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Nicobar Islands, beyond 6 NM from the appropriate baseline and extending upto 12 NM.  All fishing vessels fitted inboard engine or outboard motor having engine horse power off 30 HP and above.	Islands, beyond 6 NM from the appropriate baseline and extending upto 12 NM.	

3. Details of unauthorized fishing in the Jarawa reserve / buffer zone (western coast):-

Area / region		Before buffer zone notification (since 2002)	After buffer zone notification
1	Tirrur (Collinpur)	-	_
2	Jirkatang – Middle Strait	-	-
3	Baratang		1
4	Kadamtala		-
5	Chainpur & Ors	18	-

4. Whether fishing by tribal in shallow water adversely affected if fishing is allowed to settlers beyond 5 km from high tide line:-

No

5. Suggestions to address the emerging issues / problems:-

the: The following areas specified are prohibited for fishing in territorial water of A&N Islands.

i) Areas falling within the port limits as defined in the Indian Ports Act 1908 (15 of, 1908).

ii) Areas reserved for Aboriginal Tribes of the Islands under the A&N Islands (Protection of Aboriginal Tribes) (Regulation),1956 (Regulation No.3 of 1956).

iii) Areas Projected or Prohibited in the Islands under the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972.

Nothing contained in the said rule shall apply to any class or classes of fishing vessels for innocent passage to carry out fishing in permitted areas.