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Central Zoo Authority

केन्द्रीय चिड़ियाघर प्राधिकरण



F.No.7-4/2017-CZA/1191/2017

DATE: 30.06.2017

OFFICE ORDER

Subject: Re-constitution of the Technical Committee of the Central Zoo Authority – regarding

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 38D(2) of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 (53 of 1972), and in supersession of the Order F.No.19-8/92-CZA(Vol.IV) (M)/5060-67 dated 11.06.2014, except in respects things done or committed to be done before such supersession, with the approval of the Chairperson, Central Zoo Authority and Minister for Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Government of India, the Central Zoo Authority hereby re-constitutes a Sub-group namely Technical Committee (to deal with the technical matters) of the Members of the re-constituted Central Zoo Authority vide S.O.1685(E), dated the 18th May, 2017, with following composition and terms of reference:

1. Additional Director General of Forests (Wildlife),
and Director, Wildlife Preservation,
Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change,
Government of India, New Delhi Chairperson
2. Additional Secretary and
Financial Advisor,
Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change,
Government of India, New Delhi Member
3. Director,
Indian Veterinary Research Institute,
Bareilly, Uttar Pradesh Member
4. Director,
Wildlife Institute of India,
Dehradun – 248 001. (Uttarakhand) Member

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| 5. Chief Executive Officer,
World Wide Fund for Nature India,
New Delhi | Member |
| 6. Shri C.S. Yalakki,
IFS Retired,
House No.1604, E & F Block,
Ramakrishna Nagar,
Mysuru – 570 023. (Karnataka) | Member |
| 7. Shri Bharat Pathak,
IFS Retired,
Plot No. 64, Near Small Shopping Centre,
Sector – 8, Gandhinagar – 382 007. (Gujarat) | Member |
| 8. Member Secretary,
Central Zoo Authority,
New Delhi | Convenor |

Terms of Reference: The main functions of the Technical Committee would be:

- (a) To make recommendation to the Authority on specification of the minimum standards for housing, upkeep and veterinary care of the animals kept in a zoo.
- (b) To make recommendation to the Authority on grant of recognition or de-recognition to the Zoos and to recommend the applications received for the creation of new Zoos.
- (c) To make recommendation to the Authority in identification of endangered species of wild animals for purpose of captive breeding and assigning responsibility in this regard to a Zoo.
- (d) To make recommendation to the Authority on exchange of animals with foreign Zoos, accepting gift of animals from foreign Zoos and to gift animals to foreign Zoos.
- (e) To make recommendation to the Authority on acquisition or transfer of any wild animal specified in Schedule I and Schedule II of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 and exchange of animals which are part of coordinated conservation breeding programme between Indian Zoos.
- (f) To make recommendation to the Authority in identification of priorities, themes regarding display of captive animals in a zoo besides approval of the Master Plan of a zoo.
- (g) To make recommendation to the Authority in coordination of training of zoo personnel in India and outside India besides recommendation to the Authority in deciding proposals for organizing workshops and meetings in India on various aspects of Zoo management.

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- (h) To make recommendation to the Authority on approval of research projects on issues related with the Zoos for funding by the Authority.
- (i) To make recommendation to the Authority to provide technical assistance to Zoos for their proper management and development on scientific lines.
- (j) To make recommendation to the Authority to approve proposals for release of financial assistance to various Zoos and other organizations.
- (k) Any other function that may be assigned to it by the Central Zoo Authority.

The term of the office of the Chairperson and members of the Technical Committee will be coterminous with the Central Zoo Authority constituted for a period of three years vide notification S.O.1685(E), dated the 18th May, 2017 and published on 24th May, 2017.

The non-official members shall be eligible for sitting fees as per Government of India instructions in this regard.

The members shall be eligible for payment of T.A. / D.A. for attending the meeting as per Government of India Rules.

This has approval of the Chairperson, Central Zoo Authority and Minister for Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Government of India, New Delhi vide note dated 12.06.2017.

Yours sincerely,



(Dr. D.N. Singh)
Member Secretary

Distribution:

1. Members of the Central Zoo Authority
2. Members of the Technical Committee
3. Members of the Administrative Committee