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To

All Chief Conservators of Forests All Conservators of Forests All Divisional Forest Officers All Wildlife Wardens

Sir,

Sub:- Kerala Forests & Wildlife Department – Closure of all Ecotourism Sites, Nature Camps and any other activities involving gathering of people -Orders issued – Regarding.

Ref: ..

In view of the prevailing COVID 19 disease because of corona virus in the country in general and Kerala in particular and the strategy to avoid assembly of the people to contain the spread, it has been decided to close all Ecotourism destinations in Wildlife as well as in any other forest areas for tourists. Nature awareness camps and any other activities involving a group of people in the forest area will also remain closed. The order is applicable from immediate effect till 31st March 2020. If necessitated, the same will be extended further in due course of time.

All Divisional Forest Officers and Wildlife Wardens are requested to be alert and take sufficient precautions against COVID 19 in case any person working in Forest establishment, whether permanent or temporary show symptoms of the disease.

Surendra Kumar PCCF (WL) & Chief Wildlife Warden, Kerala

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