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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) 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 16.06.2018 to 15.09.2018, 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.

S.No	National Park / Wildlife Sanctuary	Eco-tourism centers exempted from closure
1	Singalila National Park	-
2	Neora Valley National Park	-
3	Gorumara National Park	Kalipur Jungle Camp, Dhupjhora Eco-tourism Resort, Panjhora Jungle Camp, Murti Jungle Camp, Hornbill Camp and Mouchuki Eco-tourism Resort
4	Jaldapara National Park	South Khairbari Jungle Camp and Mendabari Jungle Camp
5	Senchal Wildlife Sanctuary	-
6	Mahananda Wildlife Sanctuary	-
7	Chapramari Wildlife Sanctuary	From entry gate upto watchtower overlooking the glade
8	Buxa National Park and Buxa Wildlife Sanctuary	Buxa Tiger Reserve NIC at Rajabhatkhawa, Jainti, Santrabari and Buxaduar upto Buxa Fort, Poro eco-park and Sikia Jhora eco tourism centre

All concerned may accordingly be informed.

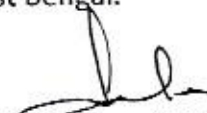
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- i. The Principal Secretary, Forest Department, Govt. of West Bengal.
- ii. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (Head of Forest Force), West Bengal.
- iii. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (General), West Bengal.
- iv. The Managing Director, West Bengal Forest Development Corporation Ltd.
- v. The Managing Director, West Bengal Tourism Development Corporation Ltd.
- vi. The Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, North Bengal.
- vii. The Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife (North), West Bengal.
- viii. The Chief Conservator of Forests & Field Director, Buxa Tiger Reserve, West Bengal.
- ix. The Divisional Forest Officer, Darjeeling Wildlife Division, West Bengal.
- x. The Divisional Forest Officer, Gorumara Wildlife Division, West Bengal.
- xi. The Divisional Forest Officer, Jaldapara Wildlife Division, West Bengal.
- xii. The Deputy Field Director, Buxa Tiger Reserve (East), West Bengal.
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