

## 9. NULPUZHA RESERVED FOREST

### Limits of the Nulpuzha Reserved Forest redefined

Fort St. George, 2nd December 1940.

No. 962 :—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (4) of section 17 A of the Madras Forest Act 1882 (Madras Act V of 1882) His Excellency the Governor of Madras is hereby pleased to redefine the limits of Nulpuzha reserved forests, Wynaad taluk, Malabar district, so as to remove the defects in the description of the limits of the said forest in Revenue Department Notification No. 160, dated the 8th June 1885, published at page 422 of Part I of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated the 23rd June 1885, by making the following correction to the limits of the said forest:—

#### Correction

For the existing schedule, substitute the following schedule, namely:

#### Schedule

District—Malabar, Taluk—Wynaad, Amsom and Desom—Nulpuzha  
Name of forest: Nulpuzha Reserved Forest—Area 3892.63 acres

(D. Dis. 3016/42) Boundaries

#### Boundaries

North :—Starting from the south-west corner of Sy. No. 567 of Nulpuzha desom (on the eastern side of sub division No.719 of the Sultans Battery—Nellakotta road) the south sides of Sy.Nos. 567, 582, 567 again 599, 613, 617, 618, 619, and 641 to the westernmost corner of Sy.No.645, thence the west sides of Sy. Nos. 645 and 657, north side of Sy. No. 662, east, north and west sides of Sy. No. 663, north side of Sy. No. 662 again, the east, north and west sides of Sy. No. 664, north and west sides of Sy. No. 665 and 666, south side of Sy. No.667, the west side of Sy. No. 668, the north, west and south sides of Sy. No. 669, west and south sides of Sy.No.672, west sides of Sy.Nos.674 and 673, the south sides of Sy.Nos.675 and 676, the south-east and north sides of Sy.No.675, again, the east sides of Sy.Nos. 674, 672 and 670 the south, east and north sides of Sy.No.671, the east sides of Sy.No.670 and 662, the south side of Sy. No.705-5, the south and the east sides of Sy.No.660, the south sides of Sy. Nos.658 and 705-4, the south side of Sy.No.656, the south and east, sides of Sy. Nos.655, 654 and 653, the west, south and east sides of Sy.No.652, the east side of Sy.No. 656 again the south side of Sy.No.649, west and south sides of Sy.No.651, the south sides of Sy.No.649, again the south sides of Sy.Nos.648 and 647, to the south-east corner of the latter on the east margin of the Naikatti-Mudumalai road.

East :— Thence the east margin of the said road to the northernmost corner of Sy. No. 347, thence its north and east sides to its southernmost corner on the Naikatti-Mudumalai road; thence the east margin of the said road to the north west corner of Sy. No. 685, thence the west sides of Sy.Nos. 685, 704, 702, 701, 700, 705-2, 694, 692, 693 and 691-1B, the north, west and south sides of

Sy. No.691-2A, the west side of Sy.Nos. 691-IC, 689, 691 ID, 705-3, 687 and 684, to the Nilgiri District boundary (Gudalur taluk).

South :—Thence the said district boundary to the east margin of Sultans Battery-Nellakotta road (sub division No. 745).

West :—Thence the said margin of the said road (Sy.Nos.745, 744 and 743, part of Nulpuzha desom) to the south-west corner of Sy. No. 681, thence the south sides of Sy.No.681, the east sides of Sy.No.679, the east, north and west sides of Sy.No.677, and the north sides of Sy.No.679, to the east margin of the Sultan Battery Nellakotta road (Sy.No.739). Thence the east margin of the said road (Sy.Nos.739 part to 719) to the starting point.

Note:—The reserve comprises the whole of Sy.Nos.705-1,347,348, 691-1A, 706, 682, 683 and 707 of Nulpuzha desom.

*Remarks* :—(A) The following rights of way are admitted within the reserve :

- (1) Road from Naikatti to Mudumalai passing through this reserve along the eastern boundary is open to people, cattle and carts. It is 10 yards wide and 1 mile 5 furlongs and 4 chains in length. It enters the reserve at the south-east corner of Sy.No.647 of Nulpuzha desom, runs generally in a south-easterly direction and leaves the reserve at the north-west corner of Sy.No.685 of Nulpuzha desom.
- (2) Sultans Battery Nellakotta deviation road, passing through this reserve is open to people, cattle and carts. It is 10 yards wide and 3 furlongs and 9 chains in length. It enters the reserve, 4 chains north from the westernmost corner of Sy.No.706 of Nulpuzha desom, runs generally northwards for 1 furlong and 1 chain and thence generally southwards for 2 furlongs and 8 chains and leaves the reserve at the north-west corner of Sy. No. 744 of Nulpuzha desom.

(B) The Jain and Bet kurumbars residing in this reserve are permitted to continue therein and enjoy their present privileges until they have been provided for elsewhere. In the meantime, they will be tenants-at-will of the Forest Department.

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## **Areas to cease to be Reserved Forests**

Fort St.George December 16, 1939.

No.12:- In exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 of the Madras Act (Madras Act V of 1882) His Excellency the Governor of Madras is hereby pleased to declare that the area specified in the schedule below which was declared to be reserved forest under section 16 of the said Act in Revenue Department Notification No.160, dated 8<sup>th</sup> June 1885, published at page 422 of Part I of the Fort St.George Gazette, dated 25<sup>th</sup> June 1885, shall cease to be reserved forest with effect on and from the date of publication of this notification.

### **Schedule**

District – Malabar, Taluk – Wayanad, Amsom and desom – Nulpuzha.  
(Name of Reserve or portion of reserve disreserved – Nulpuzha (portion) area – Survey No.691/2 A 1.46 acres).

### **Boundaries**

The area comprises the whole of survey No.691/2A of Nulpuzha desom included within the limits of the notified boundary of Nulpuzha reserved forest.

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