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Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture
(Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries)

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Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi
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ORDER

The President of India is pleased to impose a uniform ban on fishing by all fishing vessels in the **Indian Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ) beyond territorial waters** on the East Coast including Andaman & Nicobar Islands and West Coast including Lakshadweep Islands as per period mentioned below for conservation and effective management of fishery resources and also for sea safety reasons:

West Coast- from 1st June to 31st July 2015 (both days inclusive) (61 days)

East Coast- from 15th April to 14th June 2015 (both days inclusive) (61 days)


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Joint Secretary to the Government of India

To,

1. The Secretary (Fisheries), All Maritime States/Union Territories.
2. The Chairman, All Major Port Trust: The ban order may please be served on all the companies operating deep sea fishing vessels from the port.
3. Directorate General of Shipping, 9th Floor Beta Building, i-Think Techno Campus, Kanjurnarg (East), Mumbai - 400 042 with a request to notify all registrars of fishing vessels in the East & West Coasts, A&N Islands, Puducherry & Lakshadweep Islands and Daman & Diu.
4. The Director (Operations), Coast Guard Headquarters, National Stadium Complex, New Delhi.
5. The Director General, Fishery Survey of India, Botawala Chambers, Sir P.M.Road, Fort, Mumbai /Director NIFPHATT/ CIFNET, Kochi.
6. The President, Association of Indian Fishery Industries, Plot No.60, Pandurangapuram, Vishakhapatnam-3.
7. Deep Sea Fishing Industry Association, E-5, Main Road, Kalkaji New Delhi-110019.
8. Officer-Incharge, NIC DAHD&F, MOA, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.


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