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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

FOREST CONSERVATION ORDINANCE

THE order under Section 3 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 Section 3 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, the Minister of Environment do by this Order declare the state land of the extent 0.36 hectare located in the area bounded by the limits set forth in the Schedule given below, as **Kusala Mangrove Reserved Forest** from 26th day of July 2025.

DAMMIKA PATABENDI,Minister of Environment.

At Karamba, Kalpitiya Lagoon Belt, 26th July, 2025.



SCHEDULE

The state land of 0.36 hectare located within Arachchikattuwa Divisional Secretary's Division of Puttalam District in the Northwestern Province of Sri Lanka located within the area depicted by the following geodesic coordinates (Survey method - Geodesic Coordinates EPSG: 5234 method).

Coordinate	Eastern	Northern
Number	Coordinates	Coordinates
1	92927	271159
2	92932	271161
3	92937	271159
4	92940	271154
5	92942	271146
6	92942	271141
7	92945	271137
8	92946	271131
9	92944	271125
10	92941	271117
11	92939	271112
12	92933	271110
13	92929	271104
14	92928	271098
15	92916	271090
16	92915	271081
17	92913	271078
18	92914	271077
19	92917	271076
20	92918	271080
21	92923	271080
22	92929	271079
23	92933	271077
24	92935	271074
25	92942	271066

Coordinate Number	Eastern Coordinates	Northern Coordinates
26	92941	271062
27	92941	271060
28	92942	271057
29	92940	271057
30	92938	271055
31	92937	271053
32	92938	271052
33	92935	271030
34	92933	271040
35	92933	271047
36	92930	271046
37	92924	271048
38	92922	271046
39	92921	271047
40	92919	271051
41	92916	271055
42	92915	271054
43	92911	271056
44	92910	271060
45	92910	271065
46	92912	271072
47	92912	271074
48	92909	271071
49	92907	271069
50	92902	271068

Coordinate	Eastern	Northern
Number	Coordinates	Coordinates
51	92899	271070
52	92897	271072
53	92893	271075
54	92892	271079
55	92893	271081
56	92892	271083
57	92890	271086
58	92890	271093
59	92892	271098
60	92894	271100
61	92893	271102
52	92894	271106
63	92896	271108
64	92897	271111
65	92899	271111
66	92898	271117
67	92900	271121
68	92900	271126
69	92906	271134
70	92917	271145
71	92920	271150
72	92923	271156

The land area surrounded by the straight lines formed by joining the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 92927, Northern Coordinates 271159) up to the final point (Eastern Coordinates 92923, Northern Coordinates 271156) and from there again up to the starting point (Eastern Coordinates 92927, Northern Coordinates 271159).

Extent - 0.36 hectare

FOREST CONSERVATION ORDINANCE

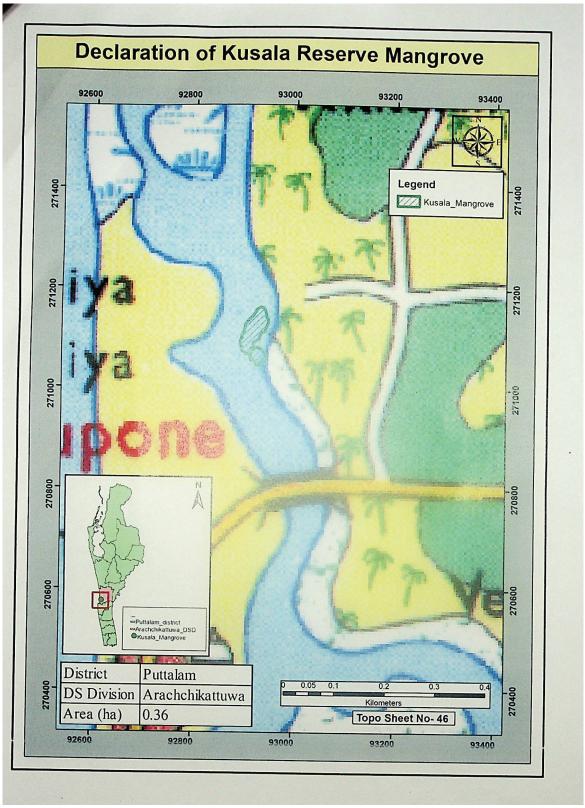
Notification

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 63 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

2009,1 do by this notification notify that the Kusala Mangrove Reserved Forest mentioned in the above order is subjected to the sole control of the Conservator General of Forests.

DAMMIKA PATABENDI,Minister of Environment.

At Karamba Kalpititya lagoon Belt, 26th July, 2025.



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