	393526
9	140561	393485
10	140551	393478
11	140496	393493
12	140523	393653
13	140625	393616

The land area surrounded by the straight lines formed by joining the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 140677, Northern Coordinates 393720) up to the final point (Eastern Coordinates 140625, Northern Coordinates 393616) and from there again up to the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 140677, Northern Coordinates 393720).

Extent-3.0 hectares

SCHEDULE 02

The state land of 2.0 hectares located within Vengalacheddikulam Divisional Secretary Division of Vavuniya District in the Northern Province of Sri Lanka located within the area depicted by the following geodesic coordinates (Survey method - Geodesic coordinates EPSG: 5234 method).

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
1	141994	393877
2	142012	393765
3	142058	393666
4	141928	393662
5	141931	393715
6	141955	393824

The land area surrounded by the straight lines formed by joining the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 141994, Northern Coordinates 393877) up to the final point (Eastern Coordinates 141955, Northern Coordinates 393824) and from there again up to the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 141994, Northern Coordinates 393877).

Extent-2.0 hectares

The state land of 62.0 hectares located within Vengalacheddikulam Divisional Secretary Division of Vavuniya District in the Northern Province of Sri Lanka located within the area depicted by the following geodesic coordinates (Survey method - Geodesic Coordinates EPSG: 5234 method).

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
1	142102	393365
2	141849	392946
3	141659	392765
4	141401	392621
5	141206	392590
6	140959	392460
7	140898	392493
8	140931	392620
9	140943	392677

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
10	141023	392667
11	141064	392691
12	141188	392896
13	141334	392877
14	141278	393150
15	141325	393370
16	141560	393661
17	141546	393717

The land area surrounded by the straight lines formed by joining the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 142102, Northern Coordinates 393365) up to the final point (Eastern Coordinates 141546, Northern Coordinates 393717) and from there again up to the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 142102, Northern Coordinates 393365).

Extent - 62.0 hectares

SCHEDULE 04

The state land of 24.0 hectares located within Vengalacheddikulam Divisional Secretary Division of Vavuniya District in the Northern Province of Sri Lanka located within the area depicted by the following geodesic coordinates (Survey method - Geodesic coordinates EPSG: 5234 method).

Serial	Eastern	Northern
Number	Coordinates	Coordinates
1	142904	394273
2	143032	394061
3	143006	394024
4	143001	393875
5	142919	393778
6	142800	393656
7	142755	393679
8	142685	393629
9	142397	393788

Serial	Eastern	Northern
Number	Coordinates	Coordinates
10	142136	393927
11	142163	394008
12	142233	394104
13	142326	393935
14	142341	393975
15	142285	394124
16	142448	394303
17	142458	394228
18	142490	394185
	172770	374103

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
19	142406	394099
20	142388	394029
21	142499	393973
22	142609	393818
23	142763	393903
24	142853	394017
25	142813	394117

The land area surrounded by the straight lines formed by joining the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 142904, Northern Coordinates 394273) up to the final point (Eastern Coordinates 142813, Northern Coordinates 394117) and from there again up to the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 142904, Northern Coordinates 394273).

Extent-24.0 hectares

SCHEDULE 05

The state land of 4.0 hectares located within Vengalacheddikulam Divisional Secretary Division of Vavuniya District in the Northern Province of Sri Lanka located within the area depicted by the following geodesic coordinates (Survey method - Geodesic coordinates EPSG: 5234 method).

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
1	143084	392834
2	143031	392788
3	142912	392796
4	142855	392685
5	142826	392607
6	142790	392533
7	142746	392424

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
8	142694	392307
9	142660	392319
10	142733	392564
11	142828	392755
12	142874	392859
13	142963	392852
14	143023	392866

The land area surrounded by the straight lines formed by joining the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 143084, Northern Coordinates 392834) up to the final point (Eastern Coordinates 143023, Northern Coordinates 392866) and from there again up to the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 143084, Northern Coordinates 392834).

Extent - 4.0 hectares

SCHEDULE 06

The state land of 0.3 hectares located within Vengalacheddikulam Divisional Secretary Division of Vavuniya District in the Northern Province of Sri Lanka located within the area depicted by the following geodesic coordinates (Survey method - Geodesic coordinates EPSG: 5234 method).

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
1	143266	392951
2	143235	392921
3	143197	392936
4	143230	392993

The land area surrounded by the straight lines formed by joining the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 143266, Northern Coordinates 392951) up to the final point (Eastern Coordinates 143230, Northern Coordinates 392993) and from there again up to the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 143266, Northern Coordinates 392951).

Extent-0.3 hectares

The state land of 3.0 hectares located within Vengalacheddikulam Divisional Secretary Division of Vavuniya District in the Northern Province of Sri Lanka located within the area depicted by the following geodesic coordinates (Survey method - Geodesic coordinates EPSG: 5234 method).

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
1	142767	390644
2	142819	390629
3	142811	390471
4	142752	390434
5	142728	390414
6	142711	390389
7	142595	390447
8	142617	390538
9	142705	390513
10	142730	390555

The land area surrounded by the straight lines formed by joining the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 142767, Northern Coordinates 390644) up to the final point (Eastern Coordinates 142730, Northern Coordinates 390555) and from there again up to the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 142767, Northern Coordinates 390644).

Extent- 3.0 hectares

SCHEDULE 08

The state land of 28.0 hectares located within Vengalacheddikulam Divisional Secretary Division of Vavuniya District in the Northern Province of Sri Lanka located within the area depicted by the following geodesic coordinates (Survey method - Geodesic coordinates EPSG: 5234 method).

Serial	Eastern	Northern
Number	Coordinates	Coordinates
1	140998	390814
2	141351	390574
3	141315	390504
4	140858	390141
5	140512	390391

The land area surrounded by the straight lines formed by joining the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 140998, Northern Coordinates 390814) up to the final point (Eastern Coordinates 140512, Northern Coordinates 390391) and from there again up to the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 140998, Northern Coordinates 390814).

Extent- 28.0 hectares

The state land of 10.0 hectares located within Vengalacheddikulam Divisional Secretary Division of Vavuniya District in the Northern Province of Sri Lanka located within the area depicted by the following geodesic coordinates (Survey method - Geodesic coordinates EPSG: 5234 method).

Serial	Eastern	Northern
Number	Coordinates	Coordinates
1	142751	391305
2	142986	391255
3	142987	391201
4	142920	391180
5	142918	391127
6	142991	391103
7	142985	391035
8	142974	390891
9	142843	390919

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
10	142808	390842
11	142790	390794
12	142701	390868
13	142785	390950
14	142811	391054
15	142768	391077
16	142700	391026
17	142672	391098
18	142725	391251

The land area surrounded by the straight lines formed by joining the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 142751, Northern Coordinates 391305) up to the final point (Eastern Coordinates 142725, Northern Coordinates 391251) and from there again up to the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 142751, Northern Coordinates 391305).

Extent- 10.0 hectares

SCHEDULE 10

The state land of 19.0 hectares located within Vengalacheddikulam Divisional Secretary Division of Vavuniya District in the Northern Province of Sri Lanka located within the area depicted by the following geodesic coordinates (Survey method - Geodesic coordinates EPSG: 5234 method).

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
1	142499	391218
2	142573	391103
3	142537	390952
4	142387	390807
5	142313	390732
6	142273	390736
7	142181	390744
8	142059	390706

Serial Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
9	142014	390757
10	141867	390749
11	141859	390892
12	141998	390974
13	142171	391082
14	142296	391043
15	142435	391092

The land area surrounded by the straight lines formed by joining the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 142499, Northern Coordinates 391218) up to the final point (Eastern Coordinates 142435, Northern Coordinates 391092) and from there again up to the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 142499, Northern Coordinates 391218).

Extent- 19.0 hectares

