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Dated: 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2021

To,

**The Member Secretary,  
Andaman & Nicobar Coastal Zone Management Authority,  
Department of Environment & Forests,  
Van Sadan, Haddo, Port Blair-744101**

**Subject: Island Coastal Regulation Zone Plans of Great Nicobar Island as per  
ICRZ Notification, 2019 -regarding.**

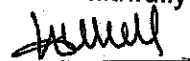
Sir,

This has reference to letter No. PCCF/EPA/1/Vol-XVI/493, dated 24/02/2021 furnishing therein the Island Coastal Regulation Zone (ICRZ) Plans of Great Nicobar Island, drawn as per the provisions of the Island Coastal Regulation Zone (ICRZ) Notification, 2019.

2. In this regard, it is to state that based on recommendation of the National Coastal Zone Management Authority in its 42<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 23/03/2021, the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change hereby conveys its approval of the ICRZ Plans for the Great Nicobar Island. Further, it is to inform that all proposals received henceforth for ICRZ clearance shall be considered as per ICRZ Notification, 2019 only. However, pending proposals under IPZ Notification 2011, if any, may be considered at the discretion of project proponent.

This issues with the approval of the Hon'ble Minister, EFCC.

Yours faithfully,




(Dr. H. Kharkwal)  
Additional Director /  
Scientist 'E' & MS CRZ

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1. The Chief Secretary, Andaman & Nicobar Administration, Department of Environment & Forests, Van Sadan, Haddo, Port Blair-744101
2. The Deputy Director General of Forests (C), Integrated Regional Office, Chennai, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, I and II Floor, Handloom Export Promotion Council, 34, Cathedral Garden Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai - 600034, Tamil Nadu



Letter sent by Speed Post on 02/6/21. 

3. The Director, National Centre for Sustainable Coastal Management, Anna University, Chennai - 600025, Tamil Nadu
4. Office copy/Guard file



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