

ACTION HISTORY OF RTI REQUEST No.FSOID/R/P/25/00022**Applicant Name** sh. Georgekutty Thomas**Text of Application** please find attachment**Reply of Application** please find attachment.

SN.	Action Taken	Date of Action	Action Taken By	Remarks
1	RTI REQUEST RECEIVED	05/08/2025	Sugandha Srivastava-(CPIO)	
2	REQUEST DISPOSED OF	20/08/2025	Sugandha Srivastava-(CPIO)	

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23/07/2025

From,

Georgekutty Thomas
Kinattukara House
Kalaketty (P.O) Pinnakanadu
Kottayam
Pin- 686508

To

The Public Information Officer- O/o The Joint Director,
Forest Survey of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change,
Kaulagrah Road P.O, IPE, Dehradun-248195

As
30/7/25
RTI Cell.

Subject: Application under Right to Information Act, 2005 regarding the CHR Shape File of Idukki provided by Kerala Forest Department

Respected Sir/Madam,

This is to seek information under the **Right to Information Act, 2005** in connection with the digital shape file of **Cardamom Hill Reserve (CHR)** in Idukki District, reportedly provided by the **Kerala Forest Department**, stationed at the Forest Headquarters, Vazhuthacaud, Thiruvananthapuram.

The following specific information is requested:

1. Forest Survey of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) has received the shape file (digital map or shapefile) of the Cardamom Hill Reserve in Idukki District from the Kerala Forest Department or any of its wings or officials?
2. **Whether the said shape file of Cardamom Hill Reserve has been uploaded or integrated into the Parivesh Portal** of MoEF&CC (parivesh.nic.in) which is used for processing applications for Environmental Clearance and Wildlife Clearance?
3. If yes, kindly provide the date of such upload/integration and the office or agency responsible for the upload.
4. If not uploaded to Parivesh, has the shape file been forwarded or transmitted to any other agency or office (including but not limited to the National Informatics Centre, Forest Survey of India, or any other technical agency) for the purpose of processing or integrating the same into Parivesh Portal?

5. If such sharing or forwarding has been done, please provide certified copy of the correspondence of such transfer of the Shape File.
6. Has the MoEF&CC shared, transmitted, or handed over this Cardamom Hill reserve shape file to the State Environmental Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) of Kerala, or to the Kerala State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC), or to any officer/agency of the Kerala Government?
7. If such sharing or forwarding has been done, kindly provide details of the date, recipient agency/authority, and Correspondence of the same (Certified Copy).

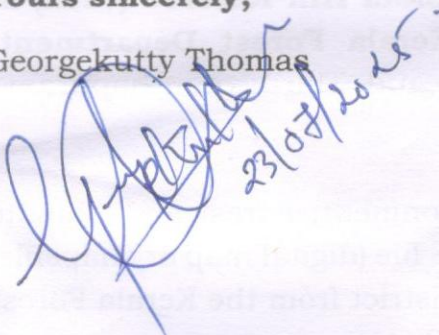
Please treat this application as filed under **Section 6(1)** of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The prescribed application fee of Rs. 10/- has been paid via Postal Order. In addition to the application fee, the applicant is paying Rs-50 via postal order in advance as copy fee for exchanging the information.

If any part of the information sought pertains to another public authority, kindly transfer such part under **Section 6(3)** of the RTI Act, 2005.

Thanking you.

Yours sincerely,

Georgekutty Thomas



/2025

PAY TO The PIO, 0/0th Joint Director
Forest Survey of India

₹ 10

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पोस्ट मास्टर
SUB POSTMASTER
KALAKETTY - 686 500

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No- 13/02-2025-RTI-1969
Government of India
Forest Survey of India
IPO- Kaulagarh Road, Dehradun-248195

Dated-20 August, 2025

To

Sh. Georgekutty Thomas
Kinattukara House,
Kalaketty (P.O.),
Pinnakanadu-Kottayam-686508,
Kerala.

Sub- Information under RTI Act, 2005.

Ref:- Your RTI application dated 23.07.2025.

Sir,

With reference to the above subject and reference, it is informed that the information requested by you vide reference above is enclosed herewith.

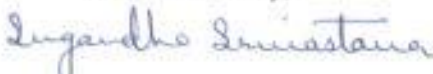
2. Further, the additional fee of Rs. 50 sent by you (Postal Order 25G 959311) is being returned to you as this amount is not required for the RTI information sought by you.

3. In case you are not satisfied with reply, you may file an appeal before the following First Appellate Authority within thirty days from the date of receipt of this letter.

Smt. Meera Iyer, (First Appellate Authority)
Forest Survey of India,
Kaulagarh Road,
Dehradun-248195
Phone No.- 01352755037

Enc:- As above

Yours sincerely,


(Sugandha Srivastava)
CPIO

संख्या-13-2/2025-आरटीआई-1969
भारत सरकार
भारतीय वन सर्वेक्षण
पेओ-आईपीओ, कौलागढ़ मार्ग
देहरादून-248195

दिनांक 20 अगस्त, 2025

सेवा में,

Sh. Georgekutty Thomas
Kinattukara House,
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Kerala

Sub:- Information under RTI Act, 2005.

Ref:- Your RTI application dated 23.07.2025.

महोदय,

उपरोक्त विषय और संदर्भ के संदर्भ में, आपको सूचित किया जाता है कि आपने जो जानकारी मांगी थी, वह इस पत्र के साथ संलग्न की गई है।

2. इसके अलावा, आपके द्वारा भेजा गया अतिरिक्त शुल्क 50 रुपये (पोस्टल आर्डर 25G 959311) आपको वापस किया जा रहा है क्योंकि यह राशि आपके द्वारा मांगी गई आरटीआई जानकारी के लिए आवश्यक नहीं है।

3. यदि आप इस उत्तर से संतुष्ट नहीं हैं तो इस पत्र की प्राप्ति की तिथि से तीस दिनों के भीतर आप निम्नांकित प्रथम अपीलीय प्राधिकारी के समक्ष अपील दायर कर सकते हैं।

श्रीमती मीरा अय्यर (प्रथम अपीलीय अधिकारी),
भारतीय वन सर्वेक्षण,
कौलागढ़ मार्ग, देहरादून-248195
फोन नं०.- 01352755037

संलग्न-उपरोक्तानुसार।

भवदीया,

सुगंधा श्रीवास्तव

(सुगंधा श्रीवास्तव) •/c
लोक सूचना अधिकारी

प्रो. सु. 20/8/2025

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भारत सरकार
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देहरादून- 248195



दिनांक: 7 अगस्त, 2025

सेवा में,
लोक सूचना अधिकारी
भारतीय वन सर्वेक्षण
कौलागढ़ रोड़, देहरादून।

विषय:- RTI Application under Right to Information Act, 2005.

संदर्भ:- आपके पत्र संख्या: 13-2 / 2025-आर.टी.आई-1677 दिनांक 4 अगस्त, 2025

महोदय,

उपरोक्त विषय एवं संदर्भित पत्र के संबंध में, यह सूचित किया जाता है कि Sh. Georgekutty Thomas, Kerala की RTI आवेदन दिनांक 23.07.2025 के क्रम में मांगी गई जानकारी पत्र के साथ संलग्न कर प्रेषित की जा रही है।

भवदीया,

संलग्न: उपरोक्तानुसार।

सुशोभा
03/08/2025

मीरा अय्यर
(मीरा अय्यर) भा.घ.सं.
संयुक्त निदेशक (एफ.जी.डी.)



Dr. SANJAYAN KUMAR, IFS
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e-mail: ccf-it.for@kerala.gov.in

Dated: 22-01-2024

To

The Joint Director,
Forest Survey of India,
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change
Kaulagrah Road P.O, IPE, Dehradun - 248195.
email : jdnfdmc@fsi.nic.in

Sir,

Sub: - Kerala Forest Department - Sharing of Recorded Forest area
(RFA) Shape files with World Database on Protected Areas
(WDPA) - reg.

- Ref:-
1. That office letter No 22-44-3/2022-FGD-1189 dated, 23/11/2023.
 2. Meeting held by MoEFCC on 15.01.2024 in hybrid mode

Kind attention is invited to the subject and references cited above. The spatial data of Recorded Forest Area along with the five mandatory attributes requested as per reference (1) & (2) cited above is enclosed herewith for further necessary action. It is also informed that the shape file of Recorded Forest Area of the State is generated by digitizing the Survey of Indias Toposheets of 1970s for reference purpose and are not verified on ground.

Enclosure : As mentioned above

Yours faithfully,

Chief Conservator of Forests (IT)

Copy submitted to: PCCF (Forest Management), Kerala for information and further necessary action

Joint Director (F.G.D.)
भारतीय वन सर्वेक्षण, देहरादून
Forest Survey of India, Dehradun