

THE APPOINTMENT OF FOREST GROUP SUNGAI MERANTI-SUNGAI KAPUAS IN JAMBI AND SOUTH SUMATRA PROVINCES AS WIDE AS ± 101,355 (ONE HUNDRED ONE THOUSAND AND THREE HUNDRED FIFTY FIVE) HECTARES TO DIRECTIVE FOR ECOSYSTEM RESTORATION LOCATION IN PRODUCTION FOREST AREA
(Decree of the Minister of Forestry No. SK.83/Menhut-II/2005 dated April 1, 2005)

THE MINISTER OF FORESTRY,

Considering:

- a. that Criteria for Production Forests, which can be given Business License to Utilize Timber Forest Products in Natural Forests with ecosystem restoration activities have been stipulated on the basis of Regulation of the Minister of Forestry No. P.18/Menhut-II/2004;
- b. that in order to realize the goal of ecosystem restoration in production forest area, it is necessary to stipulate the appointment of forest area in accordance with the stipulated criteria;
- c. that based on the above mentioned considerations, it is deemed necessary to stipulate a decree of the Minister of Forestry on the Appointment of Forest Group Sungai Meranti-Sungai Kapuas in Jambi and South Sumatra Provinces as wide as ± 101,355 (One hundred one thousand and three hundred fifty five) Hectares to Directive for Ecosystem Restoration Location in Production Forest Area;

In view of:

1. Law No. 5/1960 on Basic Agrarian Law;
2. Law No. 5/1990 on Conservation of Biological Resources and Their Ecosystem;
3. Law No. 23/1997 on Environmental Management;
4. Law No. 41/1999 on Forestry as already amended by Law No. 19/2004 concerning Stipulation of Government Regulation In Lieu of Law No. 1/2004 regarding The Amendment to Law No. 41/1999 on Forestry to Become A Law;
5. Law No. 32/2004 on Regional Administration;

6. Government Regulation No. 27/1999 on Environmental Impact Analysis;
 7. Government Regulation No. 34/2002 on Forest Arrangement and Formulation of Plan for Managing Forest, Exploiting Forest and Using Forest Area;
 8. Government Regulation No. 35/2002 on Reforestation Fund;
 9. Government Regulation No. 44/2004 on Forest Planning;
 10. Government Regulation No. 45/2004 on Forest Protection;
 11. Presidential Decree No. 187/2004 on the Establishment of the United Indonesia Cabinet;
 12. Decree of the Minister of Forestry No. 123/Kpts-II/2001 on the Organization and Working Arrangement of the Ministry of Forestry as already amended several times and the latest by Decree of the Minister of Forestry No. 307/Menhut-II/2004;
 13. Regulation of the Minister of Forestry No. SK.159/Menhut-II/2004 on Ecosystem Restoration in Production Forest Area;
 14. Regulation of the Minister of Forestry No. P.18/Menhut-II/2004 on Criteria for Production Forests, which can be given Business License to Utilize Timber Forest Products in Natural Forests with ecosystem restoration activities;
- Observing:
Letter of the Head of the Forestry Planology Board No. S.136/VII-KP/2005 dated March 1,2005

D E C I D E S:

To stipulate:

FIRST:

To appoint Forest Group Sungai Meranti-Sungai Kapuas in Jambi and South Sumatra Provinces as wide as ± 101,355 (One hundred one thousand and three hundred fifty five) Hectares to Directive for Ecosystem Restoration Location in Production Forest Area as described in the map of the attachment to this decree.

SECOND:

The production forest area as meant in Dictum FIRST shall be specified by provinces and status of rights as follows:

a. By Province:

1. Jambi Province : ± 49,498 hectares
2. South Sumatra Province: ± 51,857 hectares

b. By status of right:

1. Forest Concession Area of PT ASIA LOG: ± 40,705 hectares
2. Production Forest Area formerly belonging to Forest Concession Area of PT INHUTANI V: ± 60,650 hectares

THIRD:

The appointment of directive for ecosystem restoration location in the production forest area shall not eliminate/erase rights and obligations of Forest Concession of PT ASIALOG as stipulated in Decree of the Minister of Forestry No. 116/Kpts-II/1994 dated March 1,2004 and provisions of legislation in force, until the validity period of the decision on the forest concession expires.

FOURTH:

The decree shall come into force as from the date of stipulation.

Stipulated in Jakarta

On April 1, 2005

THE MINISTER OF FORESTRY

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H.M.S. KABAN, SE., M.Si.

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