

## **PUBLIC NOTIFICATION**

**Rc.No.188/2013/L1/CRZ, Dt.01-01-2018**

The Government of India issued notification dated 06-01-2011 of Ministry of Environment and Forests, for regulation of Coastal areas covered in the Coastal Regulation Zone. Subsequently, the Government of India has issued instructions directing the A.P. State Coastal Zone Management Authority (APSCZMA) to submit the draft Coastal Zone Management Plans (CZMPs) of the state since the validity of existing CZMPs are valid only up to 31-01-2015. All development activities in the Coastal Regulation Zone (CRZ) area are required to be taken up within the framework of approved Coastal Zone Management Plan (CZMP) only. The Government also issued the Procedure and Guidelines on the preparation of Coastal Zone Management Plans in the Notification.

The preparation of CZMP from Gangavaram Port in Pedagantyada (M) to Konada (V) in Bhogapuram (M) to a length of 70 KMs has been issued to the VUDA. The Hon'ble Minister for Science and Technology, Government of India, directed the District Coastal Zone Management Authority (DCZMA) for requisition of the services of the National Institute of Oceanography (NIO), being the premier institute specialized in demarcation work and have requisite experience of carrying out such works along the coast of the State and whose regional office is located at Visakhapatnam, to take up the preparation of CZMP for the city area, i.e. from Gangavaram Port to Konada (V) in Bhogapuram (M).

Accordingly, the NIO authorities have agreed for the preparation of CZMPs and they have submitted the Final Draft CZMP Report. The salient features of the final Draft CZMP Report are as follows:

1. **Area** : From Gangavaram Port in Pedagantyada (M) of Visakhapatnam District to Konada (V) in Bhogapuram (M) of Vizianagaram District.
2. **Length of Coastal Belt** : 70 KMs.
3. **Mandals Covered** : Bhogapuram, Pusapatirega and Denkada Mandals in Vizianagaram District.

Bhimunipatnam, Visakhapatnam Rural, Visakhapatnam Urban, Gajuwaka and Pedagantyada Mandals in Visakhapatnam District.

**4 Villages Covered :** Konada, Cherukupalli, Gudivada, Kancherupalem, Lakshmipuram, Munjeru, Subbannapeta, Kancheru, Kotabhogapuram, Kongavanipalem, Nandigam, Nadipalli, Nathavalasa in Vizianagaram District.

Annaram, Chepaluppada, Chippada, Chittivalasa, Kapuluppada, Kummaripalem, Mulakuddu, Nagarapalem, Nerelavalasa, Tagarapuvalasa, Tatituru, Kummaripalem Valandubhumulu, Bhemmuniapatnam Town wards in Visakhapatnam District.

Chinagadili, Yendada, Madhurawada, Pullambhotlapalem, Rushikonda, Mindi, Yarada, Dolphin Nose, Nellimukku, Pedagantyada and Visakhapatnam City wards.

As per the Guidelines issued in the CRZ Notification 2011 and as per the Minutes of the Meeting of DCZMA the Public Notification on the Final Draft CZMP Report has to be issued by placing it in Public Domain seeking objections and suggestions from the general public.

Accordingly, the final Draft Coastal Zone Management Plans (CZMP) are placed the websites, [www.visakhapatnam.nic.in](http://www.visakhapatnam.nic.in) and [www.vuda.gov.in](http://www.vuda.gov.in). The Draft CZMP Report is also displayed at District Collector office, Visakhapatnam Notice Board and VUDA Notice Board, Udyog Bhavan Complex, Siripuram, Visakhapatnam for the benefit of public. The general public is hereby requested to submit their objections and suggestions to the District Coastal Zone Management Authority, Visakhapatnam within 15 days from the date of publication of this notification i.e. on or before 20-01-2018.

The objections and suggestions shall be addressed to the Convener, District Coastal Zone Management Authority and Chief Urban Planner, VUDA, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Udyog Bhavan, Siripuram, Visakhapatnam - 530003.

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