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महाराष्ट्र शासन राजपत्र, दिनांक ४, १९७५/अप्र. १२: शके १८९७  
REVENUE AND FORESTS DEPARTMENT  
Sac: Talaya, Bombay 400 032, dated 22nd November 1975.

610 WILD LIFE (PROTECTION) ACT, 1972.

No. PGS. 1375/121758-FL—Whereas it appears to the Government of Maharashtra that the area specified in the Schedule appended hereto (hereinafter referred to as "the said area") is by reason of its ecological, faunal and floral importance, needed to be constituted as a National Park for the purpose of protecting, propogating or developing wild life therein or its environment;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 35 of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 (53 of 1972), the Government of Maharashtra, hereby,

- (1) declares its intention to constitute the said area as a National Park; and
- (2) defines the limits thereof, as set out in the Schedule appended hereto.

SCHEDULE पेच. रा. ३  
~~National Park, Talaya Division~~

Situation and limits of the  
(i) Names of the Forest Ranges included in the National Park. Deolapar and Khapa.

(ii) Names of the villages and Forest Compartments included in the National Park.  
(i) Reserved Forest Compartment Nos. 511, 513 to 520, 521 Part Mouza Bodalzira, 552, 561 to 564, 565 Mouza Phulzadi, 566 to 575, 661 to 694.

(ii) Mouza Bodalzira (Part of Compartment No. 521 admeasuring 49.31 hectre).

(iii) Protected Forest of Ghatpendri Village.

| Forest Survey Numbers | Area (hectres) |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| 1/1                   | 8.692          |
| 9/1                   | 5.746          |
| 9/11                  | 0.660          |
| 20/1                  | 18.400         |
| 22/1                  | 10.230         |
| 23/1                  | 10.133         |
| 111/1                 | 59.941         |
| 117                   | 3.217          |
| 1/6                   | 1.497          |
| 111/2                 | 0.509          |
| 102/2                 | 0.420          |

Total 118.245

118.845

(iii) Area of National Park. 257.26 square kilo metres.

(iv) Boundaries of the National Park. On the north—Madhya Pradesh State boundary.

On the east—Compartment Numbers 510, 512, 506, Bakhari Compartment Nos. 576, 577 Khapa, Sillari and Pipariya.

On the south—Ghoti, Mohagan, Tayapar, Compartment Nos. 560, 554, 553 mouza Kirsingisara, Kollimara, Surera, Narabar and Dhawalpar.

On the west—Compartment Nos. 659, 660, 697 and 694.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra.

I. M. QURESHI,  
Deputy Secretary to Government.



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**GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA'S ORDER DECLARING  
PENCH TIGER RESERVE**

**GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA**

Revenue and Forests Department  
Mantralaya, Mumbai - 400 032.

Resolution No. WLP-1095/CR-11-/F-1  
Dated : 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 1999

- READ : 1) Letter of Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) No. D-23(A)/C.No. 543/2322/98-99,  
dated 14<sup>th</sup> October, 1998.
- 2) Letter of Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) No. D-23(A)/C.N. 543/2532/98-99,  
dated 10<sup>th</sup> November, 1998.
- 3) Government letter of even number dated 14<sup>th</sup> January, 1999.
- 4) Letter of Joint Director, Project Tiger, Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests No. 1-1/96-PT, dated 18<sup>th</sup> January, 1999.

**RESOLUTION**

The Government of India has communicated its approval to the declaration of Pench Tiger Reserve comprising of the areas (257.26 sq.km.) of existing Pench National Park as the third Tiger Reserve in the State under Project Tiger subject to certain conditions vide its letter referred to at Sr.No. 4. The Government of India will provide 50% financial assistance for approved recurring items and 100% financial assistance for non-recurring items with the condition that the entire cost of salary of the staff employed in the Reserve will be born by the State Government. The Government of Maharashtra is now please to declare the area constituted by the Pench National Park as the third Tiger Reserve in the State under Project Tiger

2. The Government is also pleased to designate the Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) Nagpur as ex-officio Field Director of the Pench Tiger Reserve.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra.

Sd/-  
(V.R. Tiwari)  
Officer on Special Duty  
Revenue and Forests  
Department

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA'S ORDER DECLARING PENCH TIGER RESERVE

F-No. 1-1/96-PT  
Government of India  
Ministry of Environment & Forests  
(PROJECTOR TIGER)

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Annexe No. 5, Bikaner House  
Sahajahan Road, New Delhi-110011  
Dated 18<sup>th</sup> Jan. 1999

To,

The Chief Wildlife Warden,  
Government of Maharashtra,  
Civil Lines,  
Nagpur

Subject: Establishment of Pench Tiger Reserve, Nagpur District in Maharashtra.

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Sir,

I am directed to convey the approval of the Government of India for establishment of Pench Tiger Reserve under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme "Project Tiger" over 257.26 sq.km. area of existing Pench National Park in District Nagpur, Maharashtra as per proposal received from the State Government of Maharashtra vide their letter No. D-23(5)/C. N. 543/2531/98-99 dated 10<sup>th</sup> November 1998. The entire area of the designated Pench Tiger Reserve under "Project Tiger" shall be placed under the unified control of a Field Director and the name and bio-data of the incumbent for the post may be sent to this Ministry for approval. A copy of the Guidelines for execution of the "Project Tiger" by the State is enclosed for your guidance.

The Government of India will provide 50% financial assistance for approved recurring items and 100% financial assistance for non-recurring items with the condition that the entire cost of salary of the staff employed in the Reserve will be borne by the State Government.

For posting and transfer of the Field Director, a prior approval of Government of India will be obtained by the State Government.

The State Government of Maharashtra issue notification declaring Pench as Tiger Reserve under "Project Tiger Scheme" and a copy of the same be sent to this office.

The guidelines on Project Tiger issued by the MoEF from time to time will have to be adhered to.

Encl.: As above.

Yours faithfully,  
Sd/-  
(ANOOP BADHWA)  
JOINT DIRECTOR,  
PROJECT TIGER



**NOTIFICATION**

Revenue and Forest Department  
Mantralaya, Mumbai-400032  
Dated the 20<sup>th</sup> June 2000

**Wild Life**  
**(Protection)**  
**Act 1972**

No. WLP-10-2000/CR-6/F-1.—Whereas by Government Notification Revenue and Forest Department No. PGS-1375/121758/F-1, dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 1975, issued under sub sections (1) and (2) of section 35 of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 ( 53 of 1972), the Government of Maharashtra has declared its intention to constitute the area specified in the Schedule thereto appended as National Park to be known as the "Pench National Park" and had defined the limits thereof ;

And whereas the period for preferring the claims had elapsed, and all claims made in relation to the lands in an area intended to be declared as a National Park to be known as "Pench National Park" have been disposed of the State Government ;

And whereas all rights in respect of lands proposed to be included in the National Park to be known as "Pench National Park", have become vested in the State Government.

Now therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (4) of section 35 of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 (53 of 1972), the Government of Maharashtra hereby—

- (a) specifies the limits of the area, as specified in Schedule appended hereto which shall be comprised within the National Park to be known as "Pench National Park" ;
- (b) declares that, on and from the date of publication of this notification in the *Official Gazette* the said area shall be a National Park, to be known as "Pench National Park".

## SCHEDULE

### Situation and limits of the "Pench National Park"

- 1) Name of Forest Range and Division included in the National Park East and West Pench Ranges of Pench National Park Division
- 2) Particulars of Reserve Forest included in the National Park As per Annexure
- 3) Boundaries of National Park :-

North :- Madhya Pradesh State Boundary

East :- Eastern outer boundary of compartments no. 511, 513, 514, 515, 533, 534, 574, 575, 573, 571, 569 and 568

South :- Southern outer boundary of compartments no. 568, 567, 566, 564, 562, 561, 552, 667, 666, 665, 664, 662 and 661

West :- Western outer boundary of compartments no. 661, 693, 694, 691, 690, 689, 685, 680, 678, 676 and 677

## ANNEXURE

### Details of Reserve Forest included in the Pench National Park

| Sr. No. | Compartment No. | Area in Ha. | Remarks   |
|---------|-----------------|-------------|---|
| (1)     | (2)             | (3)         | (4)   |
| 1       | 511 ✓           | 388.498     |   |
| 2       | 513 ✓           | 358.956     |   |
| 3       | 514 ✓           | 337.508     |   |
| 4       | 515 ✓           | 326.581     |   |
| 5       | 516 ✓           | 312.013     | Partly under submergence                                      |
| 6       | 517 ✓           | 301.086     | As above  |
| 7       | 518 ✓           | 283.685     |   |
| 8       | 519 ✓           | 309.180     | Partly under submergence                                      |
| 9       | 520 ✓           | 168.754     | As above  |
| 10      | 521 ✓           | 193.440     | Includes village area of Bodalzira/ totally under submergence |
| 11      | 522 ✓           | 237.550     | Totally under submergence                                     |
| 12      | 523 ✓           | 242.811     | Partly under submergence                                      |
| 13      | 524 ✓           | 282.066     | Totally under submergence                                     |
| 14      | 525 ✓           | 299.872     | Partly under submergence                                      |

| (1) | (2)   | (3)     | (4)                                      |
|-----|-------|---------|--|
| 15  | 526 ✓ | 303.110 | As above                                 |
| 16  | 527 ✓ | 231.076 | Totally under submergence                |
| 17  | 528 ✓ | 285.708 | Partly under submergence                 |
| 18  | 529 ✓ | 307.561 | As above                                 |
| 19  | 530 ✓ | 305.943 | As above                                 |
| 20  | 531 ✓ | 307.966 |  |
| 21  | 532 ✓ | 226.624 |  |
| 22  | 533 ✓ | 289.350 |  |
| 23  | 534 ✓ | 280.042 |  |
| 24  | 535 ✓ | 273.163 |  |
| 25  | 536 ✓ | 265.474 |  |
| 26  | 537 ✓ | 263.450 |  |
| 27  | 538 ✓ | 267.093 |  |
| 28  | 539 ✓ | 268.307 |  |
| 29  | 540 ✓ | 265.474 |  |
| 30  | 541 ✓ | 271.544 |  |
| 31  | 542 ✓ | 241.193 |  |
| 32  | 543 ✓ | 353.291 |  |
| 33  | 544 ✓ | 314.441 |  |
| 34  | 545 ✓ | 290.969 |  |
| 35  | 546 ✓ | 281.256 |  |
| 36  | 547 ✓ | 26.304  | Partly under submergence                 |
| 37  | 548 ✓ | 272.758 | As above                                 |
| 38  | 549 ✓ | 191.012 | As above                                 |
| 39  | 550 ✓ | 232.694 | As above                                 |
| 40  | 551 ✓ | 300.277 | As above                                 |
| 41  | 552 ✓ | 274.377 |  |
| 42  | 561 ✓ | 204.771 |  |
| 43  | 562 ✓ | 244.430 |  |
| 44  | 563 ✓ | 271.949 |  |
| 45  | 564 ✓ | 292.992 |  |
| 46  | 565 ✓ | 44.515  | Excluding area of village <u>Fulzari</u> |
| 47  | 566 ✓ | 171.577 |  |
| 48  | 567 ✓ | 277.210 |  |
| 49  | 568 ✓ | 284.089 |  |
| 50  | 569 ✓ | 261.831 |  |
| 51  | 570 ✓ | 262.236 |  |
| 52  | 571 ✓ | 295.016 |  |
| 53  | 572 ✓ | 272.758 |  |
| 54  | 573 ✓ | 277.210 |  |
| 55  | 574 ✓ | 163.088 |  |
| 56  | 575 ✓ | 185.346 |  |
| 57  | 661 ✓ | 531.769 |  |
| 58  | 662 ✓ | 363.408 |  |



| (1) | (2)   | (3)                             | (4)                      |
|-----|-------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 59  | 663 ✓ | 357.337                         |                          |
| 60  | 664 ✓ | 347.220                         |                          |
| 61  | 665 ✓ | 256.571                         | Partly under submergence |
| 62  | 666 ✓ | 321.320                         |                          |
| 63  | 667 ✓ | 358.551                         |                          |
| 64  | 668 ✓ | 283.280                         | Partly under submergence |
| 65  | 669 ✓ | 301.491                         | As above                 |
| 66  | 670 ✓ | 307.156                         | As above                 |
| 67  | 671 ✓ | 397.401                         | As above                 |
| 68  | 672 ✓ | 341.555                         |                          |
| 69  | 673 ✓ | 246.453                         |                          |
| 70  | 674 ✓ | 269.925                         |                          |
| 71  | 675 ✓ | 273.972                         |                          |
| 72  | 676 ✓ | 362.193                         |                          |
| 73  | 677 ✓ | 273.972                         |                          |
| 74  | 678 ✓ | 242.811                         |                          |
| 75  | 679 ✓ | 318.488                         |                          |
| 76  | 680 ✓ | 369.073                         |                          |
| 77  | 681 ✓ | 308.371                         |                          |
| 78  | 682 ✓ | 205.580                         |                          |
| 79  | 683 ✓ | 369.883                         |                          |
| 80  | 684 ✓ | 286.517                         |                          |
| 81  | 685 ✓ | 342.364                         |                          |
| 82  | 686 ✓ | 415.612                         |                          |
| 83  | 687 ✓ | 280.447                         |                          |
| 84  | 688 ✓ | 358.147                         |                          |
| 85  | 689 ✓ | 239.979                         |                          |
| 86  | 690 ✓ | 293.397                         |                          |
| 87  | 691 ✓ | 317.678                         |                          |
| 88  | 692 ✓ | 231.885                         |                          |
| 89  | 693 ✓ | 267.497                         |                          |
| 90  | 694 ✓ | 329.414                         |                          |
|     | Total | 25512.192 Ha. or 255.12 sq. km. |                          |

Reserve Forest Area of Pench National Park :- 255.12 sq. km. ✓ + 1.19

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

*Sanjeev Gaur*  
(SANJEEV GAUR)  
Officer on Special Duty to Government

*Narhar*  
① Amti  
② Narhar  
③ Surera.  
④ Kshitmaria.