

PRESS RELEASE

Inviting suggestions/inputs/comments on the draft Guidelines for Operations of Night Sea Kayaking (Basic) in A& N Islands

The Directorate of Information, Publicity & Tourism, A&N Administration, hereby informs that the draft Guidelines for Operations of Night Sea Kayaking (Basic) in the A&N Islands have been prepared for regulation of Night Sea Kayaking (Basic) operations in the A&N Islands.

In this regard, the draft guidelines have been placed in the public domain for seeking suggestions, comments, and inputs from the general public, tourism stakeholders, various departments, etc. The draft guidelines are available on the official website of the Directorate of IP&T at <https://tourism.andamannicobar.gov.in>. All comments/suggestions/inputs may be submitted to this Directorate of IP&T within **15 days**, i.e., on or before **12/03/2026**.

In case no comments are received from the general public, tourism stakeholders, or concerned departments by **12/03/2026**, it will be presumed that they have no comments to offer.

Inputs found relevant and constructive will be suitably incorporated into the final version of the guidelines. The feedback, suggestions, comments may be submitted in the prescribed format given below: -

Existing Clause no.	Existing Clause of the draft guidelines	Proposed suggestions/comments of the draft guidelines

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Sri Vijaya Puram, dated *25/02/2026*

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1. The Chief Editor, The Daily Telegrams with the request to publish the above Press release as news item on **26/02/2026 & 27/02/2026**.
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6. The Nodal Officer (IT) with the direction to upload the press release in the official website of Tourism Department alongwith Guidelines for Operations Night Sea Kayaking (Basic) in A&N Islands.

Copy also forwarded for information to:

1. The PS to Secretary (IP&T) for kind information.
2. The PA to Director (IP&T) for kind information.

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