

## Supplementary Online Material for Golden Kroner et al., COVID-era policies and economic recovery plans: are governments building back better for protected and conserved areas?

### Supplemental Results

Examples of advancements or continuations of pre-pandemic commitments during 2020 that support PCAs

- **Argentina:** The National Programme for Forest Fire Prevention and Management is being strengthened with an additional US\$580,000 (ARS 45.5 million).<sup>1</sup>
- **Belize:** The Sapodilla Cayes Marine Reserve is being expanded seven-fold and gillnets will be phased out by 2022.<sup>2</sup>
- **Canada:**
  - o The Wilderness and Ecological Reserves Advisory Council has released a protected area plan for Newfoundland which proposes 32 new protected areas.<sup>3</sup>
  - o The US\$1.03 billion (CAD1.35 billion) Nature Legacy initiative (launched in 2018) is the single largest investment in nature conservation by a government in Canada's history. A list of funded projects funded was announced in June 2020 which, once completed, would help the country achieve almost 17% protection of land and freshwater.<sup>4,5,6,7</sup>
  - o Between 2017 and 2020, Canada invested US\$19.09 (CAD25 million) over four years to support an Indigenous Guardians Pilot Program to provide Indigenous Peoples to exercise responsibility in stewardship of their traditional lands and waters.<sup>8,9</sup>
- **Cameroon:** REDD activities are being taken forward in line with Cameroon's intention of reducing greenhouse gases by 32% by 2035<sup>10</sup>
- **China** announced plans to establish 10 national parks by the end of 2020.<sup>11,12</sup>
- **El Salvador:** A new marine protected area was announced in February 2020 covering 19,760 hectares of territorial waters and offshore seabeds, helping to conserve ecosystems, preserve species and support local livelihoods.<sup>13</sup>
- **Germany:** Planned before the COVID19 crisis, the Legacy Landscape concept was launched during the pandemic with the support of the federal agency for nature conservation. The initiative mobilises funding to protect iconic areas at a landscape scale.<sup>14</sup>
- **Guinea-Bissau:** A research project, which was initiated in 2019 and expanded in 2020, aims to minimize risks of infectious zoonotic diseases in humans and wildlife in Cantanhez National Park.<sup>15</sup>
- **India:** Kaziranga National Park and Tiger Reserve is being expanded by 3,000 hectares.<sup>16</sup>
- **Ireland:** A national consultation for marine protected areas has begun.<sup>17</sup>
- **Namibia:** The proposed new Wildlife and Protected Areas Management Bill provides a framework for protected areas governance, and defines rules and procedures for mining and tourism concessions. It also includes provisions for equitable access to benefits from wildlife and biological resources, and shared responsibilities for management.<sup>18</sup>
- **Nepal:** The Forests for Prosperity project aims to assist community forest user groups to enhance livelihoods from the sustainable harvesting of timber and other forest products. Plantations on degraded public lands in the Chure region will create green jobs and reinforce climate resilience<sup>19</sup>. Nepal also plans to build infrastructure to attract tourists in protected areas.
- **Pakistan:** After a period of COVID-related lockdown, the "10 Billion Trees campaign" was resumed; this restoration initiative, with an investment of US\$46 million (PKR7.5 billion), aims to create more than 63,600 jobs to set up nurseries, plant saplings, and serve as forest protection guards or firefighters.<sup>20,21</sup>
- **Peru:** In September, President Vizcarra announced the intent to create the Nazca Ridge Protected Area, the largest in the country and covering 7.3% of Peru's waters.<sup>22</sup>

- **Philippines:** Budget allocation for the expanded system of protected areas remain unchanged for FY2020 at US\$40 million despite budget realignments for COVID-related expenses.<sup>23</sup>
- **Romania:** Some urban-adjacent lands are being designated as forest parks<sup>24</sup>
- **Russia:** Three protected areas will be established in the Kushtau mountain, Cape Serdtse-Kamen and Mount Dionysius regions.<sup>25, 26, 27</sup>
- **Saudi Arabia** has declared f the Uruq Bani Mu'arid Protected Area, the country's first "model reserve."<sup>28</sup>
- **Senegal:** Three new marine protected areas (Gorée island, Somone and Kaalolaal Blouf-Fogny) have been designated and Gandoul MPA expanded.<sup>29, 30</sup>
- **Seychelles:** A new large debt-for-nature swap, focused for the first time on marine parks, will create 13 new PAs, extending the country's MPA estate to 30% of its territorial waters; this is the first debt-conversion focused on marine parks.<sup>31, 32</sup>
- **Turkey:** the Gökova Bay Special Environmental Protection Area marine PA is being expanded by 350 km<sup>2</sup>.<sup>33</sup>
- **United States:** The Great American Outdoors Act will provide funding of up to US\$1.9 billion annually for protected area maintenance agencies (National Park Service, Forest Service, US Fish and Wildlife Service, Bureau of Land Management and Bureau of Indian Education), and permanent funding for the Land and Water Conservation Fund.<sup>34</sup> **Uruguay** has created a Ministry of the Environment (August 2020).<sup>35</sup>

Supplemental Table 1: Rollbacks to environmental protections enacted or advanced during the COVID-19 pandemic (January – October 2020). Table includes selected cases from: (1) Global Conservation Rollbacks Tracker related to land and water protections and/or IPLC rights; and/or general environmental regulations; and (2) Center for Western Priorities tracker of Interior Department rollbacks in 2020<sup>36</sup> related to protected areas and general environmental regulations that will affect them. Excludes other rollbacks specifically focused on species, climate, and air quality; see online sources (climate tracker; center for western priorities; CI tracker; NYT ) for more information.

Country	Rollback category	Description	Source
Albania	Land and water protections, Water	"Part of the larger Vjore-Narte Protected Area, Narta Lagoon is a stunning Key Biodiversity Area (KBA) rich in marine life, including the Mediterranean Monk Seal (Endangered), diverse plant species and a key 'landing' and refuelling site for waterbirds – not aeroplanes. The Albanian government continues to push for the construction of an airport here, despite a failed attempt last year and coordinated opposition from NGOs."	<a href="http://www.birdlife.org/worldwide/news/battle-keep-albanias-protected-areas-protected">http://www.birdlife.org/worldwide/news/battle-keep-albanias-protected-areas-protected</a>
Albania	Land and water protections, Water	"The construction of a new hydropower plant is threatening the Lure-Mali i Dejes National Park in Albania."	<a href="https://exit.al/en/2020/05/01/another-albanian-national-park-under-threat-from-hydropower-plant-construction/">https://exit.al/en/2020/05/01/another-albanian-national-park-under-threat-from-hydropower-plant-construction/</a>
Australia	General environmental regulations	"Coalition is aiming to change Australia's environment laws before review is finished"	<a href="https://www.theguardian.com/australia-news/2020/apr/23/coalition-is-aiming-to-change-australias-environment-laws-before-review-is-finished?CMP=share_btn_tw">https://www.theguardian.com/australia-news/2020/apr/23/coalition-is-aiming-to-change-australias-environment-laws-before-review-is-finished?CMP=share_btn_tw</a>
Australia	General environmental regulations	"Scientists have expressed dismay and frustration at Scott Morrison's latest push to deregulate the environmental approval process for major developments, noting it comes just months after an unprecedented bushfire crisis and during a review of national conservation laws."	<a href="https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2020/jun/16/scientists-fear-push-to-deregulate-environmental-approvals-will-lead-to-extinction-crisis">https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2020/jun/16/scientists-fear-push-to-deregulate-environmental-approvals-will-lead-to-extinction-crisis</a>
Australia	General environmental regulations	"The Streamlining Environmental Approvals Bill brought by Environment Minister Sussan Ley would create a 'one-touch regime' for assessments of major projects, which would hand state governments responsibility for approval and management of major project development impacts on threatened species, habitat and biodiversity as well as World Heritage areas."	<a href="https://amp.smh.com.au/politics/federal/morrison-government-resurrects-abbott-s-one-stop-shop-environment-laws-20200827-">https://amp.smh.com.au/politics/federal/morrison-government-resurrects-abbott-s-one-stop-shop-environment-laws-20200827-</a>

			<a href="#">p55ptw.html?_twitter_impression=true&amp;s=03</a>
Australia	General environmental regulations	"Legislation to change Australia's environmental laws has been rammed through the lower house by the Morrison government prompting outrage from Labor, the Greens and the crossbench. The government's bill would amend the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation (EPBC) Act, clearing the way for the transfer of development approval powers to state and territory governments."	<a href="https://www.theguardian.com/australia-news/2020/sep/03/australian-government-gags-debate-to-ram-environmental-law-changes-through-lower-house?CMP=Share_iOSApp_Other">https://www.theguardian.com/australia-news/2020/sep/03/australian-government-gags-debate-to-ram-environmental-law-changes-through-lower-house?CMP=Share_iOSApp_Other</a>
Australia	Land and water protections	"The suspension of conservation laws in the logging industry for the next decade by the State of Victoria is a direct deregulatory measure in agriculture and forestry. While it is not a law imposed across the entire country, the repeal of this legislation places natural forests at risk of logging. This suspension is a part of the Regional Forestry Agreement that was reaffirmed during the COVID-19 crisis which exempts loggers from compliance with certain federal conservation laws, including the Environmental Protection Biodiversity Conservation Act."	<a href="https://www.vivideconomics.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/GS1_924.pdf">https://www.vivideconomics.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/GS1_924.pdf</a>
Australia	Climate, Land and water protections	"Almost 7,000 square kilometres of land will be released for coal and gas exploration as part of a raft of measures to ensure the survival of the resources sector through the coronavirus pandemic, the Queensland Government has announced."	<a href="https://www.abc.net.au/news/2020-05-07/queensland-coal-and-gas-exploration-coronavirus/12220636">https://www.abc.net.au/news/2020-05-07/queensland-coal-and-gas-exploration-coronavirus/12220636</a>
Brazil	IPLC rights, Land and water protections	"...a presidential decree awaiting congressional approval and new rules at the indigenous agency FUNAI effectively legalise land grabbing in protected forests and indigenous reserves."	<a href="https://www.theguardian.com/world/2020/may/06/brazil-using-coronavirus-to-cover-up-assaults-on-amazon-warn-activists?fbclid=IwAR3bPjsVjoOZSLOci0zQp0UfO5FoHRvmQuWCj9iLo9RvZkyP6mXB7SiUUZ0">https://www.theguardian.com/world/2020/may/06/brazil-using-coronavirus-to-cover-up-assaults-on-amazon-warn-activists?fbclid=IwAR3bPjsVjoOZSLOci0zQp0UfO5FoHRvmQuWCj9iLo9RvZkyP6mXB7SiUUZ0</a>
Brazil	IPLC rights, Land and water protections	"A public land regularization project has generated so much criticism from environmentalists that foreign companies have already threatened to cut the import of Brazilian products."	<a href="https://g1.globo.com/jornal-nacional/noticia/2020/05/20/projeto-de-regularizacao-de-terras-publicas-gera-criticas-de-ambientalistas.ghtml">https://g1.globo.com/jornal-nacional/noticia/2020/05/20/projeto-de-regularizacao-de-terras-publicas-gera-criticas-de-ambientalistas.ghtml</a>
Brazil	IPLC rights, Land and water protections	"Brazil's lower house of Congress delayed voting on a land bill seen by some as contributing to deforestation in the Amazon rainforest, which	<a href="https://www.reuters.com/article/us-brazil-">https://www.reuters.com/arti</a>

		has dozens of European companies threatening to boycott Brazilian exports. The bill allows squatters on public land to more easily receive deeds to their properties, a policy that environmental advocacy group Imazon warns will accelerate deforestation of up to 16,000 square kilometers in the world's largest rainforest by 2027."	<a href="https://news.mongabay.com/2020/05/bolsonaro-revives-a-plan-to-carve-a-road-through-one-of-brazils-last-untouched-areas/">environment/brazil-delays-vote-on-land-bill-amid-threat-of-environmental-boycott-idUSKBN22W2TU?</a>
Brazil	Land and water protections	"President Jair Bolsonaro has revived a plan, conceived in the 1970s, to extend the BR-163 highway, the main soy corridor in Brazil, north to the border with Suriname."	<a href="https://news.mongabay.com/2020/05/bolsonaro-revives-a-plan-to-carve-a-road-through-one-of-brazils-last-untouched-areas/">https://news.mongabay.com/2020/05/bolsonaro-revives-a-plan-to-carve-a-road-through-one-of-brazils-last-untouched-areas/</a>
Brazil	Land and water protections	"Brazil faces a critical decision on licensing Highway BR-319, in the Purus / Madeira river basins of Amazonas state, which would 'chop the Amazon rainforest in half.'"	<a href="https://news.mongabay.com/2020/03/br-319-illegal-side-road-threatens-amazon-protected-area-indigenous-land-commentary/">https://news.mongabay.com/2020/03/br-319-illegal-side-road-threatens-amazon-protected-area-indigenous-land-commentary/</a>
Brazil	Land and water protections, IPLC rights	"Anglo American, one of the biggest mining companies in the world, and its two Brazilian subsidiaries have submitted nearly 300 applications to dig for gold and other minerals inside indigenous territories in the Brazilian Amazon, records seen by Mongabay show. Also at stake is the Renca national reserve, a massive protected area that Bolsonaro has indicated he wants reduced or stripped of its status in order to allow mining."	<a href="https://news.mongabay.com/2020/03/anglo-american-seeking-to-mine-on-indigenous-lands-in-brazils-amazon/">https://news.mongabay.com/2020/03/anglo-american-seeking-to-mine-on-indigenous-lands-in-brazils-amazon/</a>
Brazil	Land and water protections, IPLC rights	"Though mining is still illegal in indigenous reserves under Brazilian law, President Jair Bolsonaro has introduced a bill awaiting a vote in Congress that would allow mining, oil and gas extraction and other uses of these lands."	<a href="https://news.mongabay.com/2020/04/gold-mining-threatens-indigenous-forests-in-the-brazilian-amazon/">https://news.mongabay.com/2020/04/gold-mining-threatens-indigenous-forests-in-the-brazilian-amazon/</a>
Brazil	Land and water protections, IPLC rights	"Brazilian Environment Minister Ricardo Salles called on the government to push through further deregulation of environmental policy while people are distracted by the coronavirus pandemic, in a video the Supreme Court ordered released"	<a href="https://www.reuters.com/article/us-brazil-politics-environment/brazil-minister-calls-for-environmental-deregulation-while-public-distracted-by-covid-idUSKBN22Y30Y">https://www.reuters.com/article/us-brazil-politics-environment/brazil-minister-calls-for-environmental-deregulation-while-public-distracted-by-covid-idUSKBN22Y30Y</a>
Brazil	Land and water protections	"As in the rest of Legal Amazonia, farmers located in western Maranhão are subject to Brazil's Forest Code, and must conserve 80% of the standing forest on their land. In places like Maranhão, most of those Legal Reserves contain secondary forests, including important communal forests such as babassu stands. However, the new zoning policy approved by the Maranhão State Parliament in May reduces the	<a href="https://news.mongabay.com/2020/07/forest-restoration-not-just-halting-deforestation-vital-to-amazon/">https://news.mongabay.com/2020/07/forest-restoration-not-just-halting-deforestation-vital-to-amazon/</a>

		official Legal Reserve size from 80% to 50% of a property, if the land is not old-growth forest — freeing up 30% of those secondary forests for potential deforestation and potentially rewarding previous illegal logging."	
Brazil	Land and water protections	"The Brazilian government of Jair Bolsonaro has revoked regulations that protect tropical mangroves and other fragile coastal ecosystems. ... The decision removed so-called "permanent protection zones" created in 2002 to preserve Brazil's many tropical mangroves and the sand-dune scrublands. It was taken by the National Environmental Council, led by controversial Environment Minister Ricardo Salles."	<a href="https://www.bbc.com/news/world-latin-america-54338892">https://www.bbc.com/news/world-latin-america-54338892</a>  <a href="https://www.bbc.com/news/world-latin-america-54350180#:~:text=The%20decision%20removed%20so%2Dcalled,controversial%20Environment%20Minister%20Ricardo%20Salles.">https://www.bbc.com/news/world-latin-america-54350180#:~:text=The%20decision%20removed%20so%2Dcalled,controversial%20Environment%20Minister%20Ricardo%20Salles.</a>
Brazil	General environmental regulations	"Brazil dismantles environmental laws via huge surge in executive acts: Study. 'What we already know is that most of the noteworthy acts change the institutional structure. They point, mainly, to a greater concentration of power in the figure of the Minister of the Environment. We detected acts of flexibility — alteration, temporary or not, of deadlines or conditions for compliance with environmental rules, norms and laws — and of deregulation."	<a href="https://news.mongabay.com/2020/08/brazil-end-runs-environmental-laws-via-huge-surge-in-executive-acts-study/">https://news.mongabay.com/2020/08/brazil-end-runs-environmental-laws-via-huge-surge-in-executive-acts-study/</a>
Brazil	General environmental regulations	"The Bolsonaro government accelerated publication of acts on the environment during the months of the greatest growth of the COVID-19 pandemic in the country"	<a href="https://www1.folha.uol.com.br/ambiente/2020/07/governo-acelerou-canetadas-sobre-meio-ambiente-durante-a-pandemia.shtml">https://www1.folha.uol.com.br/ambiente/2020/07/governo-acelerou-canetadas-sobre-meio-ambiente-durante-a-pandemia.shtml</a>
Cameroon	Land and water protections	"The Cameroon government recently approved a logging concession for Ebo Forest, which would allow trees in 68,385 hectares (169,000 acres) of the region to be harvested, despite opposition from conservationists and local communities. Ebo Forest was previously slated to be transformed into a national park, an effort spearheaded by WWF, but plans were dashed in 2013, reportedly because of lack of funding."	<a href="https://news.mongabay.com/2020/07/for-tool-wielding-chimps-of-ebo-forest-logging-plan-is-a-death-sentence/">https://news.mongabay.com/2020/07/for-tool-wielding-chimps-of-ebo-forest-logging-plan-is-a-death-sentence/</a>
Cameroon	Land and water protections (rollback reversed)	"The Cameroonian government on Tuesday, August 11, cancelled a decree endangering 68,000 hectares of the primary forest of Ebo, in central Cameroon. A positive decision for the local communities strongly attached to their land but also for the preservation of biodiversity."	<a href="https://www.la-croix.com/Monde/Au-Cameroun-foret-dEbo-preservee-2020-08-12-1201108853">https://www.la-croix.com/Monde/Au-Cameroun-foret-dEbo-preservee-2020-08-12-1201108853</a>
Canada	General environmental regulations, Climate	"Alberta suspended reporting requirements under several environmental acts, except for drinking water facilities. Later changes by the Alberta	<a href="https://theconversation.com/rolling-back-canadian-">https://theconversation.com/rolling-back-canadian-</a>

		Energy Regulator removed many monitoring requirements for oil companies, including monitoring surface water, ground water and wildlife in tailings ponds. ... Monitoring was also temporarily put on hold in fisheries.... Ontario removed the requirements for consultation on environmental issues during the current state of emergency. ... Alberta also opened much of the eastern Rocky Mountains and foothills to open-pit coal mining without public consultation."	<a href="https://www.environmentalregulations.com/news/environmental-regulations-during-coronavirus-is-short-sighted-139636">environmental-regulations-during-coronavirus-is-short-sighted-139636</a>
Canada	Land and water protections	Proposal to eliminate protective status for provincial parks in Alberta, following a quiet amendment that removed the requirement for public consultation in these types of decisions. "A total of 175 parks are slated to be closed and/or removed from Alberta Parks system and revert to public land (including the 20 slated for full or partial closure some of which overlap with the 164 for future "partnership"). Public lands management and vacant public land-use do not adequately protect fish and wildlife or recreation values."	<a href="https://cpawsnab.org/alberta-parks-fact-check/">https://cpawsnab.org/alberta-parks-fact-check/</a>
Canada	Land and water protections	"20 Alberta parks to be fully or partially closed, while dozens opened up for 'partnerships.' Critics say move could lead to the provincial parks running as for-profits"	<a href="https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/calgary/alberta-park-funding-slashed-1.5484095">https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/calgary/alberta-park-funding-slashed-1.5484095</a>
Canada	General environmental regulations	"The government used its majority to pass the legislation, Bill 197, on Tuesday night over the objections of opposition parties. The omnibus bill makes sweeping changes to 20 pieces of legislation, including major rewrites of environmental law. Green advocates have said measures in the bill amount to a rollback of environmental protections. It includes a rewrite of environmental assessment rules — the government will now decide which projects get environmental assessments, rather than reviewing most public sector projects by default."	<a href="https://www.nationalobserver.com/2020/07/21/news/ford-governments-proposed-environmental-assessment-changes-are-potentially-illegal">https://www.nationalobserver.com/2020/07/21/news/ford-governments-proposed-environmental-assessment-changes-are-potentially-illegal</a>
Chile	Climate, Land and water protections	"In the midst of a pandemic, on April 20, the Evaluation Commission of the Valparaíso region - in charge of the classification of projects submitted to the Environmental Impact Assessment System (SEIA) - unanimously approved the Environmental Impact Statement (DIA) of the "Las Tejas Pre-Feasibility Mining Soundings" project, by the Compañía Minera Vizcachitas Holding, a subsidiary of the Canadian Los Andes Copper. This project contemplates the realization of 350 drillings to estimate the quantity and quality of existing mineral reserves in the Putaendo mountain range, with a view to generating an open-pit mine."	<a href="http://olca.cl/articulo/nota.php?id=107891">http://olca.cl/articulo/nota.php?id=107891</a>
Cook Islands	Land and water protections	"The Cook Islands government will allow miners to prospect for minerals on its seabed, with an eye to commencing mining within five years. Officials justify the decision on the need to ease the country's economic dependence on tourism, which has taken a hit from coronavirus-related travel restrictions."	<a href="https://news.mongabay.com/2020/06/cook-islands-to-grant-seabed-mining-exploration-licenses-within-a-year/">https://news.mongabay.com/2020/06/cook-islands-to-grant-seabed-mining-exploration-licenses-within-a-year/</a>

Ecuador	Land and water protections, IPLC rights, Climate	"New oil road deeper into Yasuni National Park (Ecuador) ...beginning in mid-March 2020, we detected the construction of a new access road heading further south from the last platform ... As of early May, this road construction was 3.7 km through primary forest. ... This finding is concerning because it brings oil development closer to the "Zona Intangible," a reserve created to protect the territory of indigenous people in voluntary isolation (Tagaeri, Taromenane), isolated relatives of the Waorani. ... It is also concerning because construction is occurring during the coronavirus pandemic."	<a href="https://maaproject.org/2020/itt-yasuni/">https://maaproject.org/2020/itt-yasuni/</a>
Ecuador	Land and water protections, General environmental regulations	Layoffs of 398 staff of the Ministry of Environment and Water, including 30 staff who worked in the National System of Protected Areas.	<a href="https://es.mongabay.com/2020/10/despidos-guardaparques-ecuador-riesgo-areas-protegidas/">https://es.mongabay.com/2020/10/despidos-guardaparques-ecuador-riesgo-areas-protegidas/</a>
El Salvador	Land and water protections, General environmental regulations	"The Executive requested a cut of \$ 16 million to eight institutions to pay salaries for three months, goods and services and financial expenses of the National Administration of Aqueducts and Sewers (ANDA). Among those institutions that were cut is Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources, with a reduction of \$ 1.4 million, depleting budget to manage natural protected areas and wildlife."	<a href="https://gatoencerrado.news/2020/06/05/gobierno-reduce-presupuesto-a-prevencion-de-riesgo-en-medio-de-emergencia/">https://gatoencerrado.news/2020/06/05/gobierno-reduce-presupuesto-a-prevencion-de-riesgo-en-medio-de-emergencia/</a>
Greece	Land and water protections, Climate	"Greek lawmakers approved a controversial environmental bill that changes regulations on land use, environmental licensing, the management of protected areas and sells another stake in Greece's power grid operator ADMIE, partly owned by State Grid Corporation of China. ... It will also allow oil and gas exploration in protected areas, while reducing the ability of local governments to block such investments."	<a href="https://www.politico.eu/article/greek-environment-bill-aims-at-coronavirus-recovery/">https://www.politico.eu/article/greek-environment-bill-aims-at-coronavirus-recovery/</a>
Hungary	Land and water protections	"The Hungarian government is planning to develop a tourism complex inside the following Natura 2000 site: Fertő tó SPA. The tourism complex is to cover roughly 60 hectares and includes the following elements: 1. Reconstruction of the existing beach area with its catering facilities 2. Building new tourism facilities: 4-star hotel, motel, camping, sport complex with indoor sport facilities, 880 parking places for cars, harbour for 450+ sailing yachts and 350+ paddling boats, ecotourism centre which is to be used as visitor centre of the Fertő-Hanság National Park."	<a href="https://savefertolake.yolasite.com/threats.php">https://savefertolake.yolasite.com/threats.php</a>
India	General environmental regulations	Government of India's environment ministry has proposed a new set of rules to govern the country's environment clearance regime for industrial projects like dams, mines, airports, highways etc. The draft Environment	<a href="https://india.mongabay.com/2020/03/indias-proposed-overhaul-of-environment-">https://india.mongabay.com/2020/03/indias-proposed-overhaul-of-environment-</a>



		Impact Assessment (EIA) notification 2020, which was unveiled last week, proposes to ease processes for business, does away with the public hearings for many projects, ease rules for expansion of projects among other things.	<a href="#">clearance-rules-could-dilute-existing-regulations/</a>
India	Land and water protections	"Despite resistance, the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC), has given the green signal to reduce the Eco-Sensitive Zone (ESZ) of the Bannerghatta National Park (BNP) by around 100 sq. km."	<a href="https://www.thehindu.com/news/cities/bangalore/its-official-bnps-eco-sensitive-zone-reduced-by-100-sqkm/article31053455.ece">https://www.thehindu.com/news/cities/bangalore/its-official-bnps-eco-sensitive-zone-reduced-by-100-sqkm/article31053455.ece</a>
India	Land and water protections	"In the peak of the Covid-19 Pandemic, as the whole country is on a lockdown mode, there is something that has stopped: the opening up and clearing up of Protected Areas for various projects. A total of 31 proposals involving diversion of 185 acres of National Parks and Sanctuaries and about 3000 acres in the eco sensitive zone is to be considered by the Standing Committee of the National Board for Wildlife (NBWL) headed by Prakash Javadekar, Union Minister for Environment, Forest and Climate Change."	<a href="https://www.impactnews.in/not-safe-even-during-lockdown-185-acres-of-land-within-national-parks-and-sanctuaries-proposed-for-diversion-by-national-board-for-wildlife/">https://www.impactnews.in/not-safe-even-during-lockdown-185-acres-of-land-within-national-parks-and-sanctuaries-proposed-for-diversion-by-national-board-for-wildlife/</a>
India	Land and water protections	"India's environment ministry has recently cleared multiple infrastructure projects in protected areas in the country. Assam's Dehing Patkai which has rare and endangered species including elephants and Goa's Bhagwan Mahavir which is part of an important tiger corridor are two among other wildlife sanctuaries where clearances for coal mining, power lines and roads have been given."	<a href="https://india.mongabay.com/2020/06/environment-ministry-unlocked-many-protected-areas-during-the-lockdown/">https://india.mongabay.com/2020/06/environment-ministry-unlocked-many-protected-areas-during-the-lockdown/</a>
India	Land and water protections, Climate	"Environmentalists have intensified their protest against the decision of National Board for Wildlife (NBWL) for coal mining in Saleki of the Dehing Patkai Elephant Reserve."	<a href="https://www.sentinelassam.com/topheadlines/environmentalists-opposed-coal-mining-in-saleki-of-dehing-patkai-elephant-reserve-477385">https://www.sentinelassam.com/topheadlines/environmentalists-opposed-coal-mining-in-saleki-of-dehing-patkai-elephant-reserve-477385</a>
India	Land and water protections, Climate	"The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change has given clearance for hydrocarbon drilling to Oil India Limited at seven locations under the Dibru Saikhowa National Park in Assam's Tinsukia district"	<a href="https://www.ndtv.com/india-news/row-over-2-environment-clearances-in-protected-wildlife-areas-in-assam-2232444">https://www.ndtv.com/india-news/row-over-2-environment-clearances-in-protected-wildlife-areas-in-assam-2232444</a>
India	General environmental regulations	"Wildlife nod not required for railway projects: Ministry ... Railway projects, small-scale development works involving construction over less than 20,000 square metres, and under-25 MW capacity hydropower plants will not require approval from the National Board for Wildlife (NBWL) even if they are located within eco-sensitive zones (ESZs) of national parks or wildlife sanctuaries, the environment ministry has said."	<a href="https://www.hindustantimes.com/india-news/wildlife-nod-not-required-for-rly-projects-ministry/story-Ik4I56MXDMxeQD0q5JQhIK.html">https://www.hindustantimes.com/india-news/wildlife-nod-not-required-for-rly-projects-ministry/story-Ik4I56MXDMxeQD0q5JQhIK.html</a>

India	Climate, Land and water protections	"India plans to fell ancient forest to create 40 new coalfields. ... under a new "self-reliant India" plan by the prime minister, Narendra Modi, to boost the economy post-Covid-19 and reduce costly imports, 40 new coalfields in some of India's most ecologically sensitive forests are to be opened up for commercial mining."	<a href="https://www.theguardian.com/world/2020/aug/08/india-prime-minister-narendra-modi-plans-to-fell-ancient-forest-to-create-40-new-coal-fields?CMP=share_btn_tw">https://www.theguardian.com/world/2020/aug/08/india-prime-minister-narendra-modi-plans-to-fell-ancient-forest-to-create-40-new-coal-fields?CMP=share_btn_tw</a>
Kenya	Land and water protections	"In its new 10-year management plan for the Nairobi National Park, the Kenya Wildlife Service intends to construct an eco-lodge, a high-end restaurant and an amphitheatre, which could threaten the park."	<a href="https://www.nation.co.ke/news/Lobbies-oppose-KWS-plan-for-hotels-in-park/1056-5529852-76uf7k/index.html">https://www.nation.co.ke/news/Lobbies-oppose-KWS-plan-for-hotels-in-park/1056-5529852-76uf7k/index.html</a>
Kenya	Land and water protections	"The construction of the road that cuts through the Nairobi National Park is ongoing. Initially, plans by the Kenya Railways to build an access road linking the Nairobi Inland Container Depot to the Southern Bypass along the boundary of Nairobi National Park (in 2018) drew opposition. The road has eaten into sections of the park."	<a href="https://www.the-star.co.ke/counties/nairobi/2020-03-12-road-works-underway-through-nairobi-national-park/">https://www.the-star.co.ke/counties/nairobi/2020-03-12-road-works-underway-through-nairobi-national-park/</a>
Malaysia	Land and water protections, IPLC rights	"The current Movement Control Order (MCO) and the suspension of activities by NGOs by the Registrar of Societies, have made it impossible to have any proper assessment of impacts or dialogue on the proposed degazettement of the Kuala Langat North Forest Reserve. So it came as a surprise when the Selangor state government announced it would soon conduct a public hearing session for the proposed degazettement."	<a href="https://omny.fm/shows/earth-matters/degazettement-process-goes-on-despite-covid-19-pan">https://omny.fm/shows/earth-matters/degazettement-process-goes-on-despite-covid-19-pan</a>
Mexico	Land and water protections	Budget cuts announced by the President to reduce the operational budget of almost all government entities by 75%, including for the National Natural Protected Areas Commission (CONANP).	<a href="https://www.dof.gob.mx/nota_detalle.php?codigo=5592205&amp;fecha=23/04/2020">https://www.dof.gob.mx/nota_detalle.php?codigo=5592205&amp;fecha=23/04/2020</a>
Philippines	IPLC rights	"A permit to establish the largest copper mine in the Philippines was to have expired on March 12 this year, but will instead remain valid for another 12 years, thanks to an "under-the-radar" extension granted by the government in 2016. ... "The mine falls within the ancestral domain of the Blaan tribespeople, an estimated 4,000 of whom will be displaced once the excavation begins."	<a href="https://news.mongabay.com/2020/03/the-fight-goes-on-for-opponents-of-a-philippine-mine-given-a-new-lease-on-life/">https://news.mongabay.com/2020/03/the-fight-goes-on-for-opponents-of-a-philippine-mine-given-a-new-lease-on-life/</a>

Poland	Land and water protections, climate	Adjustment of the definition of the type of wood that can be burned in powerplants, including "deadwood and dying trees" and allowance of sanitary logging; may lead to forest harvest in protected Natura 2000 sites. Would affect biodiversity, carbon storage, and ecosystem regeneration potential.	<a href="https://www.biofuelwatch.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/Open-Letter-by-Polish-CSOs.pdf">https://www.biofuelwatch.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/Open-Letter-by-Polish-CSOs.pdf</a>  <a href="https://www.lasy.gov.pl/pl/informacje/aktualnosci/wyjasnienie-w-sprawie-zmiany-ustawy-o-odnawialnych-zrodlach-energii-oraz-wprowadzenia-definicji-drewna-energetycznego">https://www.lasy.gov.pl/pl/informacje/aktualnosci/wyjasnienie-w-sprawie-zmiany-ustawy-o-odnawialnych-zrodlach-energii-oraz-wprowadzenia-definicji-drewna-energetycznego</a>  <a href="https://www.biofuelwatch.org.uk/2020/polish-scientists-letter/">https://www.biofuelwatch.org.uk/2020/polish-scientists-letter/</a>
Russia	Land and water protections	"A new Russian law that allows deforestation and construction near the shores of Siberia's Lake Baikal has sparked backlash among environmental activists who say the law threatens protected natural areas. ... The new law, signed by President Vladimir Putin on Friday, effectively permits deforestation in specially protected natural areas through 2024 in order to build or upgrade transport infrastructure. The law also suspends requirements for state environmental impact evaluations to be carried out ahead of transport construction and modernization projects."	<a href="https://www.themoscowtimes.com/2020/08/03/russia-sparks-backlash-for-allowing-deforestation-construction-along-lake-baikal-a71048">https://www.themoscowtimes.com/2020/08/03/russia-sparks-backlash-for-allowing-deforestation-construction-along-lake-baikal-a71048</a>
Slovenia	General environmental regulations	"In the shadow of the coronavirus, the new Slovenian government is taking rights from environmental and nature conservation NGOs. ... The law regarding building permits for facilities that have greater impact on the environment (integrated building permit) prevents most NGOs with the status of operating in the public interest for environmental protection and nature conservation from accessing legal funds - entry into the procedures for issuing an integrated building permit for facilities with environmental impacts. ... The law opens a time window when construction will be allowed in a single-stage administrative procedure (in the integral procedure under the Construction Act, the Ministry of the Environment and Spatial Planning decides), practically without the possibility of 'verifying legality regarding environmental and nature protection' and thus starting the construction. ... The current government has, despite the public protest in front of the Slovenian Parliament and several thousands of email sent to members of the	<a href="http://www.justiceandenvironment.org/news/?no_cache=1&amp;tx_ttnews%5Btt_news%5D=465&amp;cHash=51f5f5d304c5b06a7796759c6b0d12a7">http://www.justiceandenvironment.org/news/?no_cache=1&amp;tx_ttnews%5Btt_news%5D=465&amp;cHash=51f5f5d304c5b06a7796759c6b0d12a7</a>

		Parliament, proposed and adopted a new amendment, which imposes the same conditions as mentioned above, in the Nature Conservation Act. ... By imposing such harsh and unreasonable conditions, a vast majority of nature conservation NGOs will lose the right to defend nature in all administrative and court proceedings – by our rough estimation, only 4 nature conservation NGOs meet these conditions."	
South Africa	Land and water protections	"Mpumalanga Agriculture and Environment Member of the Executive Council has vowed to make sure that mining in the Mabola Protected Environment protected area will go ahead despite vehement protests from environmentalists."	<a href="https://citypress.news24.com/News/mpumalanga-mec-vows-to-ensure-controversial-mine-opens-20200508">https://citypress.news24.com/News/mpumalanga-mec-vows-to-ensure-controversial-mine-opens-20200508</a>
United Kingdom	Land and water protections	"Plans to build 1,000 new homes near Thomas Hardy land as part of development the size of 63 football pitches - the biggest ever on an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty in England – gets the go ahead from High Court." This is a proposed protected area.	<a href="https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-8207755/Plans-1-000-new-homes-Area-Outstanding-Natural-Beauty-Dorset-green-light-court.html">https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-8207755/Plans-1-000-new-homes-Area-Outstanding-Natural-Beauty-Dorset-green-light-court.html</a>
United Kingdom	Land and water protections	"A change to permitted development rights will see a growth in the height of telecoms masts that will be exempt from the need for planning permission. ... Of immediate concern is that masts on existing sites in both protected and non-protected areas can be increased in height to 20 meters without prior approval, while an existing mast can grow from 20 meters to 25 meters in non-protected areas without approval."	<a href="https://assetsphere.co.uk/2016/04/04/planning-permission-changes-telecoms-masts/">https://assetsphere.co.uk/2016/04/04/planning-permission-changes-telecoms-masts/</a>
United Kingdom	Land and water protections, Climate	"Highland councillors approve Sutherland Space Hub. Highlands and Islands Enterprise (HIE) wants to build the satellite launch site on peatland on the Moine Peninsula near Tongue. Highland Council had received 457 objections to the plans and 118 representations in support of them. The councillors' decision will be referred to the Scottish government for review."	<a href="https://www.bbc.com/news/uk-scotland-highlands-islands-53177040">https://www.bbc.com/news/uk-scotland-highlands-islands-53177040</a>
United Kingdom	Land and water protections, Climate	"Council approves Scottish 'spaceport' plans in protected area despite environmental concerns. It would be located in Caithness & Sutherland Peatlands, which is both a special area of conservation and special protection area, protected under the Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017."	<a href="https://www.endsreport.com/article/1688526/council-approves-scottish-spaceport-plans-protected-area-despite-environmental-concerns">https://www.endsreport.com/article/1688526/council-approves-scottish-spaceport-plans-protected-area-despite-environmental-concerns</a>
United States of America	Land and water protections	Revise land management plan to allow increased development within the original Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument	<a href="https://www.regulations.gov/document?D=BOEM-2018-0038-0001">https://www.regulations.gov/document?D=BOEM-2018-0038-0001</a>
United States of America	Land and water protections	Develop land use plan for lands within the reduced Bears Ears National Monument boundaries	<a href="https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/102555/510">https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/102555/510</a>

United States of America	Land and water protections, General environmental regulations	Reduce jurisdiction of the National Park Service in Alaska	<a href="https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/94460/510">https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/94460/510</a>
United States of America	Land and water protections	Revise California Desert Renewable Energy Conservation Plan by reducing conservation protections, allowing increased development	<a href="https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/38214/510">https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/38214/510</a>
United States of America	Land and water protections	Amend land use plan to allow Lake Powell Pipeline to cross protected public lands in Arizona	<a href="https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/62103/510">https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/62103/510</a>
United States of America	Land and water protections, Climate	Arctic National Wildlife Refuge: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Offer oil and gas leases</li> <li>2. Approve seismic testing to measure oil and gas potential</li> <li>3. Authorize incidental harming or killing of polar bears during oil and gas exploration</li> <li>4. Auction oil and gas leases</li> </ol>	<a href="https://beta.regulations.gov/document/FWS-R7-NWRS-2017-0058-34314">https://beta.regulations.gov/document/FWS-R7-NWRS-2017-0058-34314</a>  <a href="https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/91318/570">https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/91318/570</a>  <a href="https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/39877/510">https://eplanning.blm.gov/eplanning-ui/project/39877/510</a>  <a href="https://www.regulations.gov/docket?D=NPS-2019-0001">https://www.regulations.gov/docket?D=NPS-2019-0001</a>
United States of America	General environmental regulations	Weaken environmental reviews under the National Environmental Policy Act by adding new exemptions	<a href="https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/eAgendaViewRule?pubId=202004&amp;RIN=1010-AE07">https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/eAgendaViewRule?pubId=202004&amp;RIN=1010-AE07</a>
United States of America	Land and water protections	Allow hunting of bear cubs, baiting bears, and killing swimming caribou from motorboats within national preserves in Alaska	<a href="https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/eAgendaViewRule?pubId=201910&amp;RIN=1024-AE19">https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/eAgendaViewRule?pubId=201910&amp;RIN=1024-AE19</a>
United States of America	Land and water protections	Expand hunting and fishing in national wildlife refuges	<a href="https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/eAgendaViewRule?pubId=201910&amp;RIN=1018-BD78">https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/eAgendaViewRule?pubId=201910&amp;RIN=1018-BD78</a>
United States of America	Land and water protections	Authorize commercial fishing in the Northeast Canyons and Seamounts National Monument	<a href="https://www.whitehouse.gov/presidential-actions/proclamation-modifying-northeast-canyons-seamounts-marine-national-monument/">https://www.whitehouse.gov/presidential-actions/proclamation-modifying-northeast-canyons-seamounts-marine-national-monument/</a>

Supplemental Table 2: Example guidelines from organizations around the world have urged an economic recovery which integrates biodiversity.

Country or region	Organization	Policy Guidance or Initiative	Source
Global	World Economic Forum	Great Reset initiative: call to action for governments to set targets beyond GDP growth to guide post pandemic recovery and transformation	<a href="https://www.weforum.org/reports/dashboard-for-a-new-economy-towards-a-new-compass-for-the-post-covid-recovery">https://www.weforum.org/reports/dashboard-for-a-new-economy-towards-a-new-compass-for-the-post-covid-recovery</a>
Global	OECD	Urges governments to integrate biodiversity needs into their COVID-19 response and pandemic recovery plans including a call to scale up investments in biodiversity conservation, sustainable use, and restoration.	<a href="http://www.oecd.org/coronavirus/policy-responses/biodiversity-and-the-economic-response-to-covid-19-ensuring-a-green-and-resilient-recovery-d98b5a09/">http://www.oecd.org/coronavirus/policy-responses/biodiversity-and-the-economic-response-to-covid-19-ensuring-a-green-and-resilient-recovery-d98b5a09/</a>
Global	World Urban Parks	Pathway to Recovery – Wellbeing and Resilience	<a href="https://s3.amazonaws.com/s3.arpaonline.ca/WUP/COVID19/Pathways+to+Wellbeing/Pathways+to+Recovery+04-09-2020.pdf">https://s3.amazonaws.com/s3.arpaonline.ca/WUP/COVID19/Pathways+to+Wellbeing/Pathways+to+Recovery+04-09-2020.pdf</a>
Global	Conservation International	Leveraging nature as the foundation for resilient societies: Recommendations for post-COVID recovery plans	<a href="https://www.conservation.org/docs/default-source/publication-pdfs/ci-recovery_recommendations_final-may-13-2020.pdf?sfvrsn=47e74d42_2">https://www.conservation.org/docs/default-source/publication-pdfs/ci-recovery_recommendations_final-may-13-2020.pdf?sfvrsn=47e74d42_2</a>
Global	W20	Prioritising nature, health and people in an effective and equitable COVID-19 recovery and response	<a href="https://static1.squarespace.com/static/5ed9143578f49117cd45d295/t/5fb7bdfafc65646353d94d6b/1605877243161/WC20+Declaration.pdf">https://static1.squarespace.com/static/5ed9143578f49117cd45d295/t/5fb7bdfafc65646353d94d6b/1605877243161/WC20+Declaration.pdf</a>
Europe	EUROPARC	A Green and Healthy Recovery from COVID-19	<a href="https://www.europarc.org/nature/healthy-parks-healthy-people-europe/covid-19-a-green-and-healthy-recovery/">https://www.europarc.org/nature/healthy-parks-healthy-people-europe/covid-19-a-green-and-healthy-recovery/</a>
Canada	Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society	A Call to Put Nature Protection at the Heart of Canada's COVID-19 Recovery Strategies	<a href="https://cpaws.org/our-work/parks-protected-areas/">https://cpaws.org/our-work/parks-protected-areas/</a>
Canada	Green Budget Coalition	Provides specific budget requirements for protecting terrestrial and marine public and private lands, supporting ongoing protected area management, and restoring habitat	<a href="https://greenbudget.ca/wp-content/uploads/sites/4/2020/03/Green-Budget-Coalitions-final-Recommendations-for-Budget-2020-November-5-2019-web-site83169.pdf">https://greenbudget.ca/wp-content/uploads/sites/4/2020/03/Green-Budget-Coalitions-final-Recommendations-for-Budget-2020-November-5-2019-web-site83169.pdf</a>
UK	Parks Alliance	Greener Recovery- Delivering a Sustainable Recovery from COVID-19 . Recommends investing at least £1bn per year in parks and green spaces.	<a href="https://www.theparksalliance.org/delivering-a-greener-recovery-parks-and-green-spaces-have-a-key-role-to-play/">https://www.theparksalliance.org/delivering-a-greener-recovery-parks-and-green-spaces-have-a-key-role-to-play/</a>

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