

TUNGABHADRA DAM MINI ZOO
TUNGABHADRA DAM,
HOSAPETE (TQ), BELLARY DIST.,
KARNATAKA.

Annual Report for the year
2018-19

Logo of the
Zoo

Tungabhadra Dam Mini Zoo

The Tungabhadra Dam Mini Zoo is located in Tungabhadra Reservoir downstream area near Hosapete city of Ballari District in Karnataka. It was developed in the year 1982 by the Tungabhadra Board (Constituted by Government of India) with an approximate spread area of about 6.07 ha. and maintained by the Superintendent of Gardens, TB Board, TB Dam (in charge Officer of the Zoo) surrounded by beautiful gardens, musical dancing fountain, fish Aquarium. Tungabhadra Dam Mini Zoo was provided conditional recognition as Mini Category Zoo by Central Zoo Authority u/s 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act 1972.

Zoo Activities at a Glance (for the period from April 2017 to March 2018)

Zoos are dynamic institutions and being Public places are always under visitor scrutiny with respect to the facilities provided both for the animals and people. Thus changes are imminent to happen. The Central Zoo Authority has to approve a long-term master plan for redevelopment of the Zoo and the same is to be executed in next coming years time frame.

Following activities were taken up as a part of improving upon the existing enclosures and enhancing the enrichment activities to improve the condition of animal enclosures,

- i) To comply of the safety measures taken by zoo management, tree branches were pruned, dried trees cut down and removed from the zoo area (spotted deer, black buck enclosures)
- ii) The enclosures were kept hygienic by cleaning the area frequently.
- iii) The animals feed with cattle feed, broken grams, ---- tree leaves and nuts.
- iv) The feeding Kraals were provided to the existing feeding cells.
- v) The water feeding canals were revamped for drinking purpose.
- vi) The existing fencing height was increased.
- vii) The Zoo area was provided with double fencing to avoid unwanted feeding from tourists/visitors.
- viii) Veterinary team by a Govt. Veterinary department through their regular intervention kept check of the injuries and surgical repair, if any.

HUMAN RESOURCE & CAPACITY BUILDING:

The Superintendent of Gardens is the in charge officer of the Zoo and his sub-ordinate staff will look after the zoo activities. No separate sanctioned post for the zoo particularly.

CALL OF WILD (ZOO VISIT)

During the year under report, the zoo was physically visited around 5 to 6 lakhs visitors.

Aviary:

A small aviary is housed near the Rose Garden and was developed in the year 1989. Presently, it has got about 8 Peacocks and 5 ducks as on 31-03-2018. An additional Aviary cell has been constructed to accommodate new variety of birds.

ZOO ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE:

Overall administrative control of the Zoo lies with the Secretary, TB Board, TB Dam and his controlling officers of Irrigation Wing. Key functional areas are being overseen by the Superintendent of Gardens and General administration.

Work Inspector and workmen look after the general maintenance of animal enclosures, feeding of animals and disinfection of enclosures under the supervision of the Superintendent of Gardens.

FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE:

Revenue:

There is no particular/separate revenue from the Mini zoo.

Expenditure:

The zoo maintenance was met out with grant provided annually by the Irrigation Wing of the Tungabhadra Board Organization.

1. Report of the Officer-in-charge: H.B. VASANTHAPPA
SUPERINTENDENT OF GARDENS
T B DAM (Post) HOSAPETE (TQ) BELLARY DIST,
KARNATAKA Mob No: 9480842016.

2. History of the Zoo: The Tungabhadra Dam mini zoo is in the downstream of Dam area and is located by the side of Japanese park. It was developed in the year 1982, with an approximate area of about 6.07 ha. At present, it has got about 128 spotted Deers, 18 black bucks and 8 peafowl (As on 31-03-2018). There are about 6-6.5 lakhs visitors per year.

3. Vision: To enhance the reputation of the Tungabhadra Dam mini zoo, which is the only zoo with good number of animal species, ensuring greenery and cleanliness, management of captive wild animals in accordance with the principles of modern zoo management, facilitating visitors, creating awareness.

4. Mission: To provide proper care to the zoo's wildlife population in a planned manner to ensure eco – system based naturalistic animal enclosure which will help in conservation breeding of endangered species with best practice of zoo management.

5. Objective :

1. Enhancing the enrichment activities to improve the condition of animal enclosures.
2. To create awareness about the rich faunal diversity By organizing exhibition and seminars.
3. To promote scientific management of zoo
4. To promote education and awareness amongst visitors towards conservation of wild life.

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6. About us :

Sl.No.	Particulars	Information
Basic Information about the Zoo		
1	Name of the Zoo	Tungabhadra Dam Mini Zoo
2	Year of Establishment	1982
3	Address of the Zoo	Tungabhadra Board, T.B Dam Hosapete(TQ) Ballari Dist. Karnataka -583225
4	State	KARNATAKA
5	Telephone Number	9480842016
6	Fax Number	
7	E-mail address	sog.tbdam@gmail.com
8	Website	tbboard.gov.in
9	Distance from nearest	Airport :40 Kms Railway station :8 kms Bus Stand : 6Kms
10	Recognition from valid upto (Date)	05-05-2017
11	Category of zoo	Mini Zoo
12	Area (in Hectares)	6.07
13	Number of Visitors (Financial year)	Adult :4.00 Lakhs Children : 2.50 Lakhs Total Indian :6.50 Lakhs Total Foreigners :0.20 Lakhs Total Visitors :6.70 Lakhs
14	Visitors Facilities Available in Zoo	i. Drinking Water ii. Visitors Shelter iii. Food court iv. Kid's boating v. Toilets vi. Bathrooms
15	Weekly Closure Day of the Zoo	Tuesday
Management Personnel of the zoo		
16	Name with designation of the Officer in-charge	H.B. VASANTHAPPA SUPERINTENDENT OF GARDENS TUNGABHADRA BOARD, TB DAM.
	Name of the Veterinary Officer	DR : Basavary Benny ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY & VETERINARY SCIENCES, HOSAPETE
	Name of the Curator	Mr.YERRISWAMY.
	Name of the Biologist	—
	Name of the Education Officer	Mr.SURYANARAYANA JUNIOR WORK INSPECTOR
	Name of the Compounder/Lab Assistant	—

Owner/Operator of the Zoo		
17	Name of the Operator	H.B. VASANTHAPPA
18	Address of the Operator	Tungabhadra Dam mini zoo Tungabhadra board, TB Dam, Hospet TQ. Ballari Dist. Karnataka
19	Contact details/Phone number of Operator	9480842016
20	E-mail address of Operators	sog.tbdam@gmail.com

*Rule 2(m) of the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009.

“Zoo Operator” means the person who has ultimate control over the affairs of the zoos provided that _____

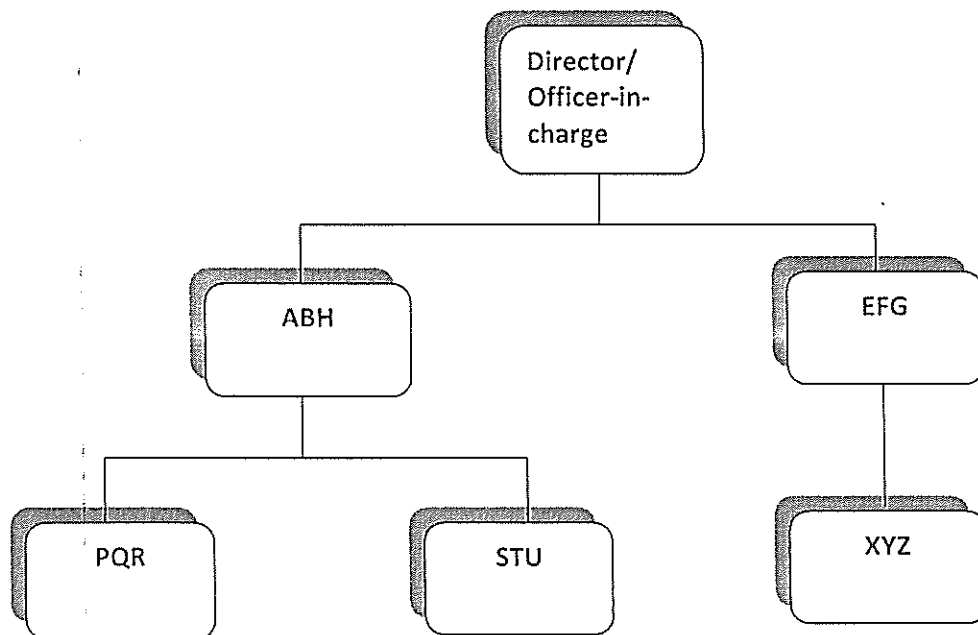
I. In the case of a firm or other association of individuals, any one of the individuals partners or members thereof; or

II. In case of a company, any director, manager, secretary or other officer, who is in – charge of and responsible to the company for the affairs of the zoo;

Or

III. In case of zoo owned or controlled by the Central Government or any State Government or Union Territory Administration or any Trust or Society funded by the Central Government or State Government or Union Territory Administration, the Secretary of the concerned Department of that Government, or as the case may be the Union Territory Administration, shall be deemed to be the Zoo Operator.

7. Organizational Chart



8. Human Resources

Manpower of the Zoo *

Sl.No.	Designation	Number of Sanction Posts	Name of the incumbent
1.	The Superintendent of Gardens is looking after the Mini Zoo with their staff. There is no separate posts sanctioned for the Mini Zoo		

*Please give above mentioned information in respect of all zoo personnel, from the officer in-charge upto the Animal Keeper.

9. Capacity Building of zoo personnel

Sl.No.	Name and designation of the zoo personnel	Subject matter of Training	Period of Training	Name of the Institution where the Training attended
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10. Zoo Advisory Committee —

a. Date of constitution —

b. Members —

c. Dates on which Meetings held during the year —

11. Health Advisory Committee —

a. Date of constitution —


b. Members —

c. Dates on which Meetings held during the year —

12. Statement of income and expenditure of the Zoo

Expenditure for 2017-18 - 18.50 Lakhs

Income for 2017 -18 - -Nil- (No separate entry fee for zoo)

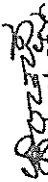

Superintendent of Gardens
T.B.Board, T.B.Dam.

PROFORMA FOR ANNUAL INVENTORY REPORT.

Name of Zoo:- Tungabhadra Mini Zoo at TB Dam, Hospet Taluk, Bellary Dist, Karnataka State.

Other than Endangered Species: INVENTORY REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2017-18 as on 31/03/2018

Sl. No.	Animal name	Scientific name	Opening stock as on 1.4.17						Birth			Acquisitions			Disposals			Deaths			Closing stocks as on 31/03/2018											
			M			F			U			M			F			U			M			F			U			T		
			M	F	U	T	M	F	U	M	F	U	M	F	U	M	F	U	M	F	U	M	F	U	M	F	U	T				
	BIRD		0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3					
1	Pigeon		0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5					
2	Ducks		1	5	1	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	8					
3	Peafowl		1	5	9	15	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	16					
	Total Birds		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	Mammal		31	69	10	110	4	2	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	37	77	14	128	0	0	0	0					
1	Spotted Deer		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
2	Neelgai		3	5	8	16	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	18					
3	Black buck		0	0	10	10	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	20					
4	Rabbit		34	74	28	136	4	2	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	40	82	44	166	0	0	0	0					
	Total Mammal		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	Reptile		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
1	Porcupine		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
2			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
3			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	Total Reptile		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	Total Animals.		35	79	37	151	5	2	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	42	88	52	182	0	0	0	182					


Superintendent of Gardens,
Tungabhadra Dam.

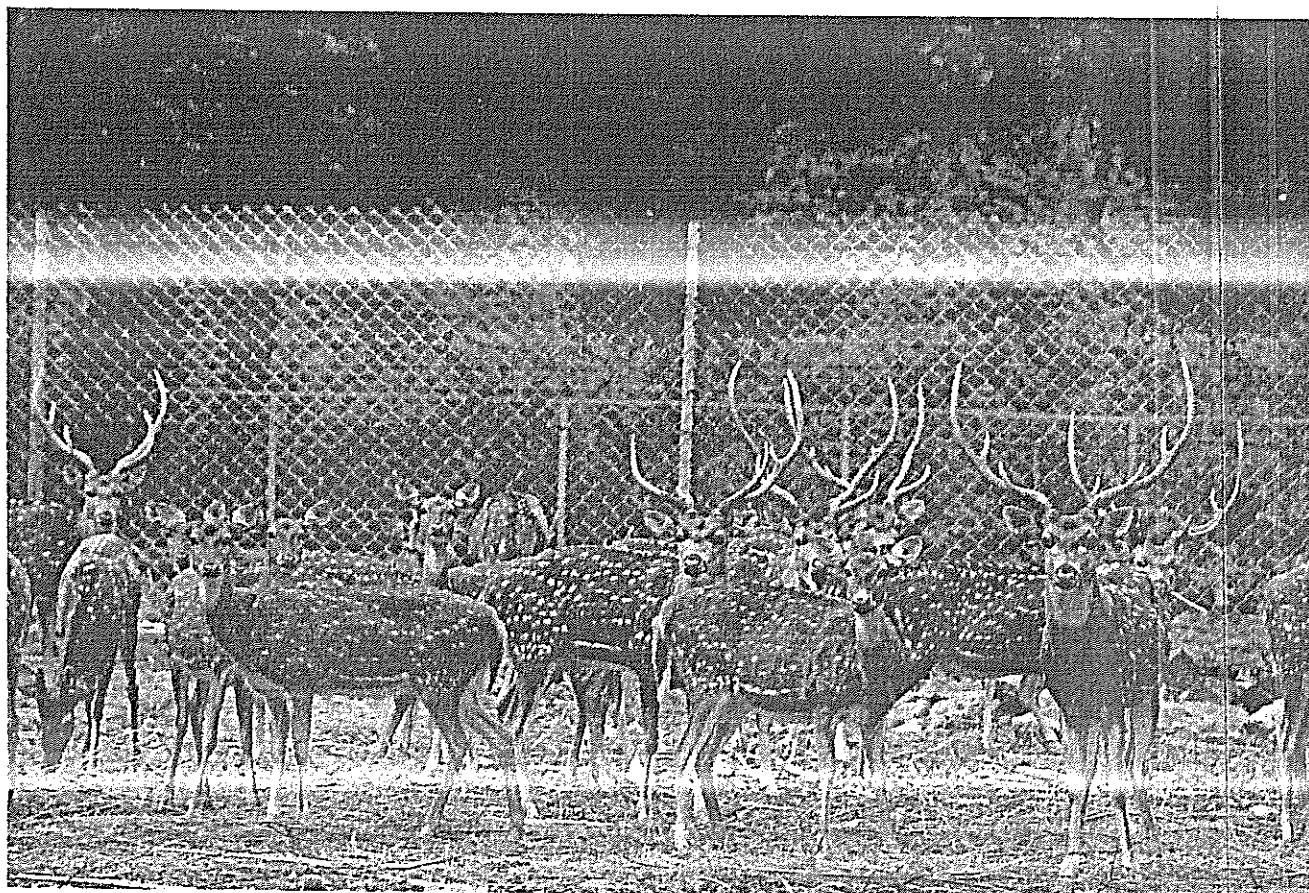
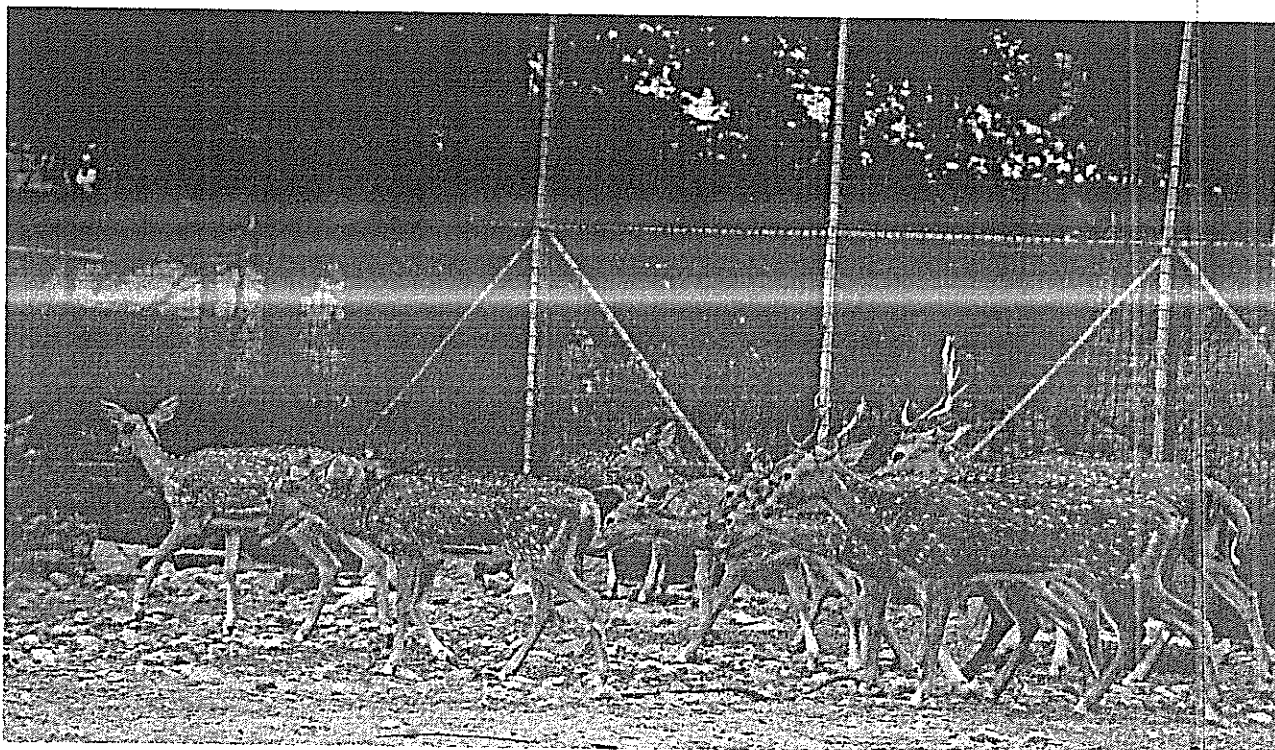
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RESTING DEER IN MINI ZOO OF T B DAM



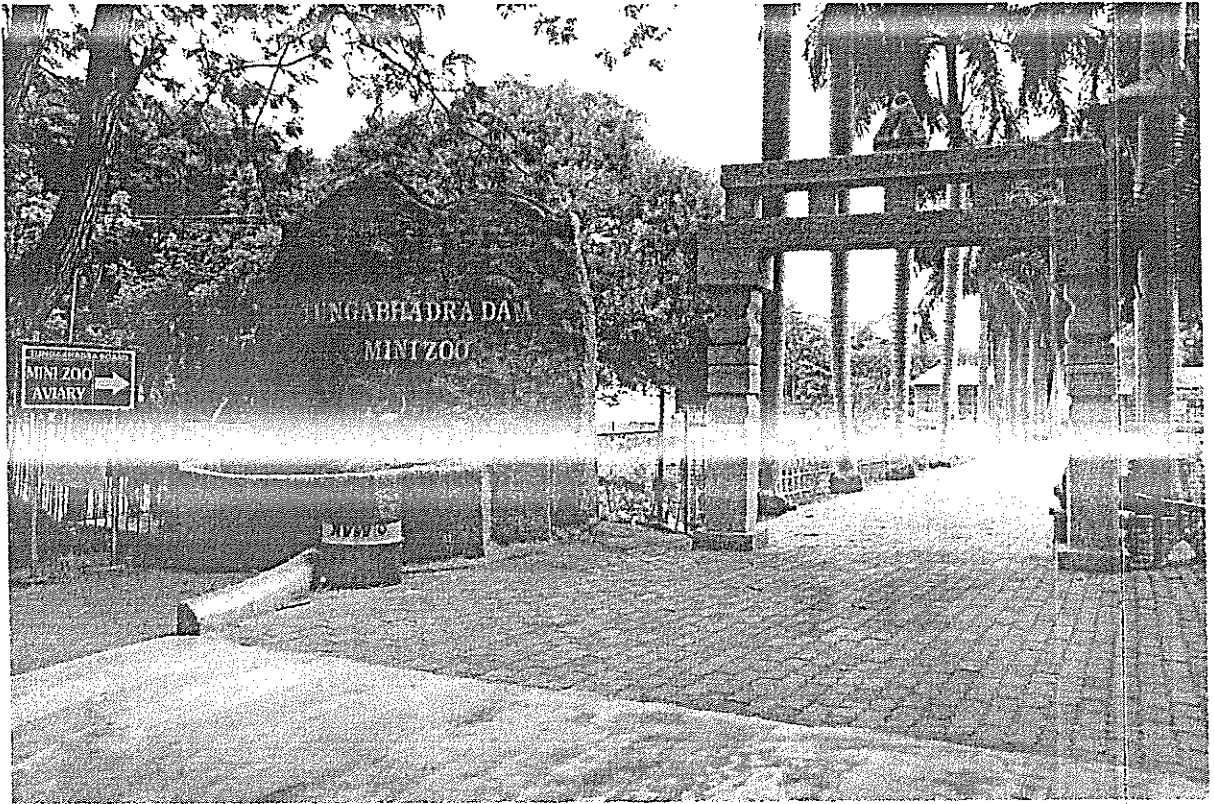
GROUP OF DEERS IN MINIZOO OF TB DAM



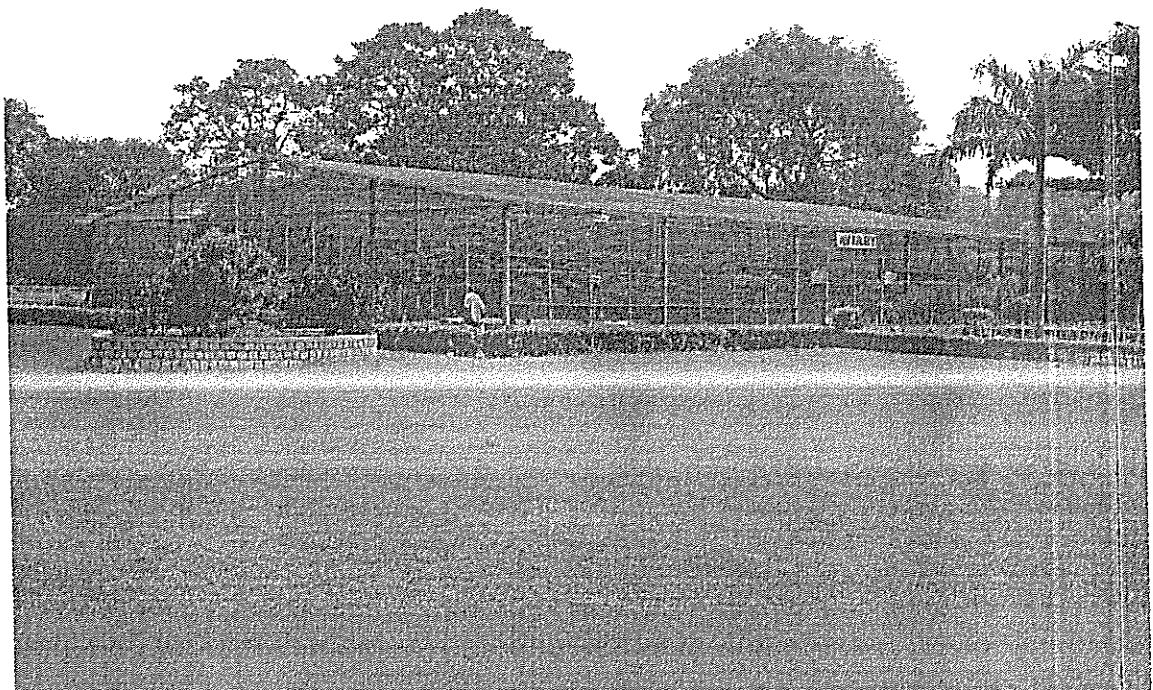
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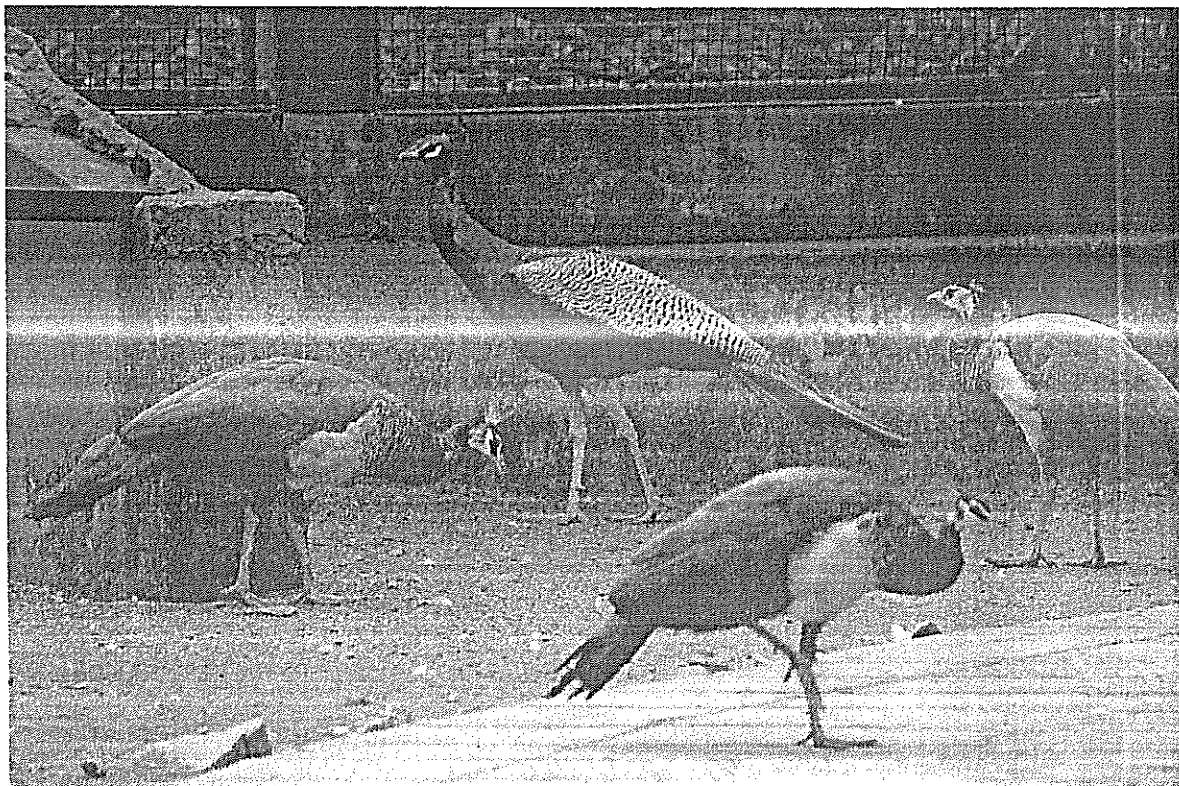
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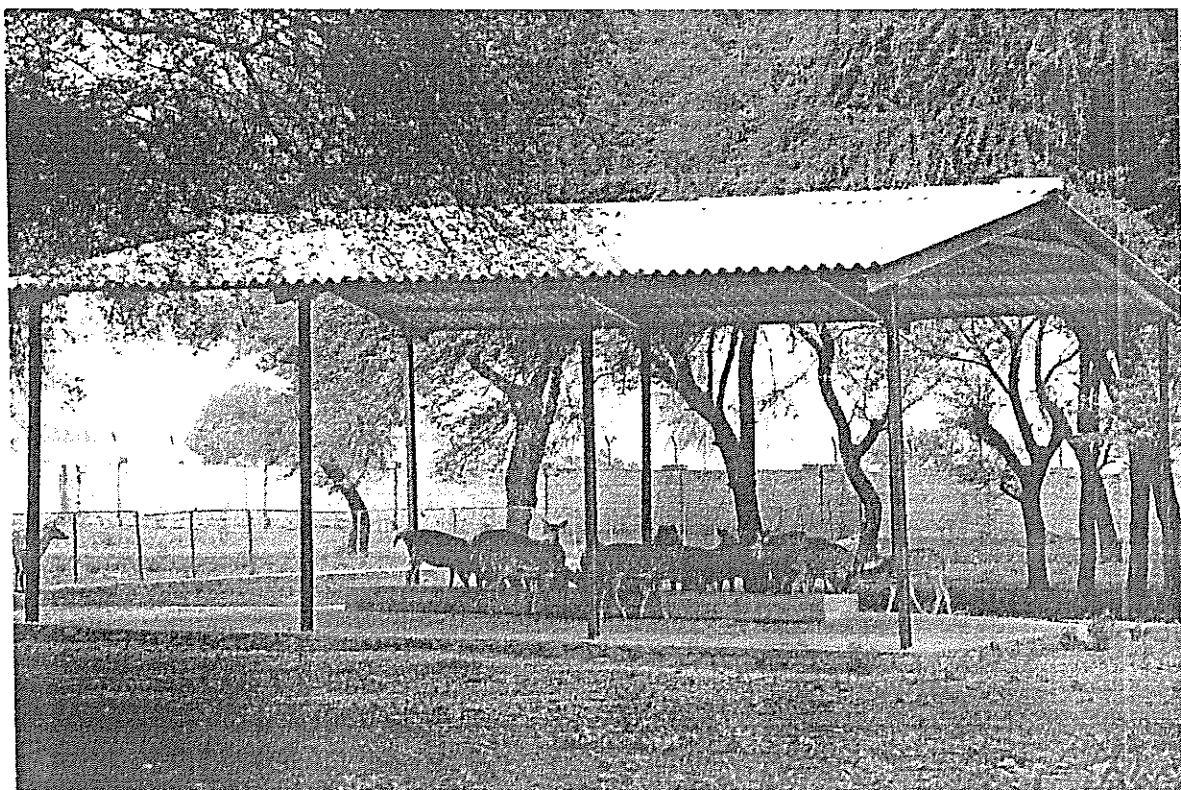
AVIARY ESTABLISHED IN MINI ZOO OF TB DAM



PEAFOWLS IN TUNGABHADRADAM MINI ZOO



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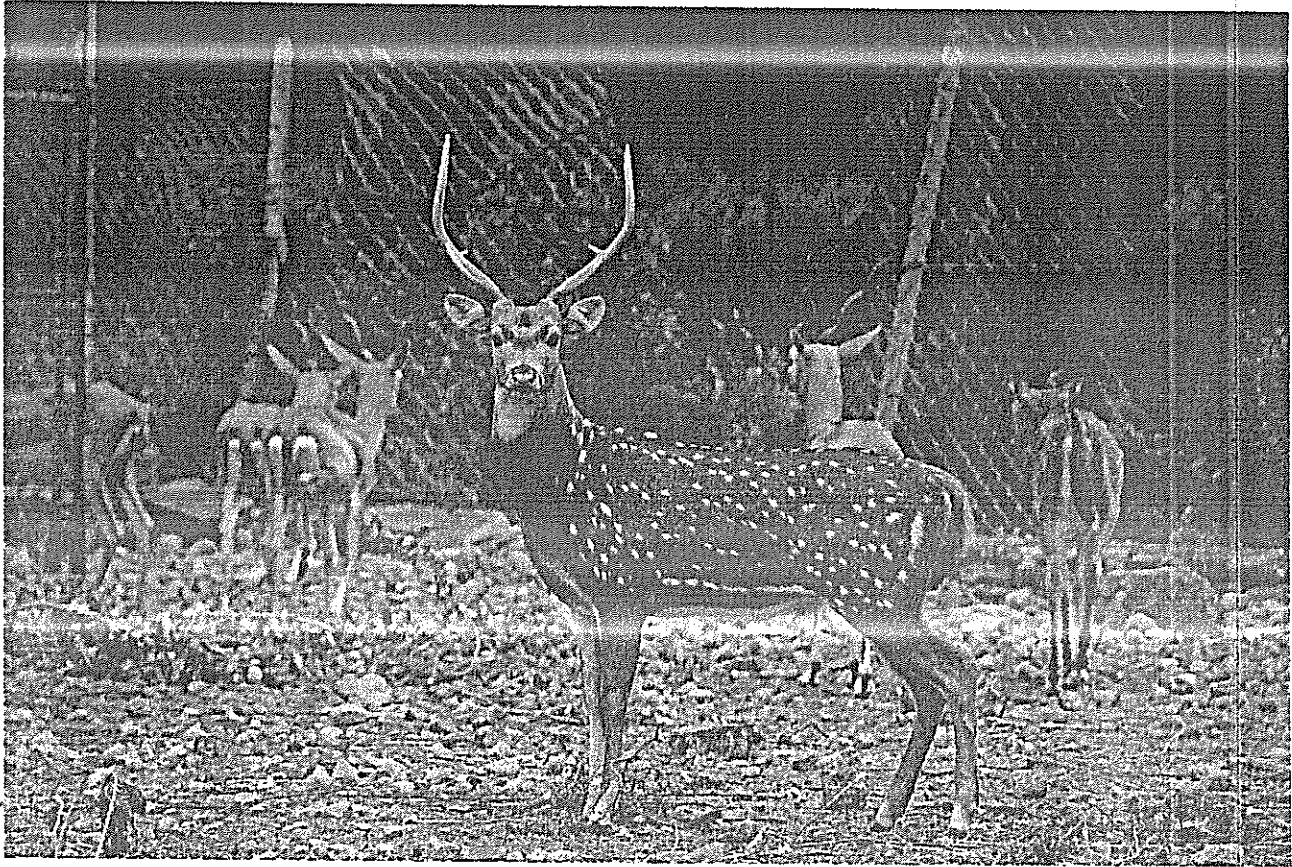
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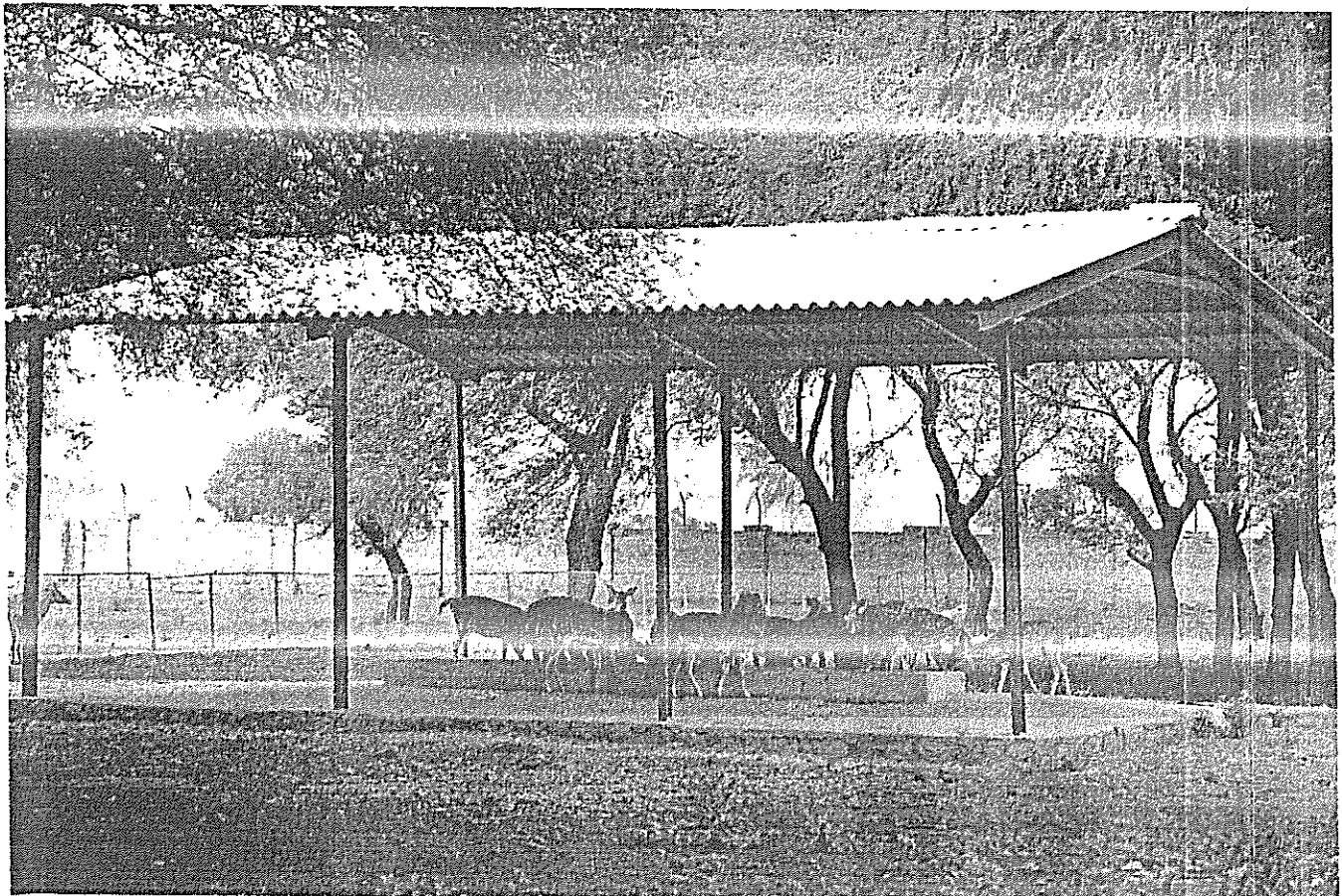
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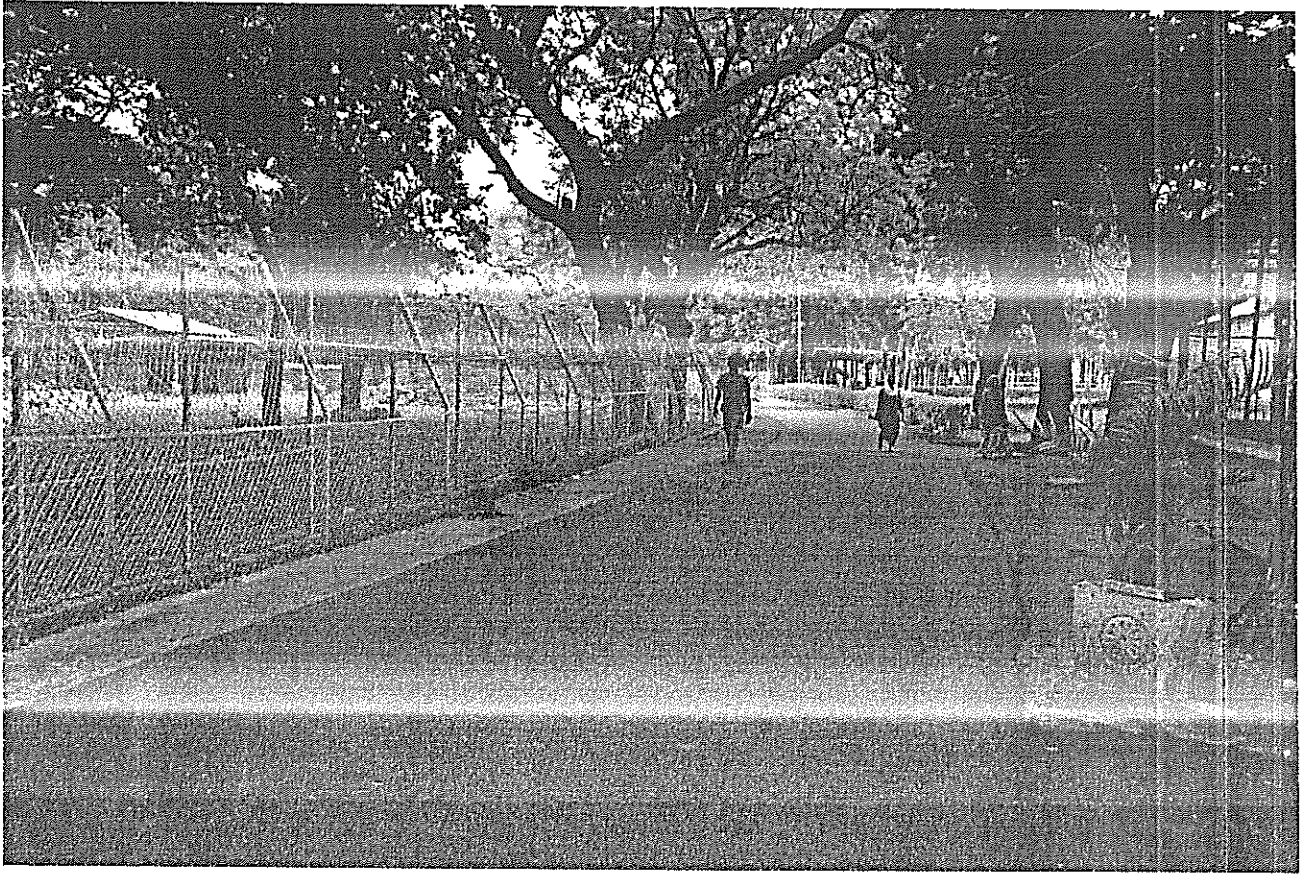
GROUP OF DEERS IN MINI ZOO OF TB DAM.



FEEDING SHED FOR DEERS IN MINIZOO OF TB DAM



ESTABLISHMENT OF BT ROAD IN MINI ZOO OF T.B DAM



GROUP OF DEERS FEEDING IN TUNGABHADRA DAM MINI ZOO



PEAFOWL IN TUNGABHADRA DAM MINI ZOO

