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MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE
Central Zoo Authority



F.No.19-1/93-CZA(194)(AK)/2666/2016

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To

The Divisional Forest Officer,
Balangir Forest Division,
Balangir – 767 001. (Odisha)
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Subject:- Renewal of recognition of Harishankar Deer Park, Balangir, Odisha as per the provisions of Section 38H of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 for period beyond 30.09.2015 - regarding

Reference:-

1. Application vide letter No.4054/IF dated 26.09.2015 from the Divisional Forest Officer, Bolangir Forest Division
2. This office letter F.No.19-1/93-CZA(194)(M)/3516 dated 10.09.2013

Sir,

Reference is invited to above cited correspondence. It is to inform that the evaluation of Harishankar Deer Park, Balangir, Odisha was carried out by Dr. Devender Kumar on 26.06.2016. The evaluation report of the Harishankar Deer Park, Balangir as submitted by the evaluating officer was considered by the Technical Committee in its 79th Meeting held on 24th August, 2016.

The Technical Committee of the Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant conditional renewal of recognition for a period of two years. The renewal of recognition of Harishankar Deer Park, Balangir, as "a Mini Category Zoo" as per the provisions of Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 is for a period up to 23rd August, 2018 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.	Conditions Stipulated	Time Period to Comply
1.General requirements			
1	1(2)	The area of the Deer Park is only 1 hectare. It should be increased as per guidelines of the Central Zoo Authority.	Six months
2	1(3)	Visitors' movement should be regulated in such a manner that zoo animals are not unduly disturbed, stressed or provoked.	Four months
3	1(5)	A perimeter wall should be constructed around the Deer Park with height of 2 mtr. from ground on both sides,.	Six months
4	1(6)	The Forest Guest house, Range office & Choukidar quarter etc. located in the premises of Deer Park should be separated by a wall of 2 mtr. height from ground on both sides, with an independent entrance and exit.	Six months
2.Administrative and staffing pattern			
5	2(1)	Whole time In-charge with adequate administrative and financial powers should be appointed at the Deer Park.	Immediately

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3. Development and Planning			
6	3(1)	Master Plan along with Animal Collection plan should be submitted for approval of the Central Zoo Authority.	Two months
7	3(8)	In case of rescued animals of endangered species, the report should be submitted to the Chief Wildlife Warden of the State & the Central Zoo Authority.	Immediately
4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures			
8	4(5)	Enclosure should be revamped and it should be according to guidelines issued by the CZA.	As and when Master Plan of the Zoo is approved.
5. Upkeep and Healthcare of animals			
9	5(2)	The food and water samples should be got tested.	Within one month and thereafter once in every three months
10	5(5)	The excreta of animals should be removed promptly from the feeding cells and kraals. Also, the feeding cells and kraals should be washed and disinfected.	Regularly
11	5(9)	Staff involved in healthcare of animals should be screened against zoonotic diseases once every year.	Within one month and thereafter at least once in an year
6. Veterinary and infrastructure facilities			
12	6(1)	Facilities for quarantine and treatment should be developed at the Deer Park.	Four months
9. Acquisition and breeding of animals			
13	9(1)	Surplus stock of Spotted deer should be shifted to other recognised zoos or be released in to nearby forest area, if found fit, following the guidelines in this regard developed by the CZA & IUCN.	Six months
14	9(9)	The zoo should implement result oriented adequate population control measures to limit number of Spotted deer (79:82).	Immediately
12. Visitors facilities			
15	12(2)	First aid facility including anti snake venom should be made available at the Deer Park.	Immediately
16	12(3)	Wheel chairs be procured to assist 'Divyangjan' among visitors to Deer Park.	Three months

Further, it is to inform that the recognition granted to Harishankar Deer Park, Balangir, for period up to 23rd August, 2018 is subject to compliance with above conditions.

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

The renewal of recognition of Harishankar Deer Park, Balangir, for period beyond 23rd August, 2018 as "a Mini Category Zoo" would be considered on the basis of compliance of the conditions stated above and general performance of the zoo.

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The recognition of Harishankar Deer Park, Balangir, 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



(Dr. D.N. Singh)
Member Secretary

Copy to:-

1. The Chief Wildlife Warden, Government of Odisha, 5th Floor, BDA Apartments, Prakruti Bhawan, Nilakantha Nagar, Nayapalli, Bhubaneshwar - 751 012. (Odisha), E-mail:- odishawildlife@gmail.com – for information and with a request that the conditions stipulated may be got implemented
2. DPA, CZA – to update database

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Central Zoo Authority



BY REGISTERED POST

F. No. 19-1/93-CZA(194)(M) / 3516

DATE: 10.09.2013

To

The Divisional Forest Officer
Bolangir Division,
Bolangir (Orissa).

Sub:- Grant of renewal of recognition to the Harishankar Deer Park, Bolangir beyond the period of 31.05.2013 under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972.

Sir,

Reference is invited to your letter No. 2577/IF dated 23.05.2013 seeking renewal of recognition to Harishankar Deer Park Bolangir beyond the period of 31.05.2013 under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972.

The evaluation of the Harishankar Deer Park, Bolangir was carried out on 21.05.2013 by Sh. R. C. Bhattacharjee. The evaluation report submitted by the evaluating officer was considered by the Technical Committee in its 67th Meeting held on 30th August, 2013.

The Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant of recognition to Harishankar Deer Park, Bolangir as a Mini Category Zoo under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to 30th September, 2015 subject to the mid-term evaluation of the zoo and compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009:-

S. No.	Norm No.	Conditions to be Complied	Time Period
3. Development & Planning			
1.	2	(i) Master Plan for the long-term development of the zoo should be prepared and submit for its approval to CZA.	Immediate

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9. Acquisition and breeding of animals			
2.	9	As there is no scope for expanding the present area of the park because of land lock, immediate action for either transfer, effective segregation, hormone transplant, vasectomy for population control must be resorted through Vet. Institutes.	Immediate

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 Harishankar Deer Park, Bolangir beyond 30th September, 2015 as "a Mini Category zoos" would be considered on the basis of compliance of the conditions stated above and general performance of the zoo.

The recognition to the Harishankar Deer Park, Bolangir 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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(B. S. Bonal)
Member Secretary

Copy to:-

1. The Chief Wildlife Warden, Government of Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of information and with a request that the stipulated conditions may be got implemented.
2. Sh. Vivek Goel, DPA, CZA.


(Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta)
Evaluation and Monitoring Officer



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F. No. 19-1/93-CZA(194)(M)

DATE: 23.05.2011

To

The Divisional Forest Officer
Bolangir Division,
Bolangir (Orissa).

Sub:- Renewal of Recognition to the Harishankar Deer Park, Bolangir beyond the period of 31.03.2010 under Section 38 H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 - Regarding.

Sir,

Reference is invited to your letter No. 2501/IF received in this office on 19.05.2011 seeking renewal of recognition to the Harishankar Deer Park, Bolangir beyond the period of 31.03.2010 under Section 38 H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972.

The Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant of recognition to Harishankar Deer Park, Bolangir as a Mini Category Zoo under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to 31st May, 2013 subject to the mid-term evaluation of the zoo and compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009:-

Norm No.	Conditions to be Complied	Time Period
General		
	As the area of the Deer Park is less than the prescribed by the Central Zoo Authority, therefore the Deer Park should acquire additional area of atleast 5 hectares or shifted to an suitable site in consultation with the Chief Wildlife Warden of the State and Central Zoo Authority.	Within one year
3. Development & Planning		
1	(i) Revised Master Plan for managing the deer park in scientific manner, following the prescribed guidelines of the Central Zoo Authority and comments communicated by this Authority in this regard.	Immediately

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	(ii) As part of the long term master plan, possibility of developing a small thematic zoo based on the animals depicted in Ramayana and Mahabharata could also be explored at the new site in Gandhamardhan Reserve Forests	
9. Acquisition and Breeding of animals		
9	Segregate the male and female Spotted deer to avoid further recruitment in the population.	With immediate effect

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

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