

Table 2: Forestry and conservation authorities, laws and classes in Malaysia

Peninsular Malaysia: Federal legislation	
Ministry of Energy and Natural Resources	
Department of Forestry of Peninsular Malaysia (JPSM)	Department of Wildlife Protection and National Parks of Peninsular Malaysia (PERHILITAN)
<p>National Forestry Act 1984</p> <p>Permanent Reserved Forest (PRF)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Timber Production Forest under Sustained Yield (ii) Soil Protection Forest (iii) Soil Reclamation Forest (iv) Flood Control Forest (v) Water Catchment Forest (vi) Forest Sanctuary for Wildlife (vii) Virgin Jungle Reserved Forest (viii) Amenity Forest (ix) Education Forest (x) Research Forest (xi) Forest for Federal Purposes (xii) State Park <p>Functional class (ii) to (xii) are categorised as conservation/protection/totally protected forests statistically. However, these functional classes must also be gazetted by the states to take effect. Any part of the PRF that has not been gazetted as (ii) to (xii) will be legally classed as (i) by default.</p>	<p>Wildlife Conservation Act 2010</p> <p>Wildlife Sanctuary</p> <p>Wildlife Reserve</p> <p>National Parks Act 1980</p> <p>National Park</p>

