

# NOTIFICATION OF KOTTIYOOR RESERVED FOREST

## NOTIFICATION

Fort St.George, November 22, 1905

No.444

The Government in council is pleased to declare, under the provisions of section 16 of the Madras Forest Act, 1882 (Madras Act V of 1882), that, from the 1<sup>st</sup> March, 1906, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule annexed to this notification shall be a "reserved forest".

### SCHEDULE

<i>District</i>	<i>Taluk</i>	<i>Amsam</i>	<i>Desam</i>	<i>No. of block</i>	<i>Name of block</i>
Malabar	Kottayam	Manathana	Manathana	35	Kottiyur

### BOUNDARIES

**North:** Starting from the point where Cheenkannipoya crosses the boundary between Coorg and Kottayam Taluk, the boundary runs along that boundary to the Coorg-Kottayam-Wynad trijunction.

**East:** Thence it runs along the boundary between the Wynaad and Kottayam Taluks to the point where that boundary is crossed by the Kuppatran Kunduthodu.

**South:** Thence along the right bank of the Kuppatran or Kunduthodu to the junction of this thodu with the Kuradenpoya; thence along the right bank of the latter to its junction with the Eduvaranthodu.

**West:** Thence the boundary runs along the left bank of the Eduvaranthodu for a distance of about three miles in a north-north easterly direction and crosses it reaching cairn No.1 at the point near its source where it is joined by the Kotancherithodu; thence north-north-west for twenty-two yards to cairn No.2; thence north-north-east for forty-three yards to cairn No.3; thence north-east for thirty-three yards to cairn

No.4; thence east-north-east for one hundred yards to cairn No.5 and on in the same direction for twenty yards to cairn No.6; thence north-east for fifty yards to cairn No.7 thence due north for twenty-seven yards to cairn No.8 thence north-north-east for fifty-two yards to cairn No.9 and on in the same direction for sixty four yards to cairn No.10 crossing Vadarathode; thence due north for forty-one yards to cairn No.11 thence north-west for fifty yards to cairn No.12; thence north-north-west for twenty two yards to cairn No.13; thence north-north-east for forty-seven yards to cairn No.14; thence north-west for fifty nine yards across a jungle stream to cairn No.15; thence due north for seventy-three yards to cairn No.16; thence north-north-east for sixty six yards to cairn No.17 and on in the same direction for fifty-seven yards to cairn No.18; thence due north for thirty-three yards to cairn No.19; thence north-north-west for fifty-three yards to cairn No.20; thence due to north for twenty-six yards to cairn No.21; and on in the same direction for forty-four yards to cairn No.22; thence north-north-west for forty-seven yards to cairn No.23; thence due north for fifty-four yards to cairn No.24; thence north-north-east for seventy yards to cairn No.25; thence north-north-west for ninety-four yards to cairn No.26; thence north-west for sixty-two yards to cairn No.27; thence to west-north-west for seventy-six yards to cairn No.28; thence west-south-west for forty-four yards to cairn No.29; thence west-north-west for fifty-five yards to cairn No.30; thence north-west for forty-three yards to cairn No.31 and on in the same direction for thirty-six yards to cairn No.32; thence due west for twenty-eight yards to cairn No.33; and on in the direction for fifty-seven yards to cairn No.34; thence west-north-west for fifty-three yards to cairn No.35; thence north-west for forty-nine yards to cairn No.36; thence west-north-west for seventy-six yards to cairn No.37; thence due north for forty-six yards to cairn No.38; and on in the same direction for fifty-five yards to cairn No.39; thence north-north-west for thirty-three yards to cairn No.40; and on in the same direction for forty-six yards to cairn No.41 on the right bank of Kumbanthodu near its source, thence along the right bank of the Kumbanthodu to its junction with the Chavachithodu; thence across the Chavachithodu and along its right bank upto its junction with the Cheenkannipoya; thence along the left bank of the latter to the starting point.

Remarks: The following right of way is allowed within the reserve to a width of twelve feet for men and cattle.

Public path from the Wynad to the Kottiyur temple. It enters the reserve nine hundred yards north of the point where the boundary between the Wynaad and the Kottayam Taluks is crossed by the Kuppattran or Kunduthodu, runs in a west-north-westerly direction and quits the reserve at the ford called Eruthukadave across the Kuradanpoya at the point where that river is joined by the Analikulithodue from the south. The length of the path within the reserve is three miles and one and half-furlongs.

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Asst. Secretary to Government.

Notification under section 4 was published at page 4 of Fort St.George Gazette 8<sup>th</sup> December 1903 (G.O. No.1255 Rev., dated, 7<sup>th</sup> December 1903).

Date from which the reservation was given effect to	01-03-1906
No. and date of Government Notification	444 dated, 22-11-1905
Page No. and date of Fort St.George Gazette	1002 dated, 28-11-1905
B.P. No.	271 dated, 06-12-1905
G.O. No.	1137 dated, 22-11-1905
Area as per section 16 Notification	13715.00 acres.