



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS & CLIMATE CHANGE

Central Zoo Authority



F. No. 19-81/92-CZA(124)(NS)/6987

DATE: 17.04.2015

To

The Deputy Conservator of Forests
Chitradurga Division,
Chitradurga- 577 501

Sub:- Renewal of recognition to Adumalleswara Balavana cum Mini Zoo, Chitradurga, Karnataka under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 beyond the period of 30.04.2014- Reg.

Sir,

The evaluation of the Adumalleswara Balavana cum Mini Zoo, Chitradurga, Karnataka was carried out by Sh. Alankar K. Jha on 29.08.2014. The Mid-term evaluation report of Kunjanagar Eco Park, Kunjanagar, Jalpaiguri, West Bengal as submitted by the evaluating officer was considered by the Technical Committee in its 73rd Meeting of Central Zoo Authority held on 10th March 2015.

The Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant recognition to Adumalleswara Balavana cum Mini Zoo, Chitradurga, Karnataka under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to 30.04.2017 subject to the compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo (Amendment) Rules, 2013 and mid-term evaluation of the zoo:-

S. No.	Norm No.	Condition Stipulated	Time Period to Comply
1. General Requirements			
1	1(3)	Viewing of animals be done from one or two sides only. At present all enclosures are accessed from all sides. This must be stopped forthwith.	One month
2	1(8)	Four Blackbucks with skin infections are on display. They should be taken out of display area.	Immediately
3.	1(9)	Pigeons on display should be removed and taken outside zoo area.	Immediately
2. Administrative & staffing patterns			
4	2(1)	A full fledged officer with sufficient financial powers be made in charge of the Park for proper attention and upkeep.	Six months,

3. Development and Planning

beyond
above


5	3(1)	The Master Plan be prepared and approved from CZA	Immediately
6	3(5)(6)	The rescued Common leopards and deer must be brought to notice of Chief Wildlife Warden for retaining in the zoo. If fit they must be released back to forest area. Same action is to be taken for all rescued animals in future.	Immediately
7	3(7)	Steps need to be taken by way of regular exchange inside the State of Karnataka as to Deer population to infuse new bloodlines.	Immediately
4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures			
8	4(12),(2), (3)	(i) The sloth bear enclosure should be enriched and feeding cell be covered away from visitor side. Enrichment of all enclosures are required alongwith provision of furniture for animals. (ii) The enclosure of peafowl is also too small and not congenial to its biological behavior. (iii) The Blackbuck enclosure is quite unaesthetic as zoo authorities have raised chain link fence of 5-6 meters high to prevent panthers from entering into the deer enclosures and preying upon the same. The exhibit on prescribed dimensions of CZA should be proposed.	Six months
9	4(5), (9)	Enclosures need to be modified and enriched as per CZA specifications. Provision be kept for that in management Plan with prioritization.	Two years
5. Upkeep and healthcare of animals			
10	5(1)	The three common leopards, jackal, and a sloth bear need mates.	Within six months
11	5(2)	Feed of animals and birds need ratification from Zoo Authority of Karnataka. A uniformity is needed with help from Mysore and Bannerghatta Zoo. CZA guidelines through IVRI project can be helpful. In case of distribution of food to Deer needs spreading to 4-5 location on raised bamboo platforms. Feed to carnivores be given just after closing of visitor entry.	Within six months
12	5(3)	The Management was advised to maintain the keepers diary. Were advised to follow protocol of CZA as per standardization of record keeping.	Immediately

A half yearly report regarding progress made in implementation of the aforesaid condition should be submitted to the Central Zoo Authority.

Grant of recognition to Adumalieswara Balavana cum Mini Zoo Chitradurga Karnataka beyond 30.04.2017 would be considered on the basis of compliance of the condition stated above and general performance of the zoo.

The recognition to the Adumalieswara Balavana cum Mini Zoo, Chitradurga, Karnataka shall be revoked by the Central Zoo Authority, at any point of time if the Zoo Operator is found not complying with the stipulated conditions.

Yours faithfully,


(Vinod Ranjan) 17.4.15
Member Secretary

Copy to:-

1. The Chief Wildlife Warden, Government of Karnataka, Bangalore for favour of information and with a request that the stipulated conditions may be got implemented.
2. The Member Secretary, Zoo Authority of Karnataka, Mysore.
3. Mr. Vivek Goel, DPA, CZA.


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DATE: 01.01.2013

To

The Deputy Conservator of Forests
Chitradurga Division,
Chitradurga – 577 501 (Karnataka).

Sub:- Renewal of recognition to Adumalleshwara Children's Park-cum-Mini Zoo, Chitradurga beyond the period of 30.04.2011 under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972.

Sir,

The evaluation of the Adumalleshwara Children's Park-cum-Mini Zoo, Chitradurga was carried out by Sh. S. C. Sharma and Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta on 26.04.2012. The evaluation report of the Adumalleshwara Children's Park-cum-Mini Zoo, Chitradurga as submitted by the evaluating officers was considered by the Technical Committee in its 63rd Meeting held on 5th December 2012.

The zoo is located in a very rich wildlife habitat having in-situ population of species like Leopard, Sloth bear, Peacock and various species of deer. Its continuance blocks the migratory route of these wild animals. Further, the State Government proposed to notify the area as Wildlife sanctuary hence the continuance of the zoo at the present site is not congenial to the interest of in-situ wildlife of the area.

The Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant of recognition to Adumalleshwara Children's Park-cum-Mini Zoo, Chitradurga as "Mini Category Zoo" under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to 30.04.2014 subject to the compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009 and mid-term evaluation of the zoo:-

S. No.	Norm No.	Condition Stipulated	Time Period to Comply
1. General requirements			
2.	1 (1)	The zoo in its present form is not serving the cause of wildlife conservation in any way.	Within six months
2. Administrative and Staffing Pattern			
3.	2 (1)	The zoo does not have full time Officer-in-charge and other supporting staff.	Within six months
4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures			
4.	4 (12), (2), (3)	(i) The enclosures of Sloth bear and Leopard are too small and do not allow the animals a space for movement and exercise.	Within six months

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		(ii) The enclosure of peafowl is also too small and not congenial to its biological behaviour. (iii) The Blackbuck enclosure is quite un-aesthetic as zoo authorities have raised chain-link fence of 5-6 meters high to prevent Panthers from entering into the deer enclosure and preying upon the same.	
9. Acquisition and Breeding			
5.	9 (i)	Since last evaluation, the population of Sloth bear had declined from two females to one female. The Panther from 3:1 to 1:2. The population of Peafowl's has also become 2:3 to 3:1, hence biological less viable. May initiate necessary efforts for maintaining a viable population.	Immediately

Other observations

A half yearly report regarding progress made in implementation of the aforesaid conditions should be submitted to the Central Zoo Authority on or before 30.06.2013,

Grant of recognition to Adumalleshwara Children's Park-cum-Mini Zoo, Chitradurga beyond 30.04.2014 as "a Mini Category Zoo" would be considered on the basis of compliance of the conditions stated above and general performance of the zoo.

The recognition to the Adumalleshwara Children's Park-cum-Mini Zoo, Chitradurga shall be revoked by the Central Zoo Authority, at any point of time if the Zoo Operator is found not complying with the stipulated conditions.

Yours faithfully,


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To

The Deputy Conservator of Forests,
Chitradurga Division,
Chitradurga – 577 501(Karnataka)

Sub:- Renewal of Recognition to Mini Zoo, A. M. Gudi, Balvana, Dist. Chitradurga under beyond the period of 30.6.2007 Section 38 H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act - Regarding.

Sir,

Reference is invited to your letter No. B1-Bud-Rec-200-CR-01/07-08/527 dated 12.7.2007 seeking renewal of recognition for the Mini Zoo, A. M. Gudi, Balvana, Dist. Chitradurga beyond the period of 30.6.2007 under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972.

The evaluation of the Mini Zoo, A. M. Gudi, Balvana, Dist. Chitradurga was carried out on 17.8.2007 by Sh. P. C. Tyagi. The evaluation report of the Mini Zoo, A. M. Gudi, Balvana, Dist. Chitradurga as submitted by the evaluating officer was considered by the Technical Committee in its 47th Meeting held on 18.2.2008.

The Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant of recognition to Mini Zoo, A. M. Gudi, Balvana, Dist. Chitradurga as a minil category Zoo under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to 30.04.2011 subject to the compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 1992:-

S. No.	Relevant Norm No.	Conditions	Time Period
General			
1.	2	The Zoo Operator shall not acquire any animal without the permission of the Chief Wildlife Warden under Section 11 (1)(a) and the Central Zoo Authority under Section 38I of the Act.	With immediate effect
2.	7	The Zoo should be closed to the visitors' atleast once a week.	With immediate effect
3.	8	The chain link fence existing around the Zoo should be strengthened/ replaced wherever required as of security and preventing free ranging animals coming inside the Park. The height of the such security fencing should be kept 2 meters from the ground level.	Six months
Animal Enclosures – Design, Dimensions and other Essential Features			
4.	15	The animal enclosures in the Zoo should be so designed as to fully ensure the safety of the animals and caretakers. The every enclosure should be provided appropriate stand off barriers and adequate warning signs for keeping the visitors at the safe distance of the animals.	With immediate effect
5.	16	(i) The Zoo Operator should create/ modify/ improve animal housing (for the targeted species identified under the Master Plan). The animal enclosures in the Park should be so designed as to meet the biological requirements of the animals housed therein. The enclosure should be of such size as to ensure that the animals get space for their free movement and exercise. (ii) The Bear and the Panther enclosures should be made as per the specification laid in the Appendix I & II of the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 1992 by providing appropriate feeding/ retiring cells and paddock area. The designs of the enclosures should have got prior approval from the Central Zoo Authority.	Six months
6.	16A	The Zoo Operator should provide appropriate screening between the adjacent enclosure to safeguard against the animals getting excited or stressed because of visibility of animals in other enclosures.	With immediate effect

7.	17	(i) The Zoo Operator should provide every enclosure with planting appropriate species of trees for providing shade and shelter. (ii) The Sloth bear and Leopard enclosures should be provided wooden logs and wooden platforms at an appropriate place to enrich their environment.	Three months
8.	20	Designing of any new enclosure for the Schedule I & II animals should be finalized from the Central Zoo Authority.	With immediate effect
Hygiene, Feeding and Upkeep			
9.	21	The Zoo Operator should ensure timely supply of wholesome and unadulterated food in sufficient quantity to each animal as their required.	With immediate effect
10.	25	All the animal enclosures in the Zoo should have periodic application of disinfectant in consultation with the Veterinary Officer in the Zoo.	With immediate effect
Animal Care, Health and Treatment			
11.	26	The animal shall be handled only by the staff having appropriate experience and training in handling the animals. Every care shall be taken to avoid discomfort/ behavioral stress or physical harm to any animal.	With immediate effect
12.	29	The Zoo Operator should arrangement medical checkups of staff handling animals for screening against zoonotic diseases every six months.	With immediate effect
13.	30	The Zoo shall maintain animal history sheets and treatment cards in respect of each reptile of endangered species.	With immediate effect
Veterinary facilities			
14.	33	The Zoo Operator should construct a small treatment room in the premises of the Zoo where routine examination of the animals can be taken and immediate treatment can be provided.	Six months
15.	34	Any animal that dies in the Zoo shall be subjected to a detailed post-mortem operation by a veterinarian registered with the State Veterinary Council or Veterinary Council of India and findings of such operation shall be recorded and maintained for a period of atleast six year.	With immediate effect

Breeding of Animals			
16.	36	The Zoo should keep of such number of animals of such species for which appropriate housing facility exists. The Zoo Operator shall be responsible for ensuring that the number of animals of any species does not go beyond the holding capacity of the enclosures available in the Zoo and housing standards are not compromise for keeping the excessive numbers.	With immediate effect
17.	37	The Zoo should find an appropriate mate for the single Muggar, Common Langur and Python housed in the Zoo in consultation with the recognized Zoos in the country.	Six months
18.	40.	The Zoo Operator should immediately implement appropriate control measures to safeguard against uncontrolled growth to the population of Black buck by implementing appropriate population control measures or by separation of the sexes.	With immediate effect
Maintenance of Records and Submission of inventory to the Central Zoo Authority			
19.	42	The records of birth, acquisition, disposals and deaths of the animals should be maintained. The inventory of the animals in the Zoo as on 31 st March of every year shall be submitted to the Central Zoo Authority by 30 th April of the same year.	With immediate effect
20.	43	A brief summary of the death of animals in the Zoo for every financial year, along with the reasons of death identified on the basis of the postmortem report and diagnostic tests should be submitted to the Central Zoo Authority.	With immediate effect
21.	44	The Zoo Operator should submit an Annual Report for activities of the Centre in respect of each financial year to the Central Zoo Authority.	With immediate effect
Education & Research			
22.	45	Every enclosure in the Zoo should bear a sign board displaying scientific information regarding the animals exhibited in it.	Three months
Development & Planning			
23.	51	The Zoo shall prepare a theme based long-term (for a minimum period of 10 years) master plan for its development including a management plan for next six years giving details of the proposals and activities of development during the period.	31 st March, 2009

The copies of the said plan shall be sent to the Central Zoo Authority. The guidelines circulated by the Central Zoo Authority with regard to preparation of Master Plan should be strictly followed.

A half yearly report regarding progress made in implementation of the aforesaid conditions should be submitted to the Central Zoo Authority.

Grant of recognition to Mini Zoo, A. M. Gudi, Balvana, Dist. Chitradurga as a 'Mini Category Zoo' beyond 30.04.2011 would be considered on the basis of compliance of the conditions stated above and general performance of the zoo.

The recognition to the Mini Zoo, A. M. Gudi, Balvana, Dist. Chitradurga shall be revoked by the Central Zoo Authority, at any point of time if the Zoo Operator is found not complying with the stipulated conditions.

Yours faithfully,
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