

## DECISION

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### ON

#### PROCLAMATION OF THE 'NATIONAL PARK' OF THE MARINE NATURAL ECOSYSTEM NEAR KARABURUNI PENINSULA AND SAZANI ISLAND

On the basis of article 100 of the Constitution and articles 4, point 1, letter "b", 6 and 13 of law no. 8906, dated 6.6.2002 "On Protected Areas" amended, upon the proposal of the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Water Administration, the Council of Ministers

### DECIDED:

1. Proclamation of the marine natural ecosystem, near Karaburun peninsula and Sazan Island as "National Park" conform with the map herewith attached to this decision.
2. The total area of "National Park" Karaburun-Sazan is 12,570.82 ha (twelve thousand five hundred seventy point eighty two), divided as in the following:
  - 2.1 The marine area near Karaburun has a surface of 9,848.95 (nine thousand and eight hundred forty eight point ninety five) ha, as per the borders defined in the following:
    - a. **North:** Point 1 (situated in the sea) with a distance of 1 marine mile (1852 m) from Gjuhëza Cape with these coordinates 4353018.48 N and 4478005.72 E, up to point 2 (situated in the sea) with a distance of 1 marine mile (1852 m) from Saint Vasil Cape with coordinates 4363780.19 N and 4477378.71 E;
    - b. **East:** Point 2 (situated in the Sea) with a distance of 1 marine mile (1852 m) from Saint vasil Cape with coordinates 4363780.19 N and 4477378.71 E, which continues further along the coastal line from 'Saint Vasil' Cape, 'Dhim Kushte' Cape and 'Saint Jani' cape and bay, 'Gjuhëz' cape, follows the western coastal line of Karaburuni mountain, 'Gjinara' coast, slope of 'Bishti i Malit', Rrezen e Kanalit, slope of 'Langadhe' up to point 3 with coordinates 4379221.15 N and 4449696.28 E;
    - c. **South:** Point 3, with coordinates 4379221.15 N and 4449696.28 E, up to point 4 (situated in the sea) with a distance on 1 marine mile (1852 m) from 'Langadhe' slope with coordinates 4378104.94 and 4448193.75 E;
    - ç. **West** Point 4 (situated in the sea), with a distance of 1 marine mile (1852 m) from 'Langadha' slope, with coordinates 4378104.94 and 4448193.75 E, which follows the izobate up to point 1 (in sea), with a distance of 1 marine mile (1852 m) from 'Gjuhëza' cape, with coordinates 4353018.48 N e 4478005.72 E.
  - 2.2. The marine area near Sazani island has a surface of 2,721.87 (two thousand seven hundred twenty one point eighty seven) ha, with the following borders:

Point 1, with coordinates 4354004.14 N and 4487718.40 E;  
Point 2 with coordinates 4355536.33 N and 4486707.03 E;  
Point 3, with coordinates 4351587.21 N and 4485140.06 E;  
Point 4, with coordinates 4357134.42 N and 4486668.09 E;  
Point 5, with coordinates 4355142.57 N and 4486658.75 EL.

3. The Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Water Administration in cooperation with the Ministry of Tourism, Culture, Youth and Sports, Ministry of Defense (Coastal Guard) and scientific and coastal institutions, takes measures for ensuring the protection, monitoring and development of submarine ecotourism in the "National Park" Karaburun-Sazan.
4. The existing administration of the Protected Area Llogara-Karaburun is assigned to accomplish also the functions of the administration of Karaburun-Sazan National Park. This administration collaborates with the respective structures responsible for enforcement of provisions of the law no.9048, dated 7.4.2003, "On cultural heritage", amended, and of the law "on protection of archeological heritage".
5. The Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Water Administration as well as other relevant line institutions is assigned for this decision enforcement.

This decision will enter into force after its publication in the Official gazette.