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**ORDER**

**Sub.- Cancellation of recognition to the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Huaz Khas, New Delhi and transfer of animals thereof under Section 38H(6) of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 – reg.**

**Ref.-**

1. **Letter no. F. 12(31) E-T/CWLW/2022/3508 dated 27.05.2022 received from Principal Commissioner, (Pers, Hort & Landscape), Delhi Development Authority, Delhi.**
2. **This Office letter no.19-37/93-CZA(55)(NE), Computer No. 147423, dated 17.11.2022.**

Whereas, the recognition of A.N. Jha Deer Park, Huaz Khas, New Delhi under Section 38H(1) of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 vide letter F. No. 21-2/2019-CZA(Vol.I)(E)-Part(1), Computer No.153933, dated March 31, 2021 was valid up to August 19, 2021 subject to the compliance with the conditions specified therein under Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009.

Whereas, the application under Sub-section (2) of Section 38-H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972, for renewal of recognition of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, Delhi in Form – I for period beyond August 19, 2021, in compliance of Rule 8 of the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009 was received on September 2, 2021 from Deputy Director, (Horticulture Division 4), Delhi Development Authority.

Whereas, to ensure compliance with the provisions of the Section 38-H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972, an evaluating officer Ms. Shruti Sharma IFS (Retd.), Former PCCF and HoFF, Govt. of Rajasthan was deputed by the office of the Central Zoo Authority vide letter Computer no. 158516 dated 26.04.2022 to carry out the evaluation of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, Delhi. Accordingly, the evaluator has conducted the evolution of the zoo on 15.09.2022.

Whereas, the Central Zoo Authority was in receipt of a correspondence of Chief Wildlife Warden, Rajasthan letter no. F. 12(31) E-T/CWLW/2022/3508 dated 27.05.2022 at ref. no. (1) above addressed to the Principal Commissioner, (Pers, Hort & Landscape), Delhi Development Authority, Delhi in response to his letter no. PC(Pers./Hort./LS)2022/DDA/99 dated 19.05.2022 regarding acquisition of 550 Chital (*Axis axis*) from the A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi to Rajasthan State.

Whereas, the Central Zoo Authority vide office letter computer file no. 147423 dated 27.06.2022 made observations on the above proposal and requested to re-submit the proposal after complying to the observations.

Whereas, in response to the above, the Director (Hort.) South-East, Vikas Minar vide letter no. F.10(16)DHSE/2022-23/DDA/909 dated 12.09.2022 submitted the compliance to CZA observations and informed of 100% translocation/ shifting of chital (Axis axis) 160:205:200:565 to Rajasthan State followed by closure of the zoo.

Whereas the evaluation report of the deer park and proposal for transfer of all the individuals of Chital (Axis axis) 160:205:200:565 from A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi and its subsequent closure was placed before the Technical Committee, CZA its 106<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on September 27, 2022. Upon deliberation, the Committee made certain observation and sought information from the concerned authorities. The same has been communicated vide this office letter no.19-37/93-CZA(55)(NE), Computer No. 147423, dated 17.11.2022 at ref. no. (2) above.

Whereas the para-wise reply on the observations made and information sought by the CZA was submitted by the Director (Horti.) North-west, Delhi Development Authority, Delhi vide letter dated 29.11.2022.

Whereas a meeting under the chairmanship of Dr. Sanjay Kumar Shukla, Member Secretary, Central Zoo Authority was held on January 30, 2023 to deliberate on the proposal "Shifting of Deer's & cancellation of recognition of A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi" and following officials were present during the meeting:

1. Shri Rajeev Kumar Tiwari, Principal Commissioner (Pers./Hort./LS), DDA
2. Shri Suneesh Buxy, Chief Wildlife Warden, NCT of Delhi,
3. Dr. Devender Kumar, Evaluation and Monitoring Officer, CZA

The following points were deliberated during the Meeting:

Sl.	CZA observations vide letter dt. 17.12.2022	Comments Principal Commissioner (Pers./ Hort./ LS), DDA	Comments from CWLW, NCT of Delhi
	The Committee opined that the zoo site is an important urban green space and therefore, it should be preserved.	The land use of site is a Protected Forest notified vide no. FSCO.32 (C)Noti-80-81/6974-81 dated 10/04/1980, and the same shall be preserved and maintained as Forest.	As the matter do not pertains to the Forest Department, NCT of Delhi, no comments were offered.
	The land-use plan of the zoo site for the next 20 years shall be sought from the concerned authorities.	The land use shall be remained as Green/Protected Forest.	

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	The comments from the State Forest Department regarding the said proposal shall be sought.	Ownership of the land is with DDA. As stated above the area shall be maintained as Forest only.  Further stated that the proposal for transfer of all deer to the Rajasthan Forest Department was submitted to the CZA in past for approval and is in advance stage.	The CWLW, NCT of Delhi stated that as per latest census, the number of Leopards ( <i>Panther pardus fusca</i> ) in Asola-Bhati Wildlife Sanctuary, Delhi has been risen to 18 and there is need to supplement the prey base. Accordingly, requested that the Spotted deer ( <i>Axis axis</i> ) from zoo may be translocated in the sanctuary.
		To this the Member Secretary, CZA opined that the Spotted deer population [565 (160:205:136:64)] as estimated might have increased to say 600, the same shall be transferred in ratio (70:30) to the Rajasthan Forest Department & Forest Department of NCT of Delhi respectively. Both the organizations agreed to the same.	
	The status pertaining to the transfer of assets and liabilities to the State Forest Department shall be furnished to the CZA.	The ownership of the land in question is with DDA and all the assets belong to the DDA only. Therefore, no transfer of assets and liabilities is involved in this case.	Agreed to the comments as offered by Principal Commissioner (Pers./ Hort./ LS), DDA.
	The information pertaining to the health screening of the animals and transfer protocol for shifting a large stock of deer shall be submitted for consideration of the CZA.	As suggested by Member Secretary, CZA, both the organizations agreed to follow the protocols prescribed by the CZA and IUCN "Guidelines for Reintroductions and Other Conservation Translocations".	

Whereas, the proposal regarding cancellation of recognition of A.N. Jha Deer Park, Huaz Khas, New Delhi and transfer of animals thereof was again placed before the Technical Committee, CZA in its 107<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

Whereas, the members of the Technical Committee took note of follow-up action pertaining to the recommendation made in the previous meeting of the Technical Committee. On deliberations, the committee recommended to the CZA for the cancellation of recognition of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khaz, New Delhi, under Section 38-H(6) of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 within two months.

Whereas members further suggested that since only an estimate of ~600 animals have been stated to be housed at the said zoo, upon cancellation, the captive animals shall be released in natural habitat of the state of Rajasthan and National Capital Territory of Delhi in the ratio 70% & 30% respectively. The release shall comply with extant statutory provisions and IUCN Guidelines for Re-introductions and Other Conservation Translocations.

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Subsequently, the recommendation of 107<sup>th</sup> Technical Committee Meeting was approved by the Chairperson, Central Zoo Authority.

Now, therefore, in view of the above facts the recognition of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khaz, New Delhi is hereby cancelled as per provisions laid down in Section 38H(6) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 with a provision to file an appeal before the Central Government as per provisions laid down in Section 38H(7) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972.

**(SANJAY KUMAR SHUKLA)**  
**MEMBER SECRETARY**

To,

The Principal Commissioner, (Pers, Hort & Landscape),  
Delhi Development Authority,  
Office of the Pr. Commissioner,  
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(E-mail: ddhortiv@gmail.com)

[Operator of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khaz, New Delhi under Rule 2m(III) of the Recognition of the Zoo Rules, 2009].

**Copy for information and necessary action to:**

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Department, Forest Department, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, A-Block, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Vikas Bhavan, I.P Estate, New Delhi – 110002 (E-mail: pccf-gnctd@delhi.gov.in).
2. The Chief Wildlife Warden, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, A-Block, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Vikas Bhavan, I.P. Estate New Delhi – 110002 (E-mail: cwlw-dofw@delhi.gov.in).
3. The APCCF(WL) & Chief Wildlife Warden, Government of Rajasthan, Van Bhawan, Jaipur - 302 005, Rajasthan (Email: cwlw.raj@gmail.com).
4. The Officer-in-Charge, A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi (E-mail: directorhort2017@gmail.com, prncomnr@dda.org.in).
5. The DPA, O/o CZA, (E-mail: dpa-cza@nic.in) – to update database and to upload on official website of the CZA.

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Dated **March 31, 2021**

To  
The Deputy Director (Hort.),  
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**Subject: Renewal of recognition of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi, 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)/2042/2020 dated January 6, 2020
3. This Office letter F.No.19-37/93-CZA(55)(Vol-I)(AK)/970/2016 dated June 22, 2016

Sir,

With reference to above, the undersigned is directed to inform that recognition of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi under Section 38-H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972, was valid till May 5, 2018. Shri Dev Prakash Bankhwal, IFS (Retired) and Shri Himanshu Malhotra, evaluating officers deputed by this office have evaluated the zoo on January-February, 2020. Copy of the Evaluation Report is enclosed herewith for your perusal and needful action.

2. Evaluation Report of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi was placed before the Technical Committee in its 96<sup>th</sup> 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 37<sup>th</sup> 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.

4. The Central Zoo Authority has regularised the period after May 5, 2018 and renewed recognition of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi as a Mini Zoo for a period up to **August 19, 2021** subject to compliance with following conditions as per the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009 (RZR) and mid-term evaluation of the zoo.

Sl.	Norm No. under RZR	Condition	Time period to comply
<b>1. General requirements:</b>			
1	10.1(7)	Measures should be taken to stop all vegetable and leftovers into the deer enclosure from the main road by the public	Immediately
2	10.1(9)	Entry of any domestic / pet / stray animals into zoo premises should be completely prevented. It is observed there is a large population of stray dogs with skin problem outside the paddock area and these dogs are being fed by activists and NGO. Such activity is not permissible in a zoo.	Immediately
<b>3. Development and Planning:</b>			
3	10.3(1)	Master Plan of the zoo should be finalized as per the suggestions of the CZA and got approved.	Three months
4	10.3(4)	There should be plantation of broad-loved trees, which are tall enough to be protected from grazing by the cheetals. In case tree guards are used, they should be removed after a year or so	Six months
5	10.3(6)	Annual collection plan for cheetal should be given in the master plan.	Three months
<b>4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures:</b>			
6	10.4(2)	More trees should be planted inside the enclosure and all iron and cement concrete structure should be removed from the paddock	Two months
7	10.4(2)	Efforts should be made to put concealed sprinklers for rejuvenation of grasses and reducing dust and ground temperature during hot weather	Six months
8	10.4(6)	Since DDA is the civil construction unit, it should make a few shelters which are made of natural materials and innovative and are inconspicuous.	Six months
9	10.4(2)	The new extended area should be completed with requisite equipment. This has been pending for the last many years	Three months
10	10.4(3)	The wall next to the pump house is breached. It should be repaired immediately. This is small work, but it is pending for the last many years	Three months
11	10.4(9)	At the display enclosure, there is no signage with information on the biology, <u>behaviour</u> and population status of the animal (cheetal) in the wild. It has also not been done for the last many years.	Three months
<b>5. Upkeep and healthcare of animals:</b>			
12	10.5(2)	Quality of food should be approved, and food samples should be tested.	Immediately
13	10.5(10)	Keeper's diary, Daily report, animal history card and treatment should be maintained as prescribed by the CZA.	Immediately

Sl.	Norm No. under RZR	Condition	Time period to comply
<b>6. Veterinary and infrastructure facilities:</b>			
14	10.6(1)	Veterinary unit should have proper upkeep of medicines and equipment.	Immediately
<b>7. Post-mortem and disposal of carcasses of animals:</b>			
15	10.7(4)	Carcasses of the animals are being buried inside the enclosure. Should designate an area away from animal enclosure for this purpose.	Immediately
<b>9. Acquisition and breeding of animals:</b>			
16	10.9(9)	No measure for controlling population has been taken. It should be done immediately. During the extension of the paddock, breeding males and females should be segregated to contain the population.	Three months

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.

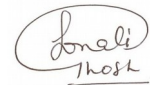
6. The renewal of recognition of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi for period beyond **August 19, 2021** as a Mini Zoo would be considered based on compliance of the conditions stated above and general performance of the zoo.

7. The recognition of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi 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



**(Dr. Sonali Ghosh)**  
**Deputy Inspector General of Forests**

**Copy for information / necessary action to:**

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2. The Chief Wildlife Warden, Department of Forests & Wildlife, O/o Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoD, Vikas Bhawan, 2nd Floor, 'A' Block, I.P. Estate, New Delhi – 110 002, E-mail: pccf-gnctd@delhi.gov.in , cwlw.gnctd@gmail.com

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

4. File No.19-37/93-CZA(55) – for record

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**(Dr. Sonali Ghosh)**  
**Deputy Inspector General of Forests**





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## Central Zoo Authority



BY POST/E-MAIL

F.No.19-37/93-CZA(55)(Vol.I)(AK)/970/2016

DATE: 22.06.2016

To

The Deputy Director (Horticulture),  
Horticulture Division - IV,  
Delhi Development Authority,  
Sheikh Sarai Phase - I,  
New Delhi – 110 017.  
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**Subject:- Grant of renewal of recognition as per the provisions of Section 38H of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 to A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi for period beyond 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2011 - regarding**

**Reference:-**

1. This office letter F.No.19-37/93-CZA(55)(M) dated 22.07.2010
2. This office Show Cause Notice F.No.19-37/93-CZA(55)(M)/496 dated 22.03.2012
3. Your application received on 14.02.2014
4. This office Show Cause Notice F.No.19-37/93-CZA(55)(M)/4663 dated 15.04.2014
5. Letter No.F.10(2)14-15/HD-IV/DDA/914 dated 22.08.2014 from the Deputy Director (Horticulture-IV), Delhi Development Authority

Sir,

Reference is invited to above cited correspondence. It is to inform that the evaluation of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi was carried out by Dr. A.K. Malhotra and Shri Himanshu Malhotra on 29.12.2015. The evaluation report of the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi as submitted by the evaluating officer was considered by the Technical Committee in its 78<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2016.

The Technical Committee of the Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant conditional renewal for recognition for a period of one year. Show Cause Notice is being sent separately. The renewal of recognition of A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi 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 5<sup>th</sup> May, 2018 subject to the compliance of the following directives under Rule 10 of Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009 (Amended in 2013) and mid-term evaluation of the zoo:-

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S. No.	Norm No.	Conditions Stipulated	Time Period to Comply
<b>1. General requirements</b>			
1.	1(2)	Lawns should be cleaned daily.	Immediately
2.	1(4)	Concertina wire should be fixed on the top of boundary wall all along its length and left over masonry works should be completed.	Six months
3.	1(5)	Boundary wall should be constructed towards water pumping point at the Deer Park.	One year
4.	1(7)	Practice of throwing left over vegetables along the boundary wall leading to unhygienic conditions should be discontinued.	Immediately
5.	1(9)	Domestic animals housed at the Deer Park should be removed.	Immediately
6.	1(9)	Authorities of the Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi should take immediate steps to stop entry of stray dogs and remove all feral dogs.	One month
<b>3. Development and Planning</b>			
7.	3(1)	Authorities of the Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi should get Master Plan approved.	Three months
8.	3(6)	Animal collection plan should be prepared in format prescribed by the Central Zoo Authority and get it approved.	Two months
<b>4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures</b>			
9.	4(6)	Wallowing pool should be provided and more trees to be planted	Three months
10.	4(9)	Empty space in the hedge at the stand-off barriers of enclosures should be planted.	Three months
11.	4(10)	Signage about animals should be arranged at different locations of the Deer Park	Three months
<b>5. Upkeep and Healthcare of animals</b>			
12.	5(2)	Quality of food with specific reference to Horse gram should be improved.	Immediately
13.	5(2)	Food sample should be got tested periodically	One month
14.	5(2)	One more <i>haudi</i> be provided for drinking water in the enclosure. The existing <i>haudis</i> should be redesigned.	One month
15.	5(10)	The operator of the Deer Park should keep records namely Keeper's Diary, Daily Report, Animal History Card and Treatment Card in format prescribed by the Central Zoo Authority.	Three months

<b>6. Veterinary and infrastructure facilities</b>			
16.	6(1)	Authorities of the Deer Park should have basic veterinary care facility for health care and treatment of animals housed.	One year
<b>9. Acquisition and breeding of animals</b>			
17.	9(9)	Population of Spotted deer is more than carrying capacity. Effective measures to control their population like segregation and vasectomy should be undertaken.	Six months
<b>12. Visitors facilities</b>			
18.	12(1)	One more drinking water point be increased for the visitors of the Deer Park	Three months
19.	12(1)	Pubic should not be allowed to urinate and litter near boundary wall. Alternate facility should be provided.	Six months

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 to A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi for period beyond 5<sup>th</sup> May, 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.

The recognition to the A.N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi 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

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2. The Vice-Chairman, Delhi Development Authority, B-Block, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Vikas Sadan, New Delhi – 110 023. E-mail: vcdda@dda.org.in – for information and with a request that the conditions stipulated may be got implemented.
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BY REGISTERED POST

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DATE: 22.07.2010

To

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Sheikh Sarai, Phase - I,  
New Delhi - 110 017.

**Sub:- Renewal of recognition to the A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi beyond the period of 31.03.2010 under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 - Regarding.**

Sir,

Reference is invited to your letter No. fs(18)/09-10/HD4/DDA/587 dated 15.06.2010.

The evaluation of the Zoo was carried out on 18.06.2010 and the evaluation report of the A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi as submitted by Sh. B. S. Bonal, Member Secretary, CZA 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 A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi as a mini category Zoo under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2011 subject to the compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 1992 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)	The enclosure area should be closed for visitors at least for one day by closing the gate near the rest house.	With immediate effect

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<b>3. Development and Planning</b>			
3	3 (4)	The plantation of broad leaf species should be carried out in the existing deer enclosure.	Immediately
<b>4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures</b>			
3	4 (3)	(i) The existing water turf in the deer enclosure should be cleaned regularly and the sharp corners should be avoided. In case of any construction in future, it should be made in the saucer shape avoiding sharp corner edges having provision for regular cleaning.	Immediately
		(ii) The visitors should not be allowed to go all the three sides. Provision should be made to restrict the entry of the visitors.	Immediately
4	4 (9)	(i) There should be stand-off barrier to prevent the visitors to reach to animals and feed and also provide live hedge between chainlink fence and stand-off barrier in the existing enclosure.	Immediately
		(ii) The new extended area should also have the provision of stand-off barrier, live hedge, chain link fence. The existing chain link fence could be used as stand-off barrier by way of renovation.	Three months
<b>5. Upkeep and healthcare of animals</b>			
5	5 (4)	The existing feeding turf and water turf built inside <b>the kraal</b> which is presently not in use should be made into use by improving both water and feeding turf.	With immediate effect
<b>6. Veterinary facilities</b>			
6	6 (1)	The veterinary unit (converted by removing rabbits) is presently right inside the existing deer enclosure should be taken out of the enclosure by making provision for entrance to facilitate transportation of any sick animals in the veterinary unit.	Immediately
<b>7. Post-mortem and disposal off carcasses of animals</b>			
7	7 (4)	The carcass disposal site should be earmarked in the corner of the park area. The existing system of burial of carcasses inside the enclosure itself should immediately be stopped.	With immediate effect

4. Acquisition and breeding of animals

		(e) The existing large enclosure (area about 6 hect.) should be made into 4-6 sections and segregate the animals.	With immediate effect
		(f) The Authority should target the number of animals to bring down to 10 as per approved concept plan by adopting population control measures i.e. segregation of male and female, sterilization etc.	With immediate effect
9.	9 (11)	Before releasing animals in the proposed extended area, male and females should be segregated and this will be almost off-display area	With immediate effect

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 A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi beyond 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2011 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 A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi 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)**  
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**(Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta)**  
**Evaluation & Monitoring Officer**







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**Central Zoo Authority**

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**F. No. 19-37/93-CZA(55)(M)**

**DATE: 19.05.2009**

To

The Deputy Director  
Delhi Development Authority,  
Horticulture Division No. IV,  
Sheikh Sarai, Phase-I,  
New Delhi – 110 017.

**Sub:- Grant of recognition to Shri A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi under Section 38 H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act - Regarding.**

Sir,

Reference is invited to your letter No. 5(18)2005/HDIV/DDA/3277 dated 16.4.2009 seeking grant of recognition for the Shri A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972.

The Central Zoo Authority in its Meeting held on 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2009 had decided to grant of recognition to Shri A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi as a Mini category Zoo under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2010 subject to that you comply with the standards and norms laid under Recognition of Zoo Rules, 1992 and guidelines circulated by this office vide this office letter No. 26-2/2008-CZA dated 25.8.2008 and that you submit the five copies of the Master plan of the Shri A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi, keeping in view of the agreed concept plan communicated by this office letter of even number dated 11.02.2009 for the approval from this Authority.

Grant of recognition to Shri A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi beyond 31<sup>st</sup> March 2010 would be considered on the basis of physical evaluation and the general performance of the zoo. The facility shall be evaluated by the Central Zoo Authority within 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2010.

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*d.c. Garg*  
*21/5/09*



The recognition to the Shri A. N. Jha Deer Park, Hauz Khas, New Delhi shall be revoked by the Central Zoo Authority, at any point of time if the Zoo Operator is found violating with the standards and norms stipulated under Rules and Act laid there upon.

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**Yours faithfully,**  
**sd/-**  
**(B. R. Sharma)**  
**Member Secretary**

Copy for favour of information to:-

1. The Chief Wildlife Warden, Government of NCT of Delhi, Delhi.
2. The Chairman, DDA, New Delhi.

BR

**(B. R. Sharma)**  
**Member Secretary**

