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ORDER

Whereas, it is essential to provide a period of least disturbance in National Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries during rainy season for rejuvenation of flora and fauna and to maintain biodiversity of the areas;

Therefore, in exercise of power conferred u/s 33(c) and u/s 35(8) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 as amended up to date, it is hereby notified that the following National Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries shall remain closed for visitors from 16.06.2024 to 15.09.2024 with exception of eco-tourism Centers mentioned herein. Entry of visitors shall be restricted to the Eco-tourism Centers and during this period safari, elephant ride and entry to forest area other than mentioned herein, shall not be permitted.

Sl. No.	National Park / Wildlife Sanctuaries	Eco-tourism Centers exempted from Closure
1.	Singalila National Park	-
2.	Neora Valley National Park	-
3.	Gorumara National Park	Murti Jungle Camp
4.	Jaldapara National Park	-
5.	Senchal Wildlife Sanctuary	NIC, temple and sunrise view point at tiger hill through road from Jorebunglow
6.	Mahananda Wildlife Sanctuary	-
7.	Chapramari Wildlife Sanctuary	-
8.	Buxa National Park and Buxa Wildlife Sanctuary	Buxa Tiger Reserve NIC at Rajabhatkhawa.

This is issued in cancellation of the previous Office Order no 03-CS (COR)/14-2024 dated 10/06/2024.


13/6/24

(Debal Ray)

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife
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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Forests, Govt. of West Bengal.
2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, West Bengal.
3. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, General, West Bengal.
4. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Research, Monitoring & Development, West Bengal.
5. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, CAMPA, West Bengal.
6. The Managing Director, West Bengal Forest Development Corporation Ltd.
7. The Managing Director, West Bengal Tourism Development Corporation Ltd.
8. The Member Secretary, West Bengal Zoo Authority.
9. The Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, North Bengal, West Bengal.
10. The APCCF & Director, Sundarban Biosphere Reserve, West Bengal.
11. The CCF & Member Secretary, West Bengal State Forest Development Agency, West Bengal.
12. All CCFs/ FDs/ CFs, Territorial and Wildlife Circles, West Bengal.
13. The CF & Joint Director, Sundarban Biosphere Reserve, West Bengal.
14. All DFOs/ DFDs, Territorial and Wildlife Divisions, West Bengal.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, followed by the date '13/6/24' written in black ink.

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife
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