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Dated 25/01/2021

To The Chief Wildlife Warden, Department of Forests, Aranya Bhawan, First Floor, Sector 19, North Block, Capital Complex, Atal Nagar, Naya Raipur, Chhattisgarh, E-mail: cwlwcg@gmail.com

Subject: Renewal of recognition of the Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh, under Section 38-H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 – regarding

Reference:

1. This Office Memorandum F.No.7-10/2020-CZA(PART-I) dated August 25, 2020

2. This Office letter F.No.21-2/2019-CZA(AK)/2040/2020 dated January 6, 2020

3. This Office letter F.No.23-11/95-CZA(183)(Vol-III)/298/2016 dated February 23, 2016

4. Application No.1795 dated April 15, 2019 from the DFO, Bilaspur Forest Division

Sir,

With reference to above, the undersigned is directed to inform that recognition of the Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh under Section 38-H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972, was valid till January 20, 2019. Application No.1795 dated April 15, 2019 was received in this office from the DFO, Bilaspur Forest Division, for renewal of recognition. Shri Rajeev Kumar Shrivastav, IFS (Retired), evaluating officer deputed by this office has evaluated the zoo on January 28, 2020. Copy of the Evaluation Report is enclosed herewith for your perusal and needful action.

2. Evaluation Report of the Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur, was placed before the Technical Committee in its 96th Meeting held on July 30, 2020. The Technical Committee, after detailed deliberation, made its recommendation to the Central Zoo Authority.

3. This office issued Office Memorandum F.No.7-10/2020-CZA(PART-I) dated August 25, 2020 regarding renewal of recognition of the zoo. Subsequently, the Central Zoo Authority, in its 37th Meeting held on December 7, 2020, in exercise of powers conferred under sub-section (1), (3) and (4) of Section 38-H under the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972, approved recommendation of the Technical Committee.

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4. The Central Zoo Authority has regularised the period after January 28, 2020 and renewed recognition of the Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur, as a Medium Zoo for a period up to **August 19, 2022** subject to compliance with following conditions as per the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009 (RZR) and mid-term evaluation of the zoo.

SI.	Norm No. under	Condition	Time period to	
	RZR		comply	
	2. Administr	rative and staffing pattern:		
1	10.2(2)	Post of the Education Officer and the Biologist should be filled up immediately	One year	
2	10.5(6)	Minimum time for the Veterinarian to reach the zoo is 40 minutes. The Veterinarian should stay in proximity to the zoo.	Immediately	
	3. Developm	ent and Planning:		
3	10.3(1)	Master Plan for long-term development of the zoo should be prepared and submitted for consideration of the Central Zoo Authority.	Immediately	
	4. Animal h	ousing, display of animals and animal enclosures:		
4	10.4(2)	Enclosure for snakes is not as per specification of the CZA. Corrective action should be taken up by the zoo.	Immediately	
5	10.4(3)	Chain-link fence of the enclosure housing Rosy Pelican is old and rusty. It should be replaced.	Immediately	
б	10.4(8)	Enclosure housing Asiatic Lion, Bengal Tiger, Common Leopard and Indian Bison respectively were constructed without approval of design from the CZA. Design should be submitted to the CZA for approval <i>post-facto</i> .	Immediately	
7	10.4(9)	Stand-off barrier at all enclosures housing carnivores should be modified as per the prescribed standard.	Immediately	
8	10.4(10)	Display boards at animal enclosures are in very bad condition. They should be improved. Signage of all animal enclosures should be properly designed with more information in attractive manner.	Three months	
9	10.4(10)	Interpretation facility in the zoo should be improved.	Immediately	
	5. Upkeep a	nd healthcare of animals:		
10	10.5(3)	Provision for ventilation in the Food Store should be covered with mesh to avert entry of rats and pests.	Immediately	
11	10.5(3)	Freezer of appropriate size should be provided in the meat processing facility of the zoo for storage.	t Immediately	
12	10.5(5)	Provision of footbath of adequate size with appropriate disinfectant should be ensured at entry and exit points of animal houses, meat processing facility, post-mortem room and kitchen respectively.	Three months	
13	10.5(5)	Drainage system in the zoo should be covered. Few open drains present in the zoo should be closed.	Three months	
14	10.5(5)	Open drain at the meat processing facility in the zoo should be covered and CCTV camera should be installed.	Immediately	

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SI.	Norm No. under RZR	Condition	Time period to comply
15	10.5(6)	Training should be provided to the zoo personnel in various aspects of general behaviour and health parameters of captive animals and handling of captive animals.	One year
16	10.5(10) & 10.9(8)	Animal History Card and Stud-book should be maintained in prescribed form.	Immediately
<u> </u>		y and infrastructure facilities:	
17	10.6(1)	The veterinary facilities appropriate to the size and type of the animal collection of the zoo should be ensured. Procurement of diagnostic tools such as Ultrasound machine and Blood analyser may be considered subject to availability of adequate technically qualified manpower to operate and use the same.	Immediately
18	10.6(1)	X-ray machine in the Zoo Hospital is not functioning. It should be made functional at the earliest possible time. Oxygen cylinder should be kept properly. Disposed medicine register to be maintained immediately. Refrigerator should be provided in the Zoo Hospital for storage of snake anti-venom and other important medicines. Diet chart of animals should be displayed in the Zoo Hospital.	Immediately
19	10.6(1) & 10.6(2)	Transponders for animal ID, Transponder reader, ultra-low freezer (-70° C) for serum banking and diagnostic samples, Ophthalmoscope and Otoscope respectively should be procured by the zoo subject to availability of adequate qualified manpower to operate and use the same.	Immediately
20	10.6(1)	Dedicated refrigerator should be procured for storage of chemical restraint drugs.	Six months
21	10.6(2)	At present, in Zoo, no trained official is available to handle tranquilizing gun. Appropriate action should be taken on priority.	Immediately
22	10.6(3)	Suitable arrangement should be made in the post-mortem room for storage of equipment.	Immediately
23	10.6(5)	One Compounder should be appointed in the zoo as Veterinary support staff.	One year
24	10.6(6)	Training in equipment use and animal restraint techniques including handling of drugs and management of human emergencies should be provided to the newly appointed Veterinarian.	One year
25	10.6(6)	The zoo should explore MoU with eminent institutions and organizations working in the field of wild animal healthcare to fulfil objectives specified in the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009.	Six months

	9. Acquisitio		
26	10.9(4)	Self-sustaining population of species should be developed in case of Ostrich and Goral singly housed in the zoo.	Immediately
27	10.9(8)	Stud book is not maintained. It should be maintained.	Three months

SI.	Norm No. under RZR	Condition	Time period to comply
28	10.9(9)	Excess number of Blackbuck, Nilgai and Chital respectively are	Three
		housed in the zoo. Surplus stock should be disposed by the zoo in	months
		accordance with norms and the Animal Collection Plan.	
29	10.9(10)	The Disaster Plan of the Zoo should be corrected suitably and the	Three
		Plan should be displayed in the zoo.	months
30	10.9(11)	Any release of surplus captive animals into the wild should be as	As
		per norms specified by the Central Zoo Authority.	applicable
	10. Research	h activities:	
31	10.10	Research Plan should be proposed by the zoo as part of the Master	Immediately
		Plan and submitted for consideration of the Central Zoo Authority.	
	12. Visitors'	facilities:	
32	10.12(1)	Alarm and alert system should be installed in the zoo.	Immediately

5. A compliance report to the Central Zoo Authority on implementation of the aforesaid conditions shall be submitted by the zoo within three months of issue of this letter followed by half-yearly report.

6. The renewal of recognition of the Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur, for period beyond August 19, 2022 as a Medium Zoo would be considered on the basis of compliance of the conditions stated above and general performance of the zoo.

7. The recognition of the Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur, 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.

This issues with approval of the competent authority. Encls. As above

Yours sincerely

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(Sonali Ghosh) Dy Inspector General Of Forest

Copy for information / necessary action to:

1. The Principal Secretary to the Government of Chhattisgarh, Department of Forests, Secretariat, Raipur – 492 001, Chhattisgarh, E-mail: secyfcg@yahoo.com , csoffice.cg@gov.in [Zoo Operator of the Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur under Rule 2(m)(III) of the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009]

2. The DFO, Bilaspur and Officer in-charge, Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bhakt Kanwar Ram Gate, Sindhi Colony, Bilaspur - 495 003, Chhattisgarh, E-mail: dfo_bsp@gmail.com , dfo_bsp@rediffmail.com

3. The DPA, O/o CZA – to update database and to upload on official website of the CZA.

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(Sonali Ghosh) Dy Inspector General Of Forest

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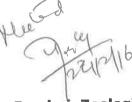


Central Zoo Authority

THROUGH EMAIL/REGISTERED POST DATE: 23.02.2016

F. No. 23-11/95-CZA(183)(Vol.III) 298 2016

The Chief Wildlife Warden Govt. of Chattisgarh Aranya Bhawan, Jail Road Raipur- 492001 (Chattisgarh)



Sub:- Renewal of recognition to Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur, Chattisgarh under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 beyond the period of 30.04.2014 - Regarding

Sir,

То

Reference is invited to your letter No. 654 dated 03.12.2014 received in this office on 10.12.2014 seeking grant of renewal of recognition of Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur, Kerala for period beyond 30.04.2014.

The evaluation of the Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur, Chattisgarh was carried out by Sh. S. C. Sharma and Dr. A. K. Sharma on 07.01.2016. The evaluation report of the Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur submitted by the evaluating officers was considered by the Technical Committee in its 77th Meeting held on 20th January, 2016.

The Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant renewal of recognition to Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur as 'Small Zoo' category under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 for a period up to 20.01.2019 subject to 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
General	Requiren	nents:	With immediate
1.	1(9)	Zoo should remove the Pigeons from the display immediately.	effect
Adminis	strative a	nd Staffing Pattern:	With immediate
2.	2(1))	Zoo should have a whole-time in-charge us Director of the Zoo with adequate administrative and financial powers. The present arrangement of the Assistant Conservator of Forests being the Director with no financial powers does not work	effect.
3.	2(2)	Zoo should have one Curator, one Biologist and one Education officer if it needs to get recognition as a 'medium Zoo'. Till this condition is fulfilled, it will continue to be classified as 'small Zoo' only.	effect

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Develo	pment and	d Planning:	
4.	3(3)	Zoo proposes to send a revised Master Plan ir	Mithin Course II
	5(5)	view of the fact that it has get some additional	Within 6 month
		view of the fact that it has got some additional	
5.	2(7)	area. This should be done immediately.	
Э,	3(7)	Zoo should make a Rescue Centre for Ungulates,	
-	0(7)	Carnivores, Primates and Birds at the earliest.	effect
6.	3(7)	Zoo should have appropriately designed	Within One year
		quarantine wards near the Zoo gate. Present	
		quarantine ward to be used as inpatient ward.	
7.	3(8)	The Zoo should send a report of Schedule - I	With immediate
		animals received as rescued animals, to the	effect
		Central Zoo Authority regularly	enect
Animal	s housing.	display of animals and animal enclosures:	
8.	4(1)	Most of the Zee englagunge and all the list is it	114/0111
0.		Most of the Zoo enclosures are sub-standard	Within One year
		construction work of new enclosures to be taken	
		up as per approved Master Plan after getting	
		designs approved from the Central Zoo Authority	
9.	4(1)	Enclosures for Hyena, Wolf and Jackal do not	With immediate
		have visitors' gallery. Also, ventilation and light in	effect
9		the feeding cells is inadequate. The enclosures	direct
		should be modified after getting approval from	
		the Central Zoo Authority.	
10.	4(2)	Most of the feeding cells have inadequate	Mithin One
-01		Ventilation and lighting Darticularly the Time	Within One year
		ventilation and lighting. Particularly, the Tiger	
11.	4(0)	and Lion. The defect should be rectified.	
11.	4(8)	Zoo has constructed a Four-horned antelope	With immediate
		enclosure without getting the design approved	effect
		by the Central Zoo Authority. The feeding cells	
		are protruding into paddock. Since, Zoo should	
		make it a practice to get approval of design of	
		enclosures for Schedule -I animals, from the	
		Central Zoo Authority.	
12.	4(9)	Stand-off barrier of moat of enclosures is too	With immediate
2		high. Not even that, chain-link has also been	effect
	1	fixed on moat walls. Zoo should make stand-off	enect
		harriers consistent with designs annewed by the	
	~	barriers consistent with designs approved by the Central Zoo Authority.	
13.	4(10)		
13.	4(10)	Signage should have some ecological	With immediate
		information. Also, Biological information on the	effect
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18.	5(9)	Staff is screened only for Tuberculosis. They should also be screened for Brucellosis, Herpes, Trypanosomiasis etc. Staff handling sick animals / dead animals should be provided protection against Rabies	, effect
19.	5(10)	Zoo does not have history sheets for Schedule –I animals. The same should be prepared on priority basis	Within three months
20.	5(10)	Supervisory staff should maintain diaries in which information of biological behaviour of species should be recorded	Within three months
Veterin	ary and in	frastructure facilities:	
21.	6(1)	Zoo should have basic diagnostic facilities like X- ray, Ultrasound and Blood analyser etc.	Within six months
22.	6(1)	Zoo hospital should have in patient wards for sick animals	Within One year
23.	6(5)	Posts of Stockman and Compounder should be sanctioned immediately	Within 6 months
Post-me	ortem and	disposal of carcasses of animals:	
24.	7(2)	Post-mortem findings should be recorded in format prescribed by the Central Zoo Authority	With immediate effect
25.	7(3)	The reason of death given in Post-mortem report should be corroborated with the reports received on forensic examination	With immediate effect
Acquisit	ion and b	reeding of animals:	
26,	9(11)	Zoo has been releasing Spotted deer and Sambar in forests without screening them through DNA examination. They should make it a practice to get DNA examination done before any animal is released in wild.	With immediate effect
Visitors	facilities:		
27.	12(2)	Zoo does not have Snake venom readily available. It should ensure that the same is readily available	With immediate effect
General	observatio	ons:	
28.	General	Zoo has made no progress about implementation of Disaster Management Plan. It should buy necessary equipment and carryout mock drills regularly.	With immediate effect
29.	General	Zoo should prepare a visitor management plan showing the earmarked visitor route	Within One year
30.	General	Equipment used for Post-mortem and the medicines etc. should not be taken out of the Post-mortem room. Separate almirah should be provided to keep these items in Post-mortem room.	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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It is to inform that the period ranging from 30.04.2014 to 20.01.2016 is hereby regularized by the Central Zoo Authority.

Grant of renewal of recognition to Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur beyond 20th 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 Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur 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:-

The Divisional Forest Officer, Bilaspur Forest Division, Bilaspur Chattisgarh, for 1. Favour of information and necessary action.

Mr. Vivek Goel, DPA, CZA- to update records.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT & FORESTS Central Zoo Authority



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DATE: 11.04.2011

F. No. 23-11/95(183)(Vol. II)(M)

To

The Divisional Forest Officer Bilaspur Forest Division, Bilaspur (Chhattisgarh).

Sub:- Renewal of Recognition to the Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur beyond the period of 31.08.2008 under Section 38 H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 - Regarding.

Sir,

Reference is invited to your letter No. Steno/36 dated 20.01.2011 seeking renewal of recognition to the Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur beyond the period of 31.08.2008 under Section 38 H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972.

The evaluation of the Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur was carried out on 27.12.2010 by Sh. Bipul Chakrabarty, Director, Tata Steel Zoological Park, Jamshedpur. The evaluation report of the Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur as submitted by the evaluating officer was considered by the Technical Committee in its 57th Meeting held on 24th March, 2011.

The Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant of recognition to Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur as <u>a Small category Zoo</u> under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to <u>30th April, 2014</u> subject to the compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009:-

	Norm No.	Conditions to be Complied	Time
	1. Gen	eral requirements	Period
	9	Domestic animals like turkey, rabbit, guinea pig, common goose and fan tailed pigeons should be immediately removed from display.	With immediate effect
٠ ١	2. Adm	inistrative & Staffing pattern	
	2	A biologist should be posted in the zoo.	Within twelve months

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3 Dev 1, 2 8 3 7	A long term Master Plan for the zoo should be prepared immediately keeping in view of developing the zoo as a State Zoological Park. A separate area (off-display facility) should be demarcated in the new layout plan for creation of rescue centre for wild animals. Single rescued animals should be removed from display and housed in the rescue centre or given to needy zoos.	Within three
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5	A stockman/ compounder should be immediately	months
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केन्द्रीय चिड़ियाघर प्राधिकरण Central Zoo Authority (STATUTORY BODY UNDER THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT & FORESTS, GOVT. OF INDIA)

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DATE: 21.01.2009

То

The Divisional Forest Officer Bilaspur Division, Bilaspur (Chhatisgarh)

F. No. 23-11/95-CZA(183)(Vol.II)(NA)

Sub:- Grant of renewal of recognition to Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur beyond the period of 31.8.2008 under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 - Regarding.

Sir,

Reference is invited to your letter No. Steno/593 dated 25.9.2008 seeking grant of renewal of recognition to the Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur beyond the period of 31.8.2008 under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972.

The evaluation report of the Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur as submitted by Dr. E. Bharucha, Member, CZA and Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta, Evaluation & Monitoring Officer, CZA was considered by the Technical Committee in its 49th Meeting held on 19.12.2008.

The Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant of recognition to Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur as a <u>small category Zoo</u> under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to <u>31.03.2011</u> subject to the compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 1992:-

S. No.	Relevant Norm No.		Time Period to comply the conditions
			General
1	2	The Zoo Operator shall not acquire any anim- without the permission of the Chief Wildlife Warder under Section 11 (1)(a) and the Central Zo Authority under Section 38I of the Act.	n immediate
2.	11A	The zoo has not prepared collection plan for animato to be housed and displayed in the zoo keeping du regard to the availability of land, water, electricity and climatic condition of the area.	e

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3.	15	 Design, Dimensions and other Essential Feature The Zoo Operator shall provide more warning signs 	
3.	15	for keeping the visitors' at the safe distance from the animals	Six months
4.	16	 (i) The aviary for Peafowl and the enclosure for Macaques and Python enclosures are not being designed as to meet the biological requirements of the animals housed therein. The Leopard enclosure needs to be extended to the available area adjoining. Necessary modified enclosure should be made available to the animals keeping in view of the Central Zoo Authority's minimum prescribed size for feeding/ retiring cells and out door open enclosure. Prior approval of the design should have got obtained from the Central Zoo Authority. (ii) The slope in the new enclosure for housing the white tigers should be made gentle. The surface of the slope should be kept rough, so the animal can climb it easily. The enclosure shall also be provided with bamboo plantation and wooden logs as environmental enrichment. The water trough provided inside the enclosure should be kept at ground level. 	One year With immediate effect
5.	16A	The zoo should provide appropriate screening between Leopard and Lion enclosure housed adjacent.	Six months
6.	17	The Zoo Operator shall endeavour to simulate the conditions in the Sloth bear enclosure and in the Reptile house as closely as possible. Planting of appropriate species of trees/ shrubs for providing shade, shelter and wooden logs/ branches, wooden platform which merge in the overall environment of the enclosures shall be provided.	Six months
	e, Feeding a		
7.	22	The Zoo Operator shall provide proper waste disposal system for both the solid and liquid wastes generated in the zoo.	With immediate effect
		h and Treatment	
8.	29	The Zoo Operator shall arrange for medical checkup of the staff responsible for upkeep of animal atleast once in every six months to ensure that they do not have infections of such disease that effect of Zoo animals.	With immediate effect
9.	30	The zoo should maintain separate hard sheet of Four horned antelope and Spotted deer	With immediate effect

Veterina	ary Faciliti	es	
10.	31	The veterinary unit of the zoo should be made functional as the zoo has a full time veterinarian. The Zoo shall improve the basic diagnostic facilities. (ii) The zoo should have isolation and quarantine wards to take care of newly arriving animals and sick animals as the minimize the chances of infections spreading to other animals in the zoo and same should be kept away from the exhibit area.	Six months
11.	34	The Zoo Operator should conduct detailed post- mortem of the animals that dies in the Zoo by the veterinarian registered with State Veterinary Council or Veterinary Council of India and findings of such operation should be recorded for the period of atleast six years.	With immediate effect
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12.	36	(i) The Zoo shall keep in collection only such numbers and species for which appropriate housing facility exits. The Zoo Operator shall be responsible for ensuring that the number of animals of any species does not go beyond the carrying capacity of the enclosures available in the Zoo and housing standards are not compromised for keeping the excessive numbers.	With immediate effect
		(ii) Spotted deer housed in excess number at the Zoo should be shifted to other recognized Zoos in consultation with the Central Zoo Authority.	Six months
13.	37	The Zoo Operator should find appropriate mate for single Female Tigress and Barking deer housed at the Zoo, in consultation with other recognized Zoos in the country and with the approval of the Central Zoo Authority.	Six months
14.	40	The Zoo Operator should take necessary steps to safeguard against uncontrolled growth in the population of Spotted deer by adopting appropriate population control measures.	With immediate effect
15.	41	The zoo should not breed the Hybrid lions received from Rajmahal Circus.	With Immediate effect
Mainten Authorit		ecords and submission of Inventory to the Central a	Z00
16.	42	The Zoo shall keep the record of the birth, acquisitions, sales, disposals & deaths of all animals. The inventory of the animals housed in the Zoo as on 31 st March of every year should be to the Central zoo Authority by 30 th April of the same year.	With immediate effect

17.	43	The Zoo should submit the summary of death of animals in the Zoo for every financial year, along with reason for death identified on the basis of post-mortem reports and other diagnostic tests by 30 th April of the following year to the Central Zoo Authority. In case of death of critically endangered species a report alongwith the details specified above should be submitted to the Central zoo Authority within 24 hours.	
Educatio	n and Resea	arch	
18.	45	All the animal enclosures at the zoo should be provided with signage containing biological information about the animal housed and stand-off- barrier.	
Develop	ment and Pl	anning	
19.	51	The Zoo should prepare a long-term Master plan for its development in the format as circulated by the Central Zoo Authority. The copies of the said plan should be submitted to the Central Zoo Authority for its approval.	Latest by 31 st March, 2009

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

Grant of recognition beyond <u>31.03.2011</u> to Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur as a 'small category zoo' would be considered on the basis of compliance of the conditions stated above, general performance and physical evaluation of the zoo.

The recognition to the Kanan Pendari Zoo, Bilaspur 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, sd/-(B. R. Sharma) Member Secretary

Copy to the Chief Wildlife Warden, Government of Chhatisgarh, Raipur for favour of information & necessary action.

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