



DAKSHINBANGA MATSYAJIBI FORUM (DMF)

Trade Union Regn. No.20474/92.

Affiliated to National Platform for Small Scale Fish Workers (NPSSF)



Memo No – DMF/President-42/24

To
The Director,
Institute of Environmental Studies and Wetland Management,
DD 24, sector- 1, Salt Lake,
Kolkata- 700064.

Dated: 23/04/2024

Sub: Meeting regarding the draft Coastal Zone Management Plan 2019

Sir/Madam,

We write in relation to your letter dated 18 January 2024 and the subsequent meeting held at the IESWM offices in Kolkata on 20th February, 2024. This meeting followed our letter dated 21 December 2023 where we raised serious concerns about the substance and the procedure of the draft Coastal Zone Management Plan 2019 (CZMP 2019). As the largest representative body for small-scale fishworkers in West Bengal, we were particularly disturbed by the lack of efforts to involve and consult with the small-scale fishworkers who rely on the coast for their lives and livelihoods.

We thank you for the opportunity to meet with you and to convey our misgivings about the manner in which the Draft CZMP has been prepared. At the meeting, we appreciated your acknowledgment of the lacunae in the present Draft maps and your stated commitment to ensuring that the maps do not in any way omit to show the coastal land use by the small-scale fishworkers who live and work along the coastline of the state. In relation to the latter, we particularly welcome your clear statement on your willingness to include data from DMF on small-scale fisheries and their khotis in the Draft CZMP. In furtherance of the same, we attach a list of the 46 marine fish landing centers from Ramnagar I, Ramnagar II, Contai I, Deshapran and Khejuri II Community Development Blocks of Purba Medinipur district in West Bengal to this letter as **Annexure I**. The list has been signed by the Assistant Director of Fisheries, Marine, Contai, Purba Medinipur and clearly states the name of each matsya khuti, the total number of members, the number of boats operated, their annual production of dry fish and raw fish, their location, and the nature of land. This list has already been shared with the District Magistrate and Collector, Purba Medinipur District, on 6 September 2022 vide letter no. PMMF/A/204/22 and we attach it again to this letter for your reference and for inclusion in the Draft CZMP 2019. We had also enquired from ADF Marine about total marine blocks and fish landing centre through RTI application and from a reply received on 1st March, 2023 we came to know that there are 20 total marine blocks in Purba Medinipur. A copy of the said RTI reply is being enclosed here as **Annexure II**. From the said RTI reply we can also find mention of several fish landing centres in Contai 1, Deshapran, Ramanagr I and II, Khejuri II, Mohisadol, Nandigram 1 and 2, and Suatahat Community Development Block which are absent from the earlier list of 46 marine fish landing centres. We urge you to consider this recent and relevant data and take steps to incorporate the same in the CRZ updated Maps.

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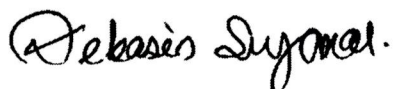
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We also reiterate our repeated prior demands for additional public hearings in Purba Medinipur. It is highly objectionable and we strongly protest the fact that the previous meeting did not follow legally mandated procedure, was exclusionary, and did not use maps that were translated into Bengali. We have already communicated this to you via several prior letters viz. letter no. PMMF/A/203(1)22 dated 26 August 2022, letter no. PMMF/A/204/22 dated 6 September 2022, and letter no. DMF/President-29/23 dated 21 December 2023. Moreover, the Draft CZMP has been updated twice since the initial public hearing (which was held in August 2022). Both the letter and the spirit of the Coastal Regulation Zone Notification, 2019 and the Ministry of Environment, Forests, and Climate Change, and the Environment Protection Act, 1986 and the principles of natural justice require consultation and sustained engagement with the small-scale fishworkers at every stage of preparation of the CZMP. As such, we demand that properly constituted public hearings be immediately conducted in order to include small-scale fishworkers in the mapping of the coast and explain the mapping procedure to them, to take their comments in order to ensure that their land and water use is properly demarcated and enumerated.

In the interests of full legal compliance and small-scale fishworker welfare, we therefore demand that:

- i. The attached list of matsya khutis be included in the Draft CZMP 2019;
- ii. The draft maps prepared under the CZMP Notification 2019 must be translated and widely publicized. Moreover, due public hearings must be conducted after publishing the all-incorporated Draft CZMP;
- iii. The right of coastal small-scale fishworkers to comment and ensure that their use of land and water is properly demarcated and enumerated must be observed, recorded and addressed.

Thanking you,



Debasis Shyamal

President

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Annexure - T

Proposal for recognizing the Landing Centre under Purba Medinipur

Ramnagar-I Dev. Block

Sl. No.	Name of Matsya Khuti	No. of Members	No. of Boat Operated	Production/Capture Fish (MT)		Proposed Name of Landing Centre	Location Details	Nature of Land	Remarks
				Raw Fish	Dry Fish				
1	Digha Matsyajibi Matsya Khuti	200	2	NA	NA	(1) Naykali Matsya Khuti, Tamliparia	Purba Mukundapur J.L. No. 211, Plot No. 1919, 1922, 1910 are approx. 20 Acres	under DSDA Irrigation Land Khatiyari Land
2	Maitapur Matsya Khuti	200	2	NA	32.37	(2) Tajpur Jaldha Matsya Khuti, Vill- Tajpur, P.O.- Bodhra, P.S.- Ramnagar	Mouza- Tajpur, J.L. No. 244, Kh-1, Plot-326, 327, 328, Area-31 Acres	Khatiyari I & Fisheries Department	Existing Notified Landing Centre Vide No.- 3211/Fish, Dated- 17/11/2000
3	Maa Nayekali Matsya Khuti	700	19	NA	324.00				
4	Jaldha Ma Basuli Matsya Khuti	531	28	109.17	27.552	(3) Digha Mohana Landing Centre, Vill- Digha Mohana, P.O.- Digha, P.S.- Digha Coastal	Mouza-Begundaha, J.L. No. 212, Atili-92	Khatiyari I & Digha FFTA
6	Digha Landing Centre	1250	1072	80780.00	Nil				
Ramnagar-II Dev. Block									
7	Silampur Janakalyan Matsya Khuti	465	4	34.52	14.712	(4) Mandarmoni Matsya Khuti, Vill- Silampur, P.S.- Ramnagar	Mouza- Mandarmoni, J.L. No. 245, Kh-2, Mouza- Silampur, J.L. No. 246, Plot No. Mandarmoni- 1,2,117,211,47, Plot No. Silampur- 101,102, Area-47 Acres	Khatiyari I Land
8	New Jaldha Matsya Khuti	3017	99	2354.625	759.158	(5) Dadanparabhar Kharpai Matsya Khuti, Vill+ P.O.- Dadanparabhar, P.S.- Ramnagar	Mouza- Dadanparabhar, J.L. No. 284, Kh. No.-1, Plot No.- 129, 131, 132, 139 Area-69 Acres 42 decimal	Khatiyari I Land	Existing Notified Landing Centre Vide No.- 3211/Fish, Dated- 17/11/2000
9	Dadanparabhar Kharpai Matsya Khuti	4977	166	6835.712	1597.679				

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				Raw Fish	Dry Fish				
10	Chewasuli-I Matsya Khuti	780	46	1438.123	275.526	(6) Chewasuli Matsya Khuti, Vill-Dk. Purusottampur, P.O.- Dadanparabar, P.S.- Ramnagar	Mouza-Dk. Purusottampur, J.L. No. 268, Kh-1, Plot No. 459, 460, 470, Area-64 Acres 27 decimal	Khatiyani 1 Land	
11	Chewasuli-II Matsya Khuti	406	33	137.61	54.924	(7) Dk. Purusottampur Landing Centre, Vill-Dk. Purusottampur, P.O.- Dadanparabar, P.S.- Ramnagar	Mouza - Dakahin Purusottampur, J.L. - 286, Plot - 1024, 1025, 1026	Khatiyani 1 Land	
12	Soula-II Matsya Khuti	300	63	192.40	62.623		Mouza- Raghunardhar, J.L. No. 343, Kh-97, Plot- 337, Area-88 Acres	Khatiyani 1 Land	
Contai-I Dev. Block									
13	Soula Landing Centre	1872	85	1894.80	NA	(8) Soula Landing Centre, Vill-Jharkoshbar, P.O. - Nayaput, P.S.- Junpur Coastal	Mouza-Jharkoshbar, J.L. No. 342, Plot-436, Area-2.5 Acres	Rayat	Existing Notified Landing Centre Vide No.- 321 I/Fish, Dated- 17/11/2000
14	Soula-I Matsya Khuti	404	41	1530.396	373.517	(9) Soula-I Landing Centre, Vill-Raghunardhar Jalpai, P.O.- Deshdaitabar, P.S.- Junpur Coastal	Mouza- Raghunardhar, J.L. No. 343, Kh-97, Plot- 337, Area-0.88 Acres	Khatiyani 1 Land & Rayat	
15	Baguran Jalpai-II Matsya Khuti	421	9	117.81	41.321	(10) Baguran Saradpur Landing Centre, Vill- Baguran Jalpai, P.O.- Deshdaitabar, P.S.- Junpur Coastal	Mouza-Baguran Jalpai, J.L. No. 563, Kh-1, Plot-1439, Area-55.26 Acres	Forest Land	
16	Baguran Jalpai-I Matsya Khuti	449	18	231.034	60.607			Forest Land	
17	Saradpur Matsya Khuti	526	4	4.4475	1.235			Forest Land	

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				Raw Fish	Dry Fish				
18	Hariपुर Matsya Khuti	1114	45	784.53	167.212	(11) Hariपुर Landing Centre, Vill- Mankariput, P.O.- Junput, P.S.- Junput Coastal	Mouza-Mankariput, J.L. No. No. 569, Kh-1, Plot-90, Area-47.50 Acres	Forest Land	
19	Junput Matsya Khuti	4380	52	4262.47	1225.358	(12) Junput Landing Centre, Vill-P.O.- Junput, P.S.- Junput Coastal	Mouza- Bhimpur, J.L. No. 583, Kh-1, Plot-642/643, Area-75 Acres	Khatyan I & Patta Land	Existing Notified Landing Centre Vide No.- 3211/Fish, Dated- 17/11/2000
Deshapran Dev. Block									
20	Dakshin Kadua Matsya Khuti	672	14	169.55	56.724	(13) Kadua Landing Centre	Mouza-Dk. Kadua, J.L. No. 586, Kh-1, Plot 523,528,564, Area-13 Acres	Forest & Irrigation Land Forest Land	
21	Utari Kadua Matsya Khuti	365	2	10.72	3.917	(14) Bhogpur Landing Centre, Vill- Bhogpur, P.O.- Bankiput, P.S.- Junput Coastal	Mouza- Bhogpur, J.L. No. 624, Kh- , Plot-195, 196, Area-10 Acres	Forest Land Irrigation Land Forest Land	
22	Gopalpur Matsya Khuti	435	14	38.27	10.273				
23	Bhogpur Matsya Khuti	330	33	363.60	120.273				
24	Bankiput Matsya Khuti	187	2	NA	NA				
25	Dahasonamui Matsya Khuti	1059	46	442.10	34.972	(15) Dahasonamui Landing Centre, Vill- Dahasonamui, P.S.- Junput Coastal	Mouza-Dahasonamui, J.L. No. 506, Kh-1, Plot-715,796 800,841,487,800, 801,831- 838,844-847,842, 791-794, Area-20 Acres 156 decimal	Khatyan I Land	

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				Raw Fish	Dry Fish				
Khejuri-II Dev. Block									
26	Dekhali Matsya Khuti	408	33	2.27	Nil	(16) Gorahar Fish Landing Centre, Vill- Kalkadevichak, P.S.- Khejuri	Mouza- Gorahar, J.L. No. 72, kh- , Plot-288, Area- 50 decimal	Rayat Rayat & Khatiyani I Rayat	
27	Gorahar Matsya Khuti	440	18	12.20	1.457	(17) Baba Saheb Fish Landing Centre, Vill- P.O. - Nijkasba, P.S.- Talpatti Coastal	Mouza- Nijkasba, J.L. no. 119, kh- , Plot-1, Area-7 Acres	Khatiyani I Land & Forest Land Forest Land Forest Land	
28	Boga Ferryghat Matsya Khuti	175	2	NA	NA	(18) Mehedinagar Landing Centre, Vill- Mehedinagar, P.O. - Nijkasba, P.S.- Talpatti Coastal	Mouza- Mehedinagar, J.L. no. 116, kh-1080, Plot- 262/1125, Area-10,50 Acres	Forest Land Forest Land Forest Land & Irrigation Land Forest Land	
29	Sundarpur Matsya Khuti	300	21	16.68	1.845	(19) Panchuria Landing Centre, Vill- Panchuria, P.O. - Lakshmanchak, P.S.- Talpatti Coastal	Mouja- Panchuria, Jasua, Dk. Kalagechhia, J.L. No. 104, 105, 106, kh-1, Plot- 720, 725, 728, 201, 206, 204, 924, 929, 930, 931, 933, 934, 935	Forest Land Forest Land Forest Land	
30	Nijkasba Matsya Khuti	572	5	24.20	11.257				
31	Mehedinagar Giri Matsya Khuti	450	26	677.10	234.516				
32	Mehedinagar Dalai Matsya Khuti	430	16	204.10	115.017				
33	Kalagechhia Dinda Matsya Khuti	458	16	270.70	104.624				
34	Panchuria Pradhan Matsya Khuti	877	10	66.79	5.067				
35	Panchuria Duta	505	12	46.47	14.250				
36	Panchuria Roy	335	9	80.16	28.326				

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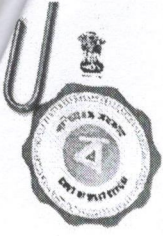
Sl. No.	Name of Mataya Khuli	No. of Members	No. of Boat Operated	Production/Capture Fish (MT)		Proposed Name of Landing Centre	Location Details	Nature of Land	Remarks
				Raw Fish	Dry Fish				
37	Nankar Gobindapur	333	14	60.33	19.952	(20) Thanberia Landing Centre, Vill- Thanberia, P.O.- Lakshmanchak, P.S.-	Mouza - Wasilchak, J.L. 101, Plot - 496, 498, 488, 487, 499, 497, 495, 498, 519, 518, 521, 608, 522, 523, 546, 545, 544, 543, 517, 516, 515, 514, 513, 525, 527, 520	Forest Land & Irrigation Land	
38	Owashilchak	472	24	49.72	17.327			Forest Land & Irrigation Land	
39	Thanberia	438	37	117.62	60.213	(21) Kaukhali Landing Centre, Vill- Banbasuria, P.O.- Lakshmanchak, P.S.- Talpari Coastal	Mouza- Thanberia, J.L. No. 98, Kh-1, Plot-916-939, 995, Area-3.75 decimal	Forest Land & Irrigation Land	
40	Kaukhali	400	10	341.70	138.657			Mouza-Banbasuria, J.L. No. 100, Plot- 03, 10, 11, 12, 134, 135	Forest Land & Irrigation Land
41	Arakbari	225	9	19.82	6.666	(22) Dhobaghata Landing Centre, Vill- Safarchata, P.O.- Khejuri, P.S.- Talpari Coastal	Mouza-Arkabari, J.L. No. 99, Plot-572	Forest Land & Irrigation Land	
42	Dhobaghata	507	10	430.60	149.271			Mouza- Safarchata, J.L. No. 53, Kh- , Plot- 12,13, Area- 5.58 Acres	Forest Land & Irrigation Land

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43	Kadirabadchar Ma Ganga	390	25	17.30	5.716	(23) Kadirabadchar Landing Centre, Vill- Sahonagar, P.O.- Sakhandra, P.S.- Talpati Coastal	Mouza-Kadirabadchar J.L. No. 120, Plot-22,23, Area- 16.36 Acres	Rayat & Forest Land	
44	Kadirabadchar Chursahab	400	22	30.28	9.625		Mouza - Raynagar, J.L. No. -8, Plot No. 206 ; Mouza - Eriakhali, J.L. No. - 7, Plot No. 1364,2184,1883 ;Mouza - Matirampur, J.L. No. - 2, Plot No. 84 ;Mouza - Naipatia, J.L. No. - 1, Plot No. 508, 509	Khatyan I land	
45	Raynagar Fish Landing Centre	291	50	15.82	0.000	Raynagar Fish Landing Centre	Mouza - Rupnarayanachak, J.L. No. 117, Plot No. - 979, 1565, 849, 858, 860, 803, 819, 824, 823, 931, 1540, 1565, 965, 1007, 1025, 922, 848, 969, 320, 1215, 968 ; Mouza - Jhikurjhali, J.L. No. - 121, Plot No. 396, 267	Rayat & Khatyan I	
46	Rupnarayanachak Fish Landing Centre	235	47	12.52	0.000	Rupnarayanachak Fish Landing Centre			


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বিষয়:- তথ্যের অধিকার আইন ২০০৫ অনুযায়ী জানতে চাওয়া প্রশ্নের উত্তর।

আপনার ২৩/০২/২০২৩ তারিখে জানতে চাওয়া প্রশ্নের উত্তরগুলি নিম্নরূপ-

১) জেলার মোট মেরিন ব্লকের সংখ্যা -২০। নামগুলি নিম্নে দেওয়া হল-

Sl. No.	Name of Existing Marine Blocks	Remarks
1	কাঁথি-১	কোষ্টাল ব্লক
2	দেশপান	কোষ্টাল ব্লক
3	কাঁথি-৩	রসলপুর নদী
4	রামনগর-১	কোষ্টাল ব্লক
5	রামনগর-২	কোষ্টাল ব্লক
6	খেজুরি-১	রসলপুর নদী
7	খেজুরি-২	কোষ্টাল ব্লক
8	পটাশপুর-২	কেলেঘাই নদী
9	নন্দীগ্রাম-১	হুগলী নদী
10	নন্দীগ্রাম-২	হলদি নদী
11	মহিষাদল	হুগলী নদী
12	সুতাহাটা	হুগলী নদী
13	কেলাঘাট	রুপনারায়ন নদী
14	ময়না	কেলেঘাই ও কংসাবতী নদী
15	শহিদ মাতঙ্গিনী	রুপনারায়ন নদী
16	নন্দকুমার	হলদি নদী
17	হলদিয়া	হুগলী নদী
18	পটাশপুর-১	কেলেঘাই নদী
19	চন্ডিপুর	হলদি নদী
20	ভগবানপুর-১	কেলেঘাই নদী

২) সারী অনুযায়ী গঠিত প্রশ্নের উত্তরগুলি সারনী অনুযায়ী দেওয়া হল -

ক্রমিক নং	ব্লকের নাম	গ্রাম পঞ্চায়েতের নাম (যদি থাকে)	খটির নাম	ফিসল্যান্ডিং সেন্টারের নাম	লজ্জিটিউড এন্ড ল্যাটিটিউড (যদি থাকে)
১	কাঁধি-১	নেই	জুনপুট হরিপুর বগুড়ান জলপাই ১ শৌলা ১নং শরদপুর বগুড়ান জলপাই -২	শৌলা বগুড়ান জলপাই ১ বগুড়ান জলপাই ২ শরদপুর হরিপুর জুনপুট	নেই
২	দেশপ্রান	নেই	গোপালপুর দক্ষিণ কাদুয়া উত্তর কাদুয়া ভোগপুর দহসোনামুই বাঁকিপুট	ভোগপুর দহসোনামুই সুকুমার জানা, দহসোনামুই সত্যরঞ্জন জানা, দহসোনামুই দীপক গিরি, পেটুয়াঘাট সুকদেব জানা, পেটুয়াঘাট বিজয় কৃষ্ণ বর, দক্ষিণ আড়িয়া	নেই
৩	রামনগর-১নং	নেই	তাজপুর জলধা জলধা মা বাগুলি মৈত্রাপুর তামলিপড়িয়া	জলধা মা বাগুলি তামলিপড়িয়া তাজপুর জলধা উদয়পুর দিঘা মহানা	নেই
৪	রামনগর ২নং	নেই	চৈয়াশুলী ১ নং দাদনপাত্রাবাড় নিউ জলধা মান্দারমনি জনকল্যান শৌলা-২ নং	মান্দারমনি জনকল্যান শৌলা-২ দাদনপাত্রাবাড় চৈয়াশুলী ১ নিউ জলধা বাকশাল ঘাট	নেই
৫	খেজুরি-২ নং	নেই	কাদিরাবাদচর চুর সাহেব কাদিরাবাদচর মা গঙ্গা ধোবাঘাটা অরকবাড়ি কাউখালি থানাবেড়্যা ওয়াশিলচক নানকার গোবিন্দপুর পাঁচুড়িয়া রায় পাঁচুড়িয়া প্রধান কালাগেছিয়া দিভা মেইদীনগর গিরি নিজকশবা পাঁচুড়িয়া দত্ত	নিজকশবা কাওখালি কাদিরাবাদচর সফরচটা ধোবাঘাটা থানাবেড়িয়া পশ্চিম পাঁচুড়িয়া মেইদীনগর গিরি	নেই
৬	মহিষাদল	নেই		অমৃতবেড়িয়া লক গেট বাঁকা গাজীপুর ও কমলপুর বেতকুন্ডু গেঁওখালি কেশবপুর জলপাই মায়াচর নাটশাল মৎস্যচক	নেই

ক্রমিক নং	ব্লকের নাম	গ্রাম পঞ্চায়েতের নাম (যদি থাকে)	খটির নাম	ফিসল্যান্ডিং সেন্টারের নাম	লজ্জিটিউড এন্ড ল্যাটিটিউড (যদি থাকে)
৭	নন্দীগ্রাম-১	নেই		কাঁটাখালি কেন্দামারি গাংরাচর সাউদখালি	নেই
৮	নন্দীগ্রাম-২	নেই		গোপালচক	নেই
৯	সুভাঘাটা	নেই		ঝাকুরখালি হাটখোলা (বেগুনবেড়িয়া) নটপটিয়া আরিয়াখালি রায়নগর রুপনারায়নচক	নেই

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