Order No. S.O. 2261 (E) issued vide No. J-17011/18/96-IA-III dated 9th July, 2013 regarding reconstitution of Daman and Diu Coastal Zone Management Authority published in the gazette of India Extraordinary Part II – Sec. 3(ii) is hereby republished in the Official Gazette of this U.T. Administration of Daman & Diu for general information.
ORDER

New Delhi, the 9th July, 2013

S.O. 2261(E).— Whereas by an order of the Government of India in the Ministry of Environment and Forests, vide number S.O. 3250(E), dated the 21st December, 2009 the Central Government constituted the Daman and Diu Coastal Zone Management Authority for a period of three years and the term of the said Authority has expired;

AND WHEREAS, the Central Government is of the view that such an Authority should be reconstituted;

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (3) of section 3 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 (29 of 1986) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Environment and Forests Number S.O. 3250(E), dated 21st December, 2009, except as respects things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the Central Government hereby reconstitutes the Daman and Diu Coastal Zone Management Authority (hereinafter referred to as the Authority) for a period up to the 20th December 2015 consisting of the following persons, namely :-

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<td>Secretary, (Environment and Forests), Daman and Diu and Dadra and Nagar Haveli.</td>
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<td>Chief Town and Country Planner, Town Country Planning Department, Moti Daman</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>Conservator of Forests, Daman and Diu and Dadra and Nagar Haveli.</td>
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<td>Director or his nominee, Space Application Centre, Ahmedabad.</td>
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<td>Head of Department, Environmental Engineering, Regional Engineering College, Surat</td>
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<td>Deputy Conservator of Forests, Daman and Diu.</td>
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2. The Authority shall have the power to take the following measures for protecting and improving the quality of the coastal environment and preventing, abating and controlling environmental pollution in areas of the Union Territory of Daman and Diu, namely :-

(i) examination of proposals for changes or modifications in classification of Coastal Regulation Zone areas and in the Coastal Zone Management Plan (CZMP) received from the Daman and Diu Administration and making specific recommendations to the National Coastal Zone Management Authority;

(ii) (a) inquiry into cases of alleged violation of the provisions of the said Act or the rules made thereunder or any other law which is relatable to the objects of the said Act and, if found necessary in a specific case, issuing directions under section 5 of the said Act. In so far as such directions are not inconsistent with any direction issued in that specific case by the National Coastal Zone Management Authority or by the Central Government, as the case may be.
(b) review of cases involving violations of the provisions of the said Act and the rules made thereunder or under any other law which is relatable to the object of the said Act, and if found necessary, referring such case, with comments, for review to the National Coastal Zone Management Authority:

provided that the cases under clauses (a) and (b) of this sub-paragraph may be taken up *suo-moto* or on the basis of complaint made by an individual or an representative body or an organization;

(iii) filing complaints under section 19 of the said Act, in cases of non-compliance of the directions issued by it under sub-paragraphs (i) and (ii) of this paragraph;

(iv) to take action under section 10 of the said Act to verify the facts concerning the issues arising from sub-paragraphs (i) and (ii) of this paragraph.

3. The Authority shall deal with environmental issues relating to Coastal Regulation Zone, which may be referred to it by the Administration of Union Territory of Daman and Diu, the National Coastal Zone Management Authority or the Central Government.

4. The Authority shall identify ecologically sensitive areas in the Coastal Regulation Zone and formulate the area-specific management plans for such identified areas.

5. The Authority shall identify coastal areas highly vulnerable to erosion or degradation and formulate area-specific management plans for such identified areas.

6. The Authority shall identify economically important stretches in the Coastal Regulation Zone and prepare the integrated Coastal Zone Management Plans for the same.

7. The Authority shall maintain a Bank Account in a nationalized Bank to deposit funds or fees received from the State Government, funding agencies or project authorities etc.

8. The Authority shall submit the plans prepared by it under paragraphs 4, 5 and 6 above and modifications thereof to the National Coastal Zone Management Authority for examination and its approval.

9. The Authority shall ensure compliance of all specific conditions that are laid down in the approved Coastal Zone Management Plan of Daman and Diu.

10. The Authority shall furnish report of its activities at least once in a period of six months to the National Coastal Zone Management Authority.

11. The Authority shall ensure that at least two third members of the Authority are present during the meetings.

12. The foregoing powers and functions of the Authority shall be subject to the supervision and control of the Central Government.
13. The authority shall have its headquarters at Moti Daman.

14. Any matter specifically not falling within the scope and jurisdiction of the Authority shall be dealt with by the statutory authorities concerned.

[F.No. J-17011/18/96-IA-III]
MANINDER SINGH, Jt. Secy.