

FORMAT FOR NOMINATION OF BHS BY LSG/BMC/RELEVANT COMMUNITY	
1. Geographical location of the proposed site	
a) Location (Map to be enclosed)	
b) Maps/ Plans showing boundary of proposed area	
c) Area of site (Acres/ Hectares)	
2. Legal status of the area	
a) Ownership	
b). Legal status	
c) Disputes if any	
d) Details of access rights if any (firewood, medicinal plants etc)	
e) Significant cultural practices followed in the area	
2. Justification for proposing the site as BHS	
a) What is the significance of the area	
b) What is the main purpose of the proposal for BHS	
c) Preliminary ecological profile of area	
d) What will be the benefits of declaring BHS	
3. Present status of the area	
a) What are the existing threats	
b) Present status of conservation	
c) Pressures on the site	
Encroachment, Agriculture, Grazing	
Environmental pressures	
Eco tourism	
Existing site management plan if any	
Opinion of stakeholders	
Name, designation and address of contact person	

Date:
Place:

Signature:
Address: