



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE  
**Central Zoo Authority**



F. No. 23-39/94-CZA(365)/307/2016

**THROUGH EMAIL/REGISTERED POST**  
**DATE: 22.02.2016**

To

The Chief Wildlife Warden  
Govt. of Andhra Pradesh  
Aranya Bhawan , Saifabad  
Hyderabad-500004  
Andhra Pradesh

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**Sub:- Renewal of recognition to Kandaleru Deer Park, Kandaleru, SPSR Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 beyond the period of 31.08.2014.**

Sir,

Reference is invited to your office letter dated 05.09.2014 received in this office on 26.09.2014 seeking grant of renewal of recognition to of Kandaleru Deer Park, Kndaleru for period beyond 31.08.2014

The evaluation of the Kandaleru Deer Park, Kandaleru was carried out by Dr. B. Trinadha Rao on 24.09.2014. The evaluation report of the Kandaleru Deer Park, Kandaleru as submitted by the evaluating officers was considered by the Technical Committee in its 77<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2016.

The 'Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant of recognition to Kandaleru Deer Park, Kandaleru as 'Small Zoo' under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 for a period up to 20.01.2019 subject to the compliance with the following directives under Rule 10 of Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009 (Amended in 2013) and mid-term evaluation of the zoo:-

S. No.	Norm No.	Condition Stipulated	Time Period to Comply
<b>Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures:</b>			
1.	4	The double gates provided in the deer park should be operated judiciously. The chain link fencing all around the perimeter of the deer park shall be strengthened to prevent entry of predators.	With immediate effect
2.	4.3	The deer park is established in 25 hectares with a perimeter of 2200 mts of chain link fencing. Noticed the fence giving way at the bottom resulting in entry of dogs. Hence the chain link fencing all around the perimeter should be fixed in concrete to prevent reoccurrence of such incidence.	1-2 months

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3.	4.9	The spotted deer shall be acclimatized to visitors' area and the viewing area should be provided with effective stand-off barrier as specified by CZA i.e. 75 cm high, 150 cm away from the chain link fencing. Adequate stand-off barrier should be provided all along the viewing area to prevent disturbance to the animals.	With immediate effect
4.	4.10	Appropriate signage with relevant information on biology, behaviour and other information shall be fixed at the viewing area of the visitors.	One month
<b>Upkeep and healthcare of animals:</b>			
5.	5.1	A footpath of adequate size should be provided with proper disinfectant at the deer park entry.	With immediate effect
6.	5.2	The cattle feed and green fodder being provided to the deer at present appears to be inadequate. The specification being followed in the Indira Gandhi Zoological Park, Vishakhapatnam be followed.	With immediate effect
7.	5.2.3	The cattle feed, salt licks and medicines are kept in store room. But the feed is kept on the floor, prone to contamination by moisture etc. There are (3) window which are not rodent proof. Hence wooden planks shall be provided on which the cattle feed bags shall be placed. The medicine shall be kept in a shelf. The windows shall be made rodent proof with iron mesh of adequate size. The cattle feed sample be got tested with each consignment through local veterinarian.	With immediate effect
8.	5.3.2	The watch and ward are not trained to handle the wild animals, although they have been working there for the past several years. They should be imparted with short term training in Indira Gandhi Zoological Park (IGZP), Visakhapatnam.	1-2 months
9.	5.3.3	The zoo animals shall be screened for parasitic loads by following prophylactic schedule being adopted in IGZP, Visakhapatnam. The deworming drugs are being supplied in a routine manner without verifying the parasitic loads, by the local veterinarian. The local veterinarian should be asked to inspect the animals as per provision of the Recognition of Zoo Rules.	With immediate effect

10.	4.3	At present the animals are viewed by the visitors by allowing them into the deer park itself. This should be stopped forthwith. Instead, the deer shall be allowed to come into the adjoining enclosure which is contiguous with the deer park by providing feed, salt licks and the visitors's view should along the BT road leading to the nearby temple.	With immediate effect
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A half yearly report regarding progress made in implementation of the aforesaid conditions should be submitted to the Central Zoo Authority.

It is to inform that the period ranging from 31.08.2014 to 20.01.2016 is hereby regularized by the Central Zoo Authority.

Grant of renewal of recognition to Kandaleru Deer Park, Kandaleru beyond 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2019 would be considered on the basis of compliance with the conditions stated above and general performance of the zoo.

The recognition to the Kandaleru Deer Park, Kandaleru 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 The Deputy Conservator of Forests, C.A.P. (T.G.P.) Division, Nellore & In charge Deer Park, Kandaleru, Near Kandaleru Dam site, Rapur Mandal, Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh for favour of information and necessary action.
2. Mr. Vivek Goel, DPA, CZA – to update records.



**(Dr. D. N. Singh)  
Member Secretary**





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**THROUGH REGISTERED POST**

**DATE: 24.06.2013**

F. No. 23-39/96-CZA(365)(M) 3068

To  
The Conservator of Forests  
C.A.P. (T.G.P.) Division,  
Nellore (Andhra Pradesh).

**Sub:- Renewal of recognition to Deer Park, Kandaleru under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 beyond the period of 31.08.2012.**

Sir,

Reference is invited to your application dated 29.06.2012 seeking renewal of recognition to Deer Park, Kandaleru under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 beyond the period of 31.08.2012.

The evaluation of the Deer Park, Kandaleru was carried out by Dr. M. G. Jyathangaraj on 20.03.2013. The evaluation report of Deer Park, Kandaleru as submitted by the evaluating officers was considered by the Technical Committee in its 66<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on 11<sup>th</sup> June, 2013.

The Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant of recognition to Pillalamarri Deer Park, Kandaleru as "a Mini Category Zoo" under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to 31.08.2014 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
<b>1. General</b>			
1.	-	One of the themes of Deer Park is that visitor should be able to see deer when he visits deer park. But, in the exiting situation, sighting of even a single deer in this Deer Park in day time by any visitor is highly questionable. This is because of the fact that the area of this Deer Park appears mostly like a natural forest area with shrubs and other vegetations and deer mostly rest under shade offered by multiple types of vegetations available with the premises of deer park.  Hence, atleast 5-10 Deer shall be permanently maintained near entrance or in any small	Within six months

		place inside the deer park, as decided by authorities, so that, the visitor may have an avail the opportunity of sighting a deer in this deer park.	
2.	-	<p>Currently no feeding activities are said to be carried out and his may be due to the opinion on the availability of greenish vegetations inside the campus.</p> <p>Feeding of concentrates to Deer in Deer Park will be surely help to minimize nutritional imbalances and may enrich the nutritional status of these animals which may even be used as good breeding stock for enhancement of the heterozygosity among deer population. Concentrates may be fed at rate of 3-5 Kg. per Deer in place which can be sighted by the visitor but in place that is away from the visitor on daily basis and feeding time shall be in forenoon. Hence, visitor also may have opportunity of sighting some deer in this Deer Park and multiple mineral blocks may be hung in different areas of the Park.</p> <p>Specific fodder plots and/ or grass lands may be developed to have more sustainable feed resources in possible places within the deer park areas.</p>	Within six months
<b>2. Administrative and Staffing Pattern</b>			
3.	1	Currently, one number of 'watch and ward' takes care of the routine husbandry related works of the Deer Park and there is no exclusive staff allotment for the maintenance of this Deer Park. One number of Guard (in terms of manpower) may be permanently posted at this Deer Park for strengthening the maintenance related works and protection of the Deer Park.	Within eight months
<b>4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures</b>			
4.	3	Night shelter area is currently lacking any shade-yielding structure, except natural tree to protect the deer entering into night shelter area against rain, inclement weather conditions etc., concrete based roof may be fixed as a means of providing shade value to this captive deer, in side this night shelter area.	Within six months
5.	3	The entrance of the Animal retrieving enclosure area shall be made as a sloping based floor-pattern with concrete.	Within two months

6.	3	Visitor facilities are totally lacking. Resting shed near entrance with drinking water facilities may be established.	With eight months
7.	6	Periodically, the salt-lick blocks should be kept hung at different reasonable heights from trees located near entrance of the Deer Park, so that the Deer may spend time by licking the blocks and visitors can be able to sight deer also and this will help to minimize or remove nutritional imbalances.	Immediately
8.	10	There is no signage revealing any basic information about the captive deer species of the Deer Park and hence, this needs to be kept in front of the Deer Park both in local and in English language, to cater to the visitors from different parts of this country. Further, the name board of the Deer Park is written in local language only and side-by-side, English based title also is to be placed.	Within two months
<b>5. Upkeep and healthcare of animals</b>			
9.	5	The circular concrete based water-tanks shall be white-washed on all sides once in three months and cleaning of water tanks need to be undertaken on daily basis.	Within one months
10.	10	There is a lack of records pertaining to behaviour and visitor numbers at Deer Park including the caretakers dairy and hence, these measures need to be improved, as specified by Central Zoo Authority of India.  The attending veterinarian associated with the healthcare measures of the Deer Park may be requested for technical assistance in this regard.	Within six months
<b>6. Veterinary facilities</b>			
11.	-	Post-mortem room is having a small concrete slab based storage space and this needs to be enriched with a steel-rack and this should be equipped with basis infrastructures required for carrying out the post-mortem.	Within six months
12.	1	Inside the night-shelter enclosure, a Store cum Veterinary Room is available. A steel rack shall be procured and kept inside with basis first-aid medicaments like Povidone iodine solution, cotton, gloves etc.	Within six months
<b>9. Acquisition and breeding of animals</b>			
13.	4	The Deer Park has only Spotted deer. To this stock, minimum number of Sambar deer may be accommodated in this Deer Park, in order to strengthen the cause and justify the name of " DEER PARK", in accordance with norms specified by CZA and after consultation with	Within twelve months







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BY REGISTERED POST

F. No. 23-39/96-CZA(365)(M)

DATE: 04.08.2010

To

The Deputy Conservator of Forests  
C.A.P. (T.G.P.) Division,  
Nellore (Andhra Pradesh).

**Sub:- Renewal of recognition to the Kandaleru Deer Park, Nellore beyond the period of 31.08.2009 under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 - Regarding.**

Sir,

Reference is invited to your application No. 3626/06-M4 dated 28.05.2009.

The evaluation of the Zoo was carried out on 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2010 and the evaluation report of the Kandaleru Deer Park, Nellore as submitted by Sh. A. K. Jha, Director, Padmaja Naidu Himalayan Zoological Park, Darjeeling was considered by the Technical Committee in its 54<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2010.

The Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant of recognition to Kandaleru Deer Park, Nellore as a mini category Zoo under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2012 subject to the compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009 and the mid-term evaluation on compliance of the conditions stipulated:-

S. No.	Relevant Schedule No.	Conditions	Time Period to comply the conditions
<b>1. General requirement</b>			
1.	1 (3)	(i) No safari drive should be provided in the Deer Park, as the same may hinder the movement of visitors in the Deer Park and that the animals may get disturbed, stressed or provoked. (ii) To regulate visitor, entry ticket must	With immediate effect  With

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(16) To regulate visitor, entry ticket must be put in place

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## 2. Administration and Staffing Pattern

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The staff strength needs enhancement. The Deer Park should have a full time in-charge with powers to take decision and ensure that adequate financial resources and infrastructure support is made available for proper housing, upkeep and healthcare of animals and managing the Deer Park in a planned manner.

Immediately

## 5. Upkeep and healthcare of animals

3. 5(10)

The recording of data needs vast improvement. The Deer Park should maintain detailed records of observations of biological and social behaviour and health status of the animals including feed intake, medication and treatment provided in the keeper's diary, daily reports, animal history cards and treatment cards, as per standards specified by the Central Zoo Authority.

Immediately

## 9. Acquisition and Breeding of animals

4. 9 (8)

The Deer Park must take immediate step for exchange of stock with other zoos in state in order to make the population viable, and heterozygous.

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5. 9 (9)

The Deer Park should endeavour to limit the number of animals of each species within the limits set by the animal collection plan of the zoo by implementing appropriate population control measures like segregation of sexes, vasectomy, tubectomy and implantation of pellets etc., with due consideration of the health and welfare of the animals and interest of their long term survival.

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6. 9 (12)

Introduction of other deer species may be thought of, to introduce inter species competition.

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Rule 11 Maintenance of record and submission of inventory

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The Deer Park should maintain record of the births, acquisitions, deaths and disposals of animals of each species in its collection in the manner and in the format determined by the Central Zoo Authority and the inventory of the animals in the collection of each zoo, along with the details mentioned above for each financial year shall be submitted to the Central Zoo Authority by 30<sup>th</sup> day of April of the ensuing year in Form II.

Immediately

Provided that the details in respect of the animals pertaining to the species included in Schedule I and Schedule II to the Act, along with the detailed reasons of death identified on the basis of the post-mortem examination reports shall be submitted to the Central Zoo Authority every quarter, within a period of fifteen days of the end of that quarter.

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 Kandaleru Deer Park, Nellore beyond 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2012 as a mini category Zoo would be considered on the basis of compliance of the conditions stated above, mid-term and general performance of the zoo.

The recognition to the Kandaleru Deer Park, Nellore 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 for favor of information & necessary action to:-

1. The Chief Wildlife Warden, Government Andhra Pradesh for favour of information.
2. The Director of Zoological Parks & Member Secretary, Zoo Authority of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad – 500 264.
3. DPA, CZA.

  
**(Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta)**  
**Evaluation & Monitoring Officer**

