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Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Forest Conservation Division)

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To

1. Addl. Chief Secretary (Forest)/Principal Secretary (Forests), All States/UTs
2. PCCF, All States/UTs.
3. Regional Officers, All IROs, MoEFCC
4. All concerned.

Sub: Inviting comments/suggestions on proposed amendments in Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 – reg.

Madam/Sir,

The consultation paper inviting comments of stakeholders on proposed amendment in Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 has been uploaded in the Ministry's website (i.e. <https://moef.gov.in>) and PARIVESH portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in>) in Hindi and English languages. The consultation paper has been translated into various Regional Languages.

In this regard, it is informed that in case of any difference in interpretation between English and any other language in which the consultation paper has been translated and has been uploaded in public domain, the interpretation in English version will be followed, same being the original.

It is also to inform that comments/suggestions on the consultation paper may be shared with the Ministry by e-mail in (fca-amendment@gov.in).

The last date of submission the suggestions/comments is **01.11.2021**.

Sd/-
(Sandeep Shama)
Asst. Inspector General of Forests

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Director (Technical), NIC with a request to upload this circular in Ministry's website and PARIVESH portal.