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Dated March 31, 2021

To
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Department of Forests and Environment,
Aranya Bhawan, Jhalana Institutional Area,
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Subject: Renewal of recognition of the Kota Zoo, Kota, Rajasthan, 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)/2069/2020 dated January 10, 2020
3. This Office letter F.No.19-43/92-CZA(231)(Vol-II)(PKR)/2891/2018 dated April 9, 2018
4. Application vide letter No.Tec./DCF/WL/2018-19/9834 dated December 18, 2018 from the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Wildlife, Kota

Sir,

With reference to above, the undersigned is directed to inform that recognition of the Kota Zoo, Kota, Rajasthan, under Section 38-H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972, was valid till March 22, 2019. Application dated December 18, 2018 received in this office from the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Wildlife, Kota, for renewal of recognition. Shri Shailesh Prasad, IFS (Retired), evaluating officer deputed by this office has evaluated the zoo on February 9, 2020. Copy of the Evaluation Report is enclosed herewith for your perusal and needful action.

2. Evaluation Report of the Kota Zoo, Kota, 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.

4. The Central Zoo Authority has regularized the period after March 22, 2019 and renewed recognition of the Kota Zoo, Kota, as a Small 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.

Sl.	Norm No. under RZR	Condition	Time period to comply
1. General requirements:			
1	10.1(5)	Remaining peripheral wall of the zoo should be completed.	Three months
2	10.1(9)	The zoo housing domestic animals within the zoo premises. The domestic geese should be removed from zoo immediately.	Immediately
2. Administrative and staffing pattern:			
3	10.2(2)	The Biologist and the Education officer should be appointed in the zoo as mandatory under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009.	One year
3. Development and Planning:			
4	10.3(3) & 10.9(10)	Disaster Management Plan should be prepared as part of the Master Plan and should be implemented. Training and mock drills be conducted to prevent accidents in zoo.	Six months
5	10.3(3)	Possibility for other alienate water sources should be explored for long term development of the zoo.	Three months
4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures:			
6	10.4(2)	The Bonnet monkey kept in substandard enclosure as per specified norms for design and dimension. This should be rectified accordingly.	Six months
5. Upkeep and healthcare of animals:			
7	10.5(10)	With a view to prevent inbreeding and the loss of heterozygosity zoo should maintain the animal history cards & stud and herd book for the animals of endangered species housed in the zoo and putting appropriate identification marks for transfer or exchange animals with other zoos.	Six months
6. Veterinary and infrastructure facilities:			
8	10.6(3)	The Zoo should have quarantine and isolation area to house the sick and injured animals.	Six months
9	10.6(5)	The zoo should have veterinary support staff as specified, lab assistant and stockman/compounder	Six months
10. Research activities:			
10	10.10	Research Plan should be prepared as part of the Master Plan of the zoo and should be implemented to conduct research on the prioritized species and specific areas of concern. Publication of Research paper/ technical reports should be taken up.	One year

Sl.	Norm No. under RZR	Condition	Time period to comply
11. Education and outreach activities:			
11	10.11(1)	Efforts should be made to educate the visitors to the zoo and the people at large about the significance of wildlife conservation for the general wellbeing of the people and keeping the life support system of nature intact and to make people aware about the role played by the zoos in this regard and the ways and means through which general public can participate and contribute for the same. Appropriate signage and interpretation facilities, souvenir shop, library facility accessible, dedicated website should be provided.	Six months
12. Visitors' facilities:			
12	10.12(1)	Adequate civic facilities should be provided for visitors at appropriate and convenient places in the zoo including physically disadvantaged persons and following facilities are so located that they do not mask or impact the view of enclosures. a. drinking water; b. Urinals; c. Ramps; d. Wheel chairs; e. Battery Operated vehicles; f. Lawns; g. Visitor shed h. Kiosk; i. Rain shelters; j. cloak rooms for the visitors k. zoo visitor guides & public Announcement systems, fire alarm during emergency.	Six months
13	10.12(2)	First aid facilities including snake anti-venom and lifesaving drugs should be made readily available in the zoo premises.	Three months
14	10.12(3)	Arrangements should be made for providing access to physically challenged persons for viewing wild animals at various animal enclosures.	Six months
Non-statutory recommendation:			
15		State Zoo authority should be created to recycle get money and money collected through other source like souvenir shop, canteen cycle stands and other source including donations and adoptions.	One year

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 Kota Zoo, Kota, for period beyond August 19, 2022 as a Small Zoo would be considered on the basis of compliance of the conditions stated above and general performance of the zoo.

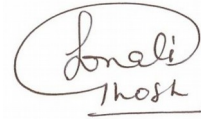
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7. The recognition of the Kota Zoo, Kota, shall be revoked by the Central Zoo Authority at any point of time if the Zoo Operator is found not complying with the stipulated conditions.

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:

1. The Principal Secretary to the Government of Rajasthan, Department of Forests and Environment, Government Secretariat, Jaipur, Rajasthan, E-mail: env_raj@yahoo.co.in , pstrajasthan@gmail.com [Zoo Operator of the Kota Zoo, Kota, Rajasthan, under Rule 2(m)(III) of the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009]
2. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Wildlife-Kota and Officer in-charge, Kota Zoo, Near Chatra Vilas Garden, Nayapura, Kota, Rajasthan, E-mail: dcfwl.kota.forest@rajasthan.gov.in
3. The DPA, O/o CZA – to update database and to upload on official website of the CZA.
4. File No.19-43/92-CZA(231) – for record

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Central Zoo Authority

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By Post / E-mail

Date: 09.04.2018

F. No. 19-43/92-CZA(231)(Vol. II)(PKR)

2891/2018

To,

The Chief Wildlife Warden,
Department of Forest and Environment,
Government of Rajasthan, Aranya Bhawan,
Jhalana Institutional Area,
Jaipur – 302 004 (Rajasthan),
E-mail: cwlv.raj@gmail.com

Sub:- Renewal of recognition to the Kota Zoo, Kota (to be relocated to Abheda Zoological Park, Abheda, Kota), Rajasthan for period beyond 23.08.2017 under Section 38H(1) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 – reg.

Ref:-

1. This office letter F. No. 19-43/92-CZA(231)(Vol. VII)(BKG)/2661/2016 dated 22.09.2016.
2. Application letter No. Tec./DCF/WL/2017-18/5509 dated 22.05.2017 received from the Deputy Conservator of Forest, Wildlife, Kota, Rajasthan.

Sir,

Reference is invited to above cited correspondence. It is to inform that the evaluation of the Kota Zoo, Kota (to be relocated to Abheda Zoological Park, Abheda, Kota), Rajasthan was carried out by Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta, Evaluation and Monitoring Officer, CZA on 20.02.2018. The evaluation report of the Kota Zoo, Kota (to be relocated to Abheda Zoological Park, Abheda, Kota), Rajasthan as submitted by the evaluating officer was considered by the Technical Committee in its 85th Meeting held on 23.03.2018. After detailed deliberations, the Technical Committee decided to grant renewal of recognition to the Kota Zoo, Kota (to be relocated to Abheda Zoological Park, Abheda, Kota), Rajasthan for a period of one year. A copy of the evaluation report as submitted by the evaluating officer is enclosed with this letter for your kind perusal and needful action.

The Committee members also desired that Kota Zoo, Kota (to be relocated to Abheda Zoological Park, Abheda, Kota), Rajasthan should submit time bound commitment for compliance for shifting of the existing Zoo to the new site.

The Zoo Operator while shifting of the animals from existing zoo shall give preference to the animals presently housed at the existing Zoo, rather constructing enclosures for new species.

The renewal of recognition to the Kota Zoo, Kota (to be relocated to Abheda Zoological Park, Abheda, Kota), Rajasthan as a "Small Category Zoo" as per the provisions of Section 38H(1) of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 is for a period up to 22.03.2019 subject to the compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo Rules (RZR), 2009 and mid-term evaluation of the zoo and to regularise the period after 23.08.2017:-

Sr. No	Norm under RZR, 2009	Particulars of suggestions/recommendation	Time Period to Comply
General requirements			
1.	10(1.9)	The domestic ducks should be removed from the zoo.	With immediate effect
Administrative and Staffing Pattern			
2.	10(2.2)	The Zoo should have full time Officer-in-charge with adequate administrative and financial powers.	With immediate effect
3.	10(2.2)	The Zoo should have full time Veterinary Officer and the Veterinary Officer should visit the zoo daily to look after the health & upkeep of animals.	With immediate effect

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4.	10(2.2)	The zoo should appoint Biologist cum Education Officer as mandatory under Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009.	Three months
Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures			
5.	10(4.2)	The enclosure of Soft shell turtles at the zoo should be enriched by placing wooden logs and sand for basking.	With immediate effect
6.	10(4.2)	The Python enclosure should be enriched by placing wooden logs and sand.	With immediate effect
7.	10(4.2)	Water body in Python enclosure should be made saucer shaped instead of rectangular.	With immediate effect
8.	10(4.2)	The Bonnet macaque enclosure should be provided with soft substrate and wooden logs as an enrichment.	With immediate effect
9.	10(4.2)	The tigress enclosure has additional area lying adjacent to it, the same should be made available by shifting the barricade in between.	Three months
Upkeep and healthcare of animals			
10.	10(5.9)	The staff involved with upkeep and health care of Zoo animals should be screened against zoonotic disease at least once a year and those found positive to any communicable disease shall be provided appropriate treatment till they get cured. The infected employees shall be kept away from the responsibility of upkeep and health care of the animals.	With immediate effect
11.	10(5.10)	The zoo 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. The individual animal history sheet file may also include details about vaccination and de-worming.	With immediate effect
Veterinary and infrastructure facilities			
12.	10(6.3)	The treatment room at the zoo should be made functional. It should have basic equipments and medicines.	With immediate effect
13.	10(6.3)	The zoo should have quarantine and isolation area to house the sick and injured animals.	Three month
Post-mortem and disposal of carcasses of animals			
14.	10(7.1,2&3)	The zoo should maintain the original copies of post mortem of all animals which have died at the zoo. Such Post Mortem report for last 6 years should be maintained by the Zoo.	With immediate effect
15.	10(7.1,2&3)	The Post Mortem report should be maintained in the format prescribed by the CZA. .	With immediate effect

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16.	10(7.4)	The officer-in-charge of the zoo should ensure that the carcasses of the animals, after the post-mortem has been conducted, is disposed off by burying or burning in a manner that does not have any adverse impact on the hygiene and cleanliness of the zoo: Provided that the carcasses of large cats shall be disposed off by burning in the presence of the Director of the zoo or any officer in the next rank to him and authorized by him in this behalf. Provided further that the carcasses of animals died due to Anthrax or such other communicable diseases shall not be opened and subjected to post-mortem, as a safeguard against spread of the disease. These shall be buried intact.	With immediate effect
Acquisition and breeding of animals			
17.	10(9.3)	The zoo should find suitable mate for tigress. If the zoo failed to find suitable mate in next six months, the said animal shall be shifted to the recognized zoo as per the direction of the CZA.	Six months
18.	10(9.6)	The surplus population of Spotted deer should be shifted to a recognized zoo of the state or released in the Protected Area (PA) of the State after screening of their health. However, prior approval from CWLW of the State and the CZA should be obtained in this regard.	Six months
Others			
A.		The open electric board just outside the tigress enclosure, which has access to the visitors should be covered.	
B.		Toilet next to Star tortoise enclosure should be shifted.	
C.		The MS sheet shade in deer enclosure to be covered by thatch.	
Observations on relocation site at Abhedha Biological Park, Abhedha			
I.	10(1.5)	The Zoo Operator is yet to complete the construction of remaining 2600 meter of boundary wall.	With immediate effect
II.		In order to create the greenbelt of 400 meter wide, the Zoo Operator has planted 5500 seedling of native fruit, shade loving trees. The remaining 4500 seedlings shall be planted in coming monsoon.	
III.		It was observed that as the whole area does not have boundary wall at present, thus Nilgai from the adjoining areas are entering and destroying the seedlings. The Zoo Operator should complete the remaining periphery wall so that the seedlings are protected.	
IV.		The drip irrigation to meet the water requirement of seedlings may continue.	
V.		The Zoo Operator are advised to explore the possibility for other alternate water sources for long term development of the Zoo.	

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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Encl. As above.

Yours sincerely

(Dr. D.N. Singh)
Member Secretary

Copy to:-

1. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Wildlife Kota, Nayapur, Kota – 324 001 (Rajasthan) - for information and with a request that the conditions stipulated may be got implemented.
2. The DPA, CZA – to update database.

Urgent pr.

Dr. 21/2/18

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Questionnaire for Evaluation of Mini Zoos and Rescue Centres
Central Zoo Authority - (RECOGNITION OF ZOO RULES, 2009)

Central Zoo Authority

Display.....

Date.....

PART-I
(to be filled by the officer-in-charge of the zoo)

Date of Evaluation: 20.02.2018

Name of the Evaluator: Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta

1	Name of the Zoo	Zoological park Kota
2	Name/designation of the officer in-charge of the zoo. Address: Mobile Phone: Email: Website:	SUNIL CHIDRI Deputy conservator of forest near chatra vilas garden Nayapura, Kota (Rajasthan) 9468959229 dcfwl.kota.forest@rajasthan.gov.in
3	Location and Area of the Zoo (also indicate the distance from the city/town): Whether the office of Zoo Director is within campus, if outside, how far?	Near chatra vilas garden Nayapura kota (Inside City) 2.2 Ha. within Campus,
4	If the Zoo Director is in-charge of any activity other than the zoo, if yes, please specify.	Yes, Besides Zoo, Sanctuary Ramgarh, Shergarh, Bhensrodgare and Ummed Ganj Pakshivihar Conservation Reserve are managed by DCF WL, Kota.
5	Operator/Agency under whose control the Zoo, contact person and address	Supervisor Zoo, Phone No. 0744-2321263 Nayapura, Kota
6	If the Zoo having a society/foundation/trust for financing and development of the zoo, if so, the details, thereof, attach a separate sheet	No
7	Approximate population of the city where the zoo is located	10.00 Lacs (2011)
8	Year of the Zoo founded	1905
9	Year first opened to public	1905
10	Mission Statement of the Zoo	Conservation, Awareness & Education
11	Vision Statement of the Zoo	Conservation, Awareness & Education
12	The day on which the zoo closed to public	Tuesday
13	Last Recognition valid up to and evaluated by (mention name of the team members)	20 Febuary, 2018, evaluated by Shri B.K. Gupta
14	Whether your zoo is member of WAZA or any other such organizations, if so, provide details	NO
15	Officers present during the evaluation	1. Shri Sunil Chidri , DCF, WL, Kota. 2. Deepak Jasu, Zoo Supervisor
16	Total no. of animals exhibited by the zoo (during the last evaluation & as on the date of evaluation) Species exhibited & numbers	As on Date 30-06-17 Tigeress -1, Black Buck -15, Chinkara-9, Bonnet Monkey-2, Blue Bull-4, Spotted Dear-62, Sambhar female -1, Python-3, Tortoise-14, Turtul-5, Bar Headed Goose-2, Comb Duck- 1, Spot Bill Duck-1, whistling teal-1, Night Heron-1, Pond Heron-1, Egrette-2 as on Date 10-6-2016 (last evaluation) Lioness 1, Tigeress 1, Black Buck -13, Chinkara-10, Bonnet Monkey-2, Blue Bull-6, Spotted Dear-72, Sambhar-1, Python-3, Tortoise-14. Turtle- 5, Bar Headed Goose-2, Comb Duck- 1, Spot Bill Duck-1, whistling teal-1, Night Heron-1, Pond Heron-1, Egrette-2
17	List of Surplus Animals (attach a list)	List enclosed as per Annexure-A
18	List of additional facilities available at the zoo like and their entrance fees, if any; 1. Nocturnal House 2. Reptile House 3. Aquarium 4. Safari 5. Boating 6. Morning Walks 7. Train Ride 9. Elephant Ride etc.	NO NO NO NO NO NO NO NO

	10. Others, specify	BIRD AVIARY IS PRESENT																																		
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PART-II

Details on compliance of the conditions stipulated by the Central Zoo Authority (as per the earlier letter of grant of recognition issued to the zoo)

Letter F.No. 19-43/92-CZA(231)(Vol.VII)(BKG)/2616 dated 22-9-2016.

Sr. No.	Norm No.	Conditions Stipulated	Time Period to Comply	Since when pending	Remarks	
					Status with regard Compliance of the conditions as submitted by the officer in-charge of the Zoo	Status with regard Compliance as noted Physically by the evaluator during the visit
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2. Administrative and Staffing Pattern.						
1.	2(1)a	The Zoo should have full time officer- in-charge.	With Immediate effect	Not Now	Zoo have full time officer in-charge	Complied
2.	2(1)(b)	The Veterinary Officer at the zoo should visit daily to oversee the health of animals.	With Immediate effect	---	Veterinary officer visits daily to check overall health of animals	There was no veterinary officer present during the evaluation of the Zoo.
3. Development and Planning						
3.	3(5)	The Zoo should stop burning of grass and other vegetation inside the animals exhibits.	immediately	---	burning of grasses etc. has stopped completely inside zoo premises	Complied
4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures						
4.	4(2)	The zoo should repair the animal exhibits for primates, herbivores and birds.	immediately	---	Animals exhibits has repaired.	Complied
5.	4(6)a	All iron perch should be replaced by bamboo or any other wood.	immediately	---	All perch have replaced with wooden item.	Complied

6.	4(6)b	Efforts should be made to enrich the animal exhibits.	immediately	wooden	Yes, all efforts have been made to provide naturalistic environment	Efforts have been made.
7.	4(10)	The signage's should contain the correct name of animal species exhibited therein.	immediately	---	All signages has corrected	Complied

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
5 Upkeep and healthcare of animals						
8.	5(3)a	The water troughs inside the animal exhibits should be cleaned daily. Efforts should be made to ensure that water is free of algae.	immediately	Not Now	All troughs are cleaned daily. Efforts made to keep it, Free from algae.	Complied
9.	5(3)b	The Zoo should ensure to provide potable water to all the animals 24 hours.	immediately	---	All animals are provided with 24 hours potable water.	Complied
6. Veterinary and infrastructure facilities						
10.	6(1)	The zoo should have treatment room to treat day to day animals.	three animals	---	Treatment room is available Zoo premises.	Treatment room was still found non functional.
9. Acquisition and breeding of animals						
11.	9(3)	The lone large carnivores (Royal Bengal tiger female and Hybrid lion female) from the zoo should be shifted to other recognized zoos.	immediately Female lion shifted of Jodhpur zoos.	---	Hybrid female lioness was shifted to Jodhpur (M.Z.P.)	Complied
12.	9(9)	The zoo should adopt population control measures to control the population of prolifically breeding animals namely Spotted deer, Black buck, Blue bull and Chinkara. The surplus animals may be shifted immediately to the recognized zoo in the State of Rajasthan or to a suitable natural habitat following the IUCN guidelines laid in this regard and following the protocols for the transport of animals of Central Zoo Authority	Three months	---	The Zoo has shifted 20 chital to suitable natural habitats as per guideline of I.U.C.N.	-

Letter F.No. 19-43/92-CZA(231)(M)/194 dated 12/13-7-2011.

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1. General						
1.	2,3 & 4	The upkeep of the present stock at existing zoo should have been continued by providing the animals with naturalistic environment, standoff barrier, healthcare, food and water until they are shifted to new facility at Abhedha.	With Immediate effect		Efforts has been made to provide naturalistic environment by enhancing greenery in existing zoo premise & standoff barriers have been erected in front of all animal enclosures. Quality food, water &	Partly complied

					health care regularly monitored.	
3. Development and Planning						
2.	1	The Zoo should submit amended copies of the Master Plan incorporating the comments sent by the Central Zoo Authority vide letter dated 23.9.2010.	Positively by 1 st August, 2011		Amended Master (Layout) Plan as directed by CZA has already been approved in principle. Three sets of approved Master Lay out Plan have been sent to CZA to get the signed copy of Master lay out Plan.	Master (Layout) Plan has been approved by CZA Letter no. F.No. 19-43/92 CZA (231)(Vol.II)(P KR)/242/2017 Date 07-02-2017
4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures						
3.	10.	The zoo should provide directional signage's to regulate the visitors	Three months		Proper Directional Signage have been created as directed at every enclosure & other suitable places.	Complied
5. Upkeep and Healthcare of animals						
4.	9.	The staff should be screened once in a year	With immediate effect		Efforts for Screening of Staff have started.	Yet to start
5.	10.	The zoo should maintain the history card and studbook of endangered species.				Records are not in the format as of prescribed by CZA, neither they are complete.
9. Acquisition and Breeding of animals						
6.	4.	Efforts should be made to procure the appropriate mate for the single animals Sambar, Jackal, Hyena, Tiger, Painted stork and Stilt.	Six months		Request has been made to CWLW to provide wild animals for pairing.	--
12. Visitor facilities.						
7.	1.	One more water point and toilet should be provided.	Three months		One more water Point & Toilets point has been made. Water cooler facility also provided to the visitors.	Not complied

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Permission to operate the zoos at Jaipur, Kota, Udaipur and Jodhpur beyond 31st December, 2008 was granted by the Central Zoo Authority, subject to the condition that

(i) All the animals should be relocated to the new site at Abhedha.

(ii) to submit 5 copies of Master Plans for the long term development of Kota Zoo for the approval from the CZA, keeping in view the agreed concept plans communicated by this office of even no. dated 17.2.2009 and the guidelines circulated by this office for the preparation of Master Plan.

PART-III

Rule 10: Standards and Norms subject to which recognition under section 38H of the Act shall be considered.

Norm No.	Condition	Detailed Status of Implementation and Enclosure Specific Recommendation	
		To be filled by the Zoo Director	Detailed Comments of the Evaluating Officers
1. General requirements			
1.1	Does the zoo make efforts to maintain population of physically, genetically and behaviorally healthy animals for furthering the cause of wildlife conservation and communicating credible conservation message to the visitors? (b) If not please specify cases where it is violated? * Only in cases where stud books are maintained c) If any introduction of new blood has been made after last evaluation to increase the genetic viability of animals.	Yes, All effort have been made to maintain healthy population & individuals In the prevailing conditions of existing zoo. much of the improvement in this behalf is not possible due to several limiting factors. Area, Budget,etc.	--
1.2	Whether any Endeavour has been made for proper landscaping and planting of appropriate species done to provide a naturalistic environment within the zoo? (b)If not indicate cases of deviation.	In the Existing Zoo premise there are several trees of various species. To enrich greenery near enclosure Hedge & shrub planting have been done at suitable places. Grass planting has also been done to improve landscape view.	--
1.3	(a)Whether the movement of visitors in the zoo has been regulated in such a manner that zoo animals are not unduly disturbed? (b)Is the zoo closed to visitors at least one day in a week? (c)Which day?	(a) Yes (b) Yes (c) Tuesday	Yes
1.4	(a)Whether the zoo has appropriate barriers along the boundary of the zoo in accordance with the standards issued by the Central Zoo Authority, as a safeguard against the un-regulated access of visitors to the zoo and zoo animals and being subjected to injury, pilferage and predation? (b) If not which stretch and its length?	(a) Yes, (b) -	Yes
1.5	(a)Is the zoo surrounded by human landscape? (b)If yes, whether encompassed by a perimeter wall of at least two meter in height from the ground level on both sides?	(a) Yes (b) Zoo Premises has been surrounded by minimum two meter high boundary wall.	Yes Boundary wall of 2 mt. high existing all around
1.6	(a)Is there residential colony constructed within the zoo premises? (b)If yes, whether separated by wall from the zoo premises by a boundary wall with a minimum height of two meters from the ground level?(c) Is the entry to the residential colony through the zoo premises?	(a) No (b) Not applicable.	No
1.7	(a)What are arrangements for managing solid and liquid waste and storm water?	(a) Solid waste from carnivore enclosures is daily removed by meat supplier, while other	There is no proper arrangement for the solid and liquid waste management.

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	(b) Is it adequate? (c) What are the short comings?	solid waste of Zoo animals are removed & put in Municipality dust bin regularly. To drain excess rain water, a percolation tank has been constructed in the periphery of premise.-- (b) Yes (c) Nil																			
1.8	(a) Is the zoo displaying sick, injured, infirm and tethered animals to the visitors? (b) If yes, what are the species and each of their number?	(a) No (b) Nil	No																		
1.9	a) Is the zoo housing domestic animals within the zoo premises? b) Is there adequate safeguards in place to prevent the entry of domestic livestock, stray animals and pets into the zoo premises?	a) No (Except domestic goose) b) Yes	The domestic ducks should be removed from the zoo.																		
2. Administrative & Staffing pattern																					
2.1	Does the zoo have an officer of appropriate rank as in-charge of the zoo with powers to take decision and ensure that adequate financial resources and infrastructural support is made available to such officer for proper housing, upkeep and healthcare of the zoo animals and managing the zoo in a planned manner?	Dy. CF, Wild Life Kota, besides Zoo is also managing three sanctuaries namely Ramgarh, Shergarh & Bhainsroadgarh and one conservation reserve namely Umedganj Pakshi Vihar Kota, Abheda Biological Park Limited Budget.	No																		
2.2	Does the zoo have adequate scientific and technical staff to support the officer-in-charge of the zoo in carrying out the responsibilities of housing, upkeep and healthcare of zoo animals, research and visitor education as specified in the Table below, namely: <table border="1" data-bbox="391 1187 810 1400"> <thead> <tr> <th>Category of Staff</th> <th>Large Zoo</th> <th>Medium</th> </tr> <tr> <th>(2)</th> <th>(3)</th> <th>(4)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Curator</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Veterinarian</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Education Officer</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Biologist</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Category of Staff	Large Zoo	Medium	(2)	(3)	(4)	Curator	1	1	Veterinarian	2	1	Education Officer	1	1	Biologist	1	1	One veterinarian has been exclusively posted for zoo. Zoo is categorized as Mini Zoo. Following staff have been posted for management- V.O. -1 Zoo supervisor -1 Animal keeper (Care Taker) -1 Forest Guard -2 Cattle Guard -4 Sweeper -1 Class IV -2	The veterinary officer should visit the zoo twice a week as well as when his services are required. The zoo should appoint biologist cum education officer as mandatory under Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009. The zoo should have full time office-in-charge with adequate administrative and financial powers. At present the DFO is also in-charge of various forest area and wildlife sanctuaries in the vicinity.
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2.3	If the scientific and technical posts are filled by direct recruitment, does the recruitment rule for such posts provide for their career progression including the benefit of flexible complementing scheme for their promotions?	Existing Zoo is categorized as mini Zoo & proposed to be shifted at new site Abheda. No direct recruitment of scientific & technical posts is presently possible in existing zoo.	-																		
2.4	In the event of emergency, what is the response time when the veterinarian is off the premises (i.e. distance between officer, residence and zoo)	Full time veterinarian is available, Distance between officer's residence & zoo is 6.5 km.	The veterinarian was not available during the visit.																		
3. Development & Planning																					
3.1	(a) Has the zoo prepared and got the master plan approved by the Central Zoo Authority? (b) If not, what is the stage?	Existing kota zoo has no master plan. Master Layout plan for new site has been approved by CZA.	Master Plan yet to be submitted by the Zoo Operator for approval.																		
3.2	(a) Has at least 30% of the area earmarked for the zoo	Existing Zoo is in 2.2	Not complied. The zoo is																		

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	been kept under green belt and natural vegetation and the area for animal housing does not exceed 30% area of the zoo? (b) If not, approx what percentage?	hectare. All efforts have been made to develop natural vegetation in available area. It is proposed to be shifted to new site where all the norms of green belt & natural vegetation will be full filled.	in relocation process.
3.3	(a) Have all 'pucca' buildings including the visitor facilities been planned and located in such a manner that the natural landscape of the zoo have not been masked and the cleanliness and hygiene of the zoo is not been affected due to such animal enclosures/structures? (b) If not what improvements are suggested?	In existing Zoo all possible effort have been made to maintain natural landscape, cleanliness & hygiene. (b) to improve natural landscape cleanliness and hygiene, more efforts are suggested.	-
3.4	Has the zoo prepared a collection plan in consultation with the Central Zoo Authority, indicating the names of the species and maximum number of animals of each species to be housed in the zoo, having due regard to the congeniality of the climatic conditions of the locality for the general health and well being of the species, availability of space and infrastructural support for proper upkeep and healthcare of the species, proximity of the zoo to the habitat range of the species and the past record of the zoo in management and breeding of the species and the zoo is not compromising on housing and upkeep standards of animals for accommodating new species or additional animals of the species in its collection?	There is no collection plan for existing Zoo, but of course Animal collection plan for proposed Abhedha Biological Park has been approved as per the guidelines of CZA.	The collection plan is approved along with the master (layout) plan of the Zoo.
3.5	(a) Has the zoo accepted any rescued animal for which it does not have appropriately designed enclosure and upkeep facilities as well as the facilities for keeping it in isolation during quarantine period? (b) If yes which species and from where received? (c) The location of quarantine and isolation area?	(a) No. (b) Nil (c) Nil	No
3.6	a) Has the zoo accepted any rescued animal for housing? b) If so what is the species and number? c) Has the details been reported to CWLW of the state including a detailed report regarding the source from which the animal has been received, legality of its acquisition and the facilities available at the zoo for housing, upkeep and healthcare? d) If the rescued animal pertains to an endangered species whether a copy of the report has been sent to the Central Zoo Authority?	a) Yes b) Panther-1 rescued for housing. c) Yes d) - No	The permission for acquisition of single Leopard has not been taken from CWLW as well from CZA.
3.7	(a) Whether the Central Zoo Authority has advised to transfer any animal to a particular zoo for augmenting the number of founder animals for the conservation breeding programme? (b) Whether the same has been complied with? (c) If not, why?	(a) No. (b) Not applicable (c) Not applicable	No
4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures			
4.1	(a) Are the animals displayed in nature immersing (naturalistic) enclosures? (b) How many such enclosures for which species exist?	(a) Animals are kept in existing zoo in simulated naturalistic climate as far as possible. (b) Existing zoo is proposed to be shifted to the new site.	The animals are housed temporarily, till they are shifted to new site.
4.2	(a) If the designs and dimensions of various enclosures have been decided having due regard to the biological behavior of the species and the number of animals to be housed	(a) Existing zoo is a very old zoo situated within a small area of 2.2 hectare. Enclosures are sufficiently suitable to a	The enclosure of soft shell turtles at the zoo should be enriched by placing wooden logs. The Python enclosure to

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		limited extent to fulfill the biological needs of species.	be enriched by placing wooden logs. Water body in Python enclosure should be saucer shaped instead rectangular. The Bonnet macaque enclosure should be provided some part as soft substrate and the enclosure to be enriched. The tigress enclosure has additional area lying adjacent to it, the same should be made available by removing the barricade in between.
4.3	(a) Are the enclosures safe and secure for the animals, animal keepers and the visitors and has requisite space for free movement, exercise and expression of their natural behaviour? (b) If not, in which cases?	(a) Yes, fully safe and secure for animals, keepers & visitors. Requisite space for free movement, exercise and expression of their natural behavior is limited due to small size of zoo area. (b) As above	--
4.4	(a) Is adequate space available to the animals in order to maintain safe distance from the dominant animals in the group or herd? (b) If not, in which cases?	(a) Yes [Except in the case of spotted deer due to their excess number (see annexure A)] (b) As above.	Spotted deer are beyond the carrying capacity.
4.5	Which animals are kept in substandard enclosures as per CZA specification?	Bonnet Monkey.	Except herbivores, all animals are housed in substandard enclosure.
4.6	(a) Has efforts been made to enrich the environment of the enclosures to meet the species specific behavioural requirements of the animals in accordance with the standards specified by the Central Zoo Authority? (b) Where are the deviations?	(a) Yes efforts have been made to the limited extent due to limitation of the existing zoo area. (b) In all present enclosures	Partial efforts are being made.
4.7	(a) Has adequate screening been provided between adjacent enclosures to safeguard against the animals getting unduly excited or stressed due to visibility of animals housed in these enclosures? (b) What are the deviations?	(a) Yes (b) Not applicable	Yes
4.8	(a) Has any new enclosure for endangered species constructed without prior approval of the Central Zoo Authority? (b) If yes, which ones and why?	(a) No (b) Not applicable	No
4.9	(a) Has the zoo provided appropriately designed and effective stand off barriers at every animal display enclosure to regulate the movement of visitors in the zoo in a manner that facilitates the visitors in getting unobstructed view of wild animals, without reaching in the vicinity or proximity of the animals and getting the opportunity to physically touch or provoke the animals and are there adequate sign boards so as to give warning to the visitors to keep a safe distance from the animals? (b) Where are the deviations?	(a) Yes (b) Not applicable	Yes, but they are not as per the dimension prescribed by the CZA.
4.10	(a) Have appropriate signage been provided with relevant information on the biology, behaviour and the population status of the species in the wild at every display enclosure? (b) If any deviations, details thereof. (c) In case of large and medium zoos whether interactive interpretation facilities have been provided for the purpose of explaining behaviour and biology of	(a) Yes (b) Not applicable	Yes

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	the species displayed in the enclosure? (d) Details thereof.	(c) Not applicable (d) Not applicable	
5. Upkeep and Healthcare of Animals			
5.1	<p>Enclosures and animal facilities</p> <p>(a) Whether the animals in its collection are maintained in socially and behaviorally viable groups?</p> <p>(b) If any animal is separated from the group, the justification for the same and whether the animals, so separated, have been housed in accordance with standards specified by the Central Zoo Authority in this regard.</p> <p>(c) Whether the food containers and water bowls are cleaned and disinfected on daily basis?</p> <p>(d) Whether grills and floor of feeding cells, night shelters and chain link fence of out door enclosures are being disinfected on routine basis.</p> <p>(d) Whether perches and shelves are cleaned regularly and kept free of faeces and urine?</p> <p>(e) Whether dirt substrates in outdoor planted exhibits are raked and spot- cleaned periodically?</p> <p>(f) Whether the zoo has provision of secondary holding areas for safe movement of animals from primary enclosures for cleaning/ feeding/ medical procedures?</p> <p>(g) Provision of footbath of adequate size with proper disinfectant at entry and exit points of animal house is provided or not?</p> <p>(h) Whether the indoor exhibits have separate ventilation system between exhibits and visitors area to reduce the potentials of disease transmission, in case of reptile and nocturnal animal houses?</p> <p>(i) Whether the drainage system is covered proper and away from animal houses?</p>	<p>(a) Yes</p> <p>(b) No</p> <p>(c) Yes</p> <p>(d) Yes by hot water & black disinfectant on routine basis.</p> <p>(e) Yes</p> <p>(f) Yes</p> <p>(g) Yes</p> <p>(h) Yes</p> <p>(i) Yes</p>	Upkeep is satisfactory.
5.2	<p>Nutrition and food hygiene</p> <p><i>General</i></p> <p>1. Are the animals ensured timely supply of : (a) adequate quality feed as per species specific diet of such a composition and in such quantities that nutritional and physiological requirement of each animal is fully met and no animal remains under-nourished on account of dominant animals not permitting other animals getting their share of the feed? (b) Is round the clock supply of potable water to all the animals is ensured?</p> <p>2. Whether inventory of daily received and distribution record of food items is maintained?</p> <p>3. Whether the storage conditions of the food items are appropriate (free from moisture, moulds and pests)?</p> <p>4. Whether the food storage facilities and working platforms are cleaned and disinfected on regular basis?</p> <p>5. Whether the regular inspection of food items is being done for its quality and freshness and transported hygienically to the respective enclosures?</p> <p>6. Whether random food and water samples are being tested periodically for microbiological, toxicological and any other contaminants at recognized laboratory</p> <p><i>Carnivore food and hygiene</i></p> <p>1. Whether the meat house is fly proof and pest free and located at a reasonable distance from the feed store and kitchen?</p> <p>2. Whether the zoo maintains strict hygienic conditions in the entire food stream, from the butchery to feeding platforms in order to prevent food contamination and overgrowth of potential pathogenic bacteria?</p> <p>3. Whether the zoo has a sufficient size functioning</p>	<p>(a) Yes</p> <p>(b) Yes</p> <p>2. Yes</p> <p>3. Yes</p> <p>4. Yes</p> <p>5. Yes</p> <p>6. No random testing of Food & water samples</p>	<p>There is no diet schedule.</p> <p>The food is procured by the Zoo directly on day to day basis except meat and herbivore feed.</p>

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	<p>freezer in the meat processing facility for storage of meat products and to keep cold until it is fed?</p> <p>4. Whether the meat handlers entering the facility change into a clean and disinfected boots and coveralls?</p> <p>5. Whether the meat handlers use clean gloves when handling the meat?</p> <p>6. Whether the meat preparation facility is thoroughly cleaned and disinfected on regular basis after the meat preparation is completed?</p> <p>7. Whether there is a covered drainage system to prevent wastes and water from the meat preparation facility from draining onto the ground surrounding the facility where foot traffic will carry pathogens around and where wildlife may become exposed to the waste?</p> <p>8. Whether the meat is fed on a clean and disinfected surface and at a time when the animal will consume it at quickly as possible?</p> <p>9. Whether the keepers use clean gloves, if they handle the meat prior to feeding?</p> <p><i>Food distribution</i></p> <p>1. (a) Is the timing of distribution of food, placement of food and way of distribution of food to the animals regulated in such a manner that the animals get maximum opportunity to express natural instincts and skills and behaviour related to feeding?</p> <p><i>Removal of unused feed and excreta</i></p> <p>Are the left over feed, excreta of animals and all other wastes are removed promptly from the feeding cells and kraals and the feeding cells and kraals are washed and disinfected as per the advice of the authorized veterinary officers and the solid and the liquid waste generated during the process are disposed off in such manner that has no adverse impact on the hygiene and cleanliness of the zoo and the landscape surrounding the zoo?</p> <p>(a) In which cases improvement is recommended?</p> <p>(b) Are the dimensions and designs of the feeding cells and kraal as per the standards specified by the Central Zoo Authority?</p> <p>(c) Cases of deviation, if any?</p>	<p>shall be shortly done & complied with.</p> <p>1. Fresh meat is supplied regularly by meat supplier on daily basis.</p> <p>2. Yes</p> <p>3. Not applicable</p> <p>4. Not applicable</p> <p>5. Yes</p> <p>6. Yes</p> <p>7. Not applicable</p> <p>8. Yes</p> <p>9. Yes</p> <p>(a) Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>(a) Not Applicable</p> <p>(b) Yes</p> <p>(c) Not Applicable</p>	

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5.3	<p>Visual observation on daily activity pattern of animals and preventive healthcare</p> <p>1. (a) Do the curatorial and the veterinary staff keep a close watch on the general behaviour and health parameters of the zoo animals? (b) Are the animals handled only by the staff having experience and training in handling the individual animals? (c) Whether periodical health monitoring of animals have been carried out regularly?</p> <p>2. If any animal shows any sign of dullness, loss of appetite, injury or abnormal behaviour: is the animal thoroughly assessed and provided medical attention promptly as per the standards specified by the Central Zoo Authority in this regard from time to time and the direction of the zoo administration?</p> <p>3. Is every zoo animal screened for parasitic loads as per written schedule prepared by the zoo in consultation with the veterinary officer and prophylactic medicines administered as per clinical requirements and vaccination of animals against infectious diseases are also done, as per the schedule prescribed by the Veterinary Officer from time to time?</p> <p>4. Whether the zoo have written schedule of vaccination and deworming of different species of the zoo animals and displayed at the enclosure site?</p> <p>5. Does the zoo maintains 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?</p> <p>6. Are all staff involved with upkeep and healthcare of zoo animals screened against zoonotic diseases once every year and those found positive to any communicable disease are provided appropriate treatment till they get cured and become free of the infection and during the period of such treatment, the infected employees are kept away from the responsibility of upkeep and healthcare of the animals?</p> <p>7. Whether the zoo has clause of employing a zoo keeper temporarily ailing for usefully utilizing them elsewhere in the zoo in the intervening period.</p> <p>8. Every zoo should have formal linkages through a MoU on healthcare, preventive, health management, surgical interventions, clinical tests, disease diagnosis and consultation in treatment and management during the period of convalescence.</p> <p>(a) Whether the zoo has any such MoU with the nearest veterinary institution? (b) Whether the MoU contains names and contact details of person/ persons to be contacted to assist zoo management in all aspects in health management for zoo animals?</p>	<p>1. (a) Yes</p> <p>1. (b) Yes</p> <p>1. (c) Yes</p> <p>2. Yes</p> <p>3. Yes</p> <p>4. No Scheduled vaccination & deworming are conducted as per Veterinary officer but above schedule are not displayed at the enclosure site.</p> <p>5. Yes</p> <p>6. Yes</p> <p>7. No</p> <p>8. A Zoo veterinarian is exclusively deputed for the upkeep & health management of zoo animals. In case of emergency, clinical test, disease diagnosis, consultation is done with nearby govt. veterinary institutions. Near by Zoo veterinarians.</p> <p>(a) As above (b)As above</p>	<p>No records are being maintained.</p> <p>The zoo 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. The individual animal history sheet file may also include details on vaccination and deworming.</p> <p>The staff screening report for zoonotic disease were not available during the evaluation. The same should be strictly followed and reports should be maintained.</p>
6. Veterinary and Infrastructure Facilities			
6.1	<p><i>Zoo hospital</i></p> <p>(a) Are veterinary facilities appropriate to the size and type of the animal collection of the zoo including isolation ward and quarantine facilities located away from the hospital and other animal collections? (b) Does the zoo have a full fledged veterinary unit with all basic diagnostic facilities, pharmacy, diagnostic and treatment room, comprehensive range of drugs, operation theatre and in-patient wards? (c) Are there suitable and appropriately designed holding</p>	<p>(a) No</p> <p>(b)No. Facilities are</p>	<p>There is no veterinary hospital facilities or treatment room at the zoo.</p>

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6.2	<p>Animal restraint</p> <p>(1) Whether the zoo has appropriate animal restraint equipment, accessories and drugs?</p> <p>(2) Whether the animal restraint equipment are being kept and maintained as per standard protocol?</p> <p>(3) Whether the veterinarian and technician have requisite training in equipment use and animal restraint techniques including handling of drugs and management of human emergencies?</p> <p>(4) Is the restraint of an animal requiring chemical immobilization done exercising utmost care and following the standards specified in this regard by the Central Zoo Authority from time to time?</p> <p>(5) Whether the veterinarian has requisite training in animal immobilization with specific reference to wildlife.</p> <p>(6) Is there a dedicated refrigerator for storage of chemical restraint drugs?</p>	<p>(1) Yes</p> <p>(2) Yes</p> <p>(3) Yes</p> <p>(4) Yes</p> <p>(5) Yes</p> <p>(6) Yes</p>										
6.3	<p>Veterinary support staff</p> <p>Does the zoo have zoo the veterinary support staff as specified in the Table below; namely:-</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <thead> <tr> <th>S. No.</th> <th>Support Staff</th> <th>Large Zoo</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1.</td> <td>Lab. Assistant (Technician)</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2.</td> <td>Stockman/Compounder</td> <td>2</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	S. No.	Support Staff	Large Zoo	1.	Lab. Assistant (Technician)	2	2.	Stockman/Compounder	2	No	<p>The room names as treatment room at the entry of the zoo does not have anybasic facilities. It should have basic equipments and medicines.</p> <p>The zoo should have quarantine and isolation area to house the sick and informed animals.</p>
S. No.	Support Staff	Large Zoo										
1.	Lab. Assistant (Technician)	2										
2.	Stockman/Compounder	2										
6.4	<p>Wildlife veterinary medical education and training</p> <p>1. Does the zoo have linkages with the eminent institutions and organizations working in the field of wild animal healthcare with the objectives to provide for:</p> <p>(a) Assistance in scientific diagnosis of diseases of serious nature and advice on the effective remedial treatment.</p> <p>(b) Training and upgrading technical skills of animal health staff.</p> <p>(c) Development of protocols for preventive medicines and vaccination</p> <p>2. Whether the veterinary officer has requisite training /education in wildlife medicine/health.?</p> <p>3. Whether the zoo has any training programme/residency for skill development for the zoo veterinary medical officer in wildlife medicine in a large foreign zoo?</p>	<p>(a) Yes</p> <p>(b) Yes</p> <p>(c) Yes</p> <p>2. Yes</p> <p>3.No</p>	Nil									
7. Post-mortem and disposal of carcasses of animals												
7.1	<p>Post mortem facilities</p> <p>1. Does the zoo; unless it is mini zoo have a modern postmortem room, equipped with sufficient light and post mortem equipment?</p> <p>2. Whether the zoo veterinarian has specialized knowledge and skills in wildlife pathology?</p> <p>3. Is there availability of pathology support from nearest veterinary institution to provide specialized capabilities and consultation</p> <p>particularly for post mortem of an endangered species requiring definitive diagnosis and collection of samples in a scientific way and as per protocols required by reference laboratories / veterinary institute?</p> <p>4. Does every animal dying in the zoo is being subjected to a detailed postmortem examination by registered veterinarian to determine conclusively the cause of the death?</p>	<p>1. It is a mini zoo.</p> <p>No.</p> <p>2. No</p> <p>3. Yes</p>	<p>The zoo should maintain the original copies of post mortem of all animals which have died at the zoo. Such Post Mortem report for last 6 years should be maintained by the Zoo.</p> <p>The Post Mortem report should be maintained in the prescribed format as of the CZA.</p>									

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		To be filled by the Zoo Director	Detailed Comments of the Evaluating Officers
		4. Yes	
7.2	Are the findings of the post-mortem examination referred to in sub-paragraph (1) recorded in such format as have been prescribed by Central Zoo Authority in this regard and is it maintained for a period of not less than six years?	Yes	Yes
7.3	1. In the event of the post mortem being inconclusive and no specific reason for death is identified, do the zoo authorities send the samples of the tissues and organs, blood, viscera etc. for further examination to the qualified diagnostic laboratory having adequate specialization for further investigation and identifying the cause of death? 2. Whether the post mortem report is corroborated with other diagnostic findings in consultation with specialized reference laboratories / veterinary institutions?	1. Yes 2. Yes The officer-in-charge of the zoo should ensure that the carcasses of the animals, after the post-mortem has been conducted, is disposed off by burying or burning in a manner that does not have any adverse impact on the hygiene and cleanliness of the zoo: Provided that the carcasses of large cats shall be disposed off by burning in the presence of the Director of the zoo or any officer in the next rank to him and authorized by him in this behalf. Provided further that the carcasses of animals died due to Anthrax or such other communicable diseases shall not be opened and subjected to post-mortem, as a safeguard against spread of the disease. These shall be buried intact	The records are not being maintained in the format as of prescribed by the CZA.
7.4	Does the zoo ensure that the carcasses of the animals, after the post-mortem has been conducted, is disposed off by burying or burning in a manner that does not have any adverse impact on the hygiene and cleanliness of the zoo ? a) Are the carcasses of large cats disposed off by burning in the presence of the Director of the zoo or any officer in the next rank to him and authorized by him in this behalf? b) Are the carcasses of animals which died due to Anthrax or such other communicable diseases not opened and subjected to post-mortem, as a safeguard against spread of the disease and they are buried intact?	Yes a) Yes b) Yes	

8. Euthanasia			
8.1	No animal in the zoo shall be euthanized unless doing so is essential for relieving from suffering from incurable disease /condition as per the norms of CZA.	Yes	
9. Acquisition and breeding of animals			
9.1	Are animals of various species kept and maintained in social viable groups and with such a sex ratio that optimizes breeding and helps in developing a self-sustaining population of each species?	Yes, with exception of 1 - Tigeress	Yes, except tigress.
9.2	(a) Has the zoo acquired animals based on scientific assessment of its lineage and genetic relatedness to safeguard against ill effects of inbreeding on the zoo population, through exchange, loaning and getting gifts of animals from other zoos? (b) If there is any deviation, details thereof.	(a) No animal is acquired in the recent past. (b) Not applicable	No
9.3	(a) Has the zoo acquired single animals or genetically non-viable number of animals unless such acquisition is necessary for	(a) No	The zoo should find suitable mate for tigress. If the zoo failed to find suitable mate in

	pairing of single animals or making the group genetically/ biologically viable? (b) Please indicate such cases.	(b) Nil	next six months, the said animal should be shifted to the recognized zoo as per the direction of CZA.
9.4	(a) Has the zoo tried to acquire mates for single and unpaired animals on priority basis and in the event of any zoo failing to find a mate for single and unpaired animal within a period of six months, the unpaired or single animal have been transferred or exchanged or given on breeding loan to any other zoo in accordance with the norms specified by the Central Zoo Authority in this regard? (b) Please indicate unpaired species, its sex and for the period it has been kept unpaired.	(a) No (b) Tigress-1 since 16-4-2016	No
9.5	Has the zoo transported animals from one place to another and if so CZA transportation protocols were followed? For the purpose of transportation of animals from one place to another, are the standards specified in this regard by the Central Zoo Authority complied with.	Not applicable No Not applicable	NA
9.6	a. Has the Central Zoo Authority assigned any endangered species for Conservation Breeding Programme to the zoo, if so please indicate? b. If a scientific conservation breeding plan species recovery plans for the species have been prepared or not? If the plan is being followed by the zoo? c. Is the Conservation Breeding Facility situated in off display area of the zoo? d. Has the founder population of the species bred in zoo, indicate numbers bred in the zoo? e. Have the animals been conditioned for reintroduction in the wild? f. Has there been sufficient technical inputs from the species experts? Please elaborate. the responsibility of conservation breeding of the identified critically endangered species to identified zoos having technical capabilities and housing facilities, preferably close to the distribution range of the species and every zoo shall help the identified zoos in implementing the breeding programme. Please indicate specific cases for the zoo.	a. No b. No c. Not applicable d. Yes (List enclosed as per annexure-B) e. No f. No	The surplus population of Spotted deer should be shifted to a recognized zoo in the state or after their screening of health and if found fit, may plan a proposal for their release to forest area. However, prior approval from CWLW of the State and CZA should have got obtained.
9.7	Has the zoo spared surplus animals from the breeding population to the participating zoos for display purposes on the basis of quality of housing and infrastructural facilities available with the concerned zoos?	No	No
9.8	With a view to prevent inbreeding and the loss of heterozygosity is the zoo maintaining the animal history cards & stud and herd book for the animals of endangered species housed in the zoo and putting appropriate identification marks for transfer or exchange animals with other zoos?	History cards of endanger species are maintained.	-
9.9	a. Is the zoo limiting 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? Please indicate species wise numbers over the last three years. b. What methods of population control were employed and comparative success?	Presently no animal collection plan has been made for existing zoo as animals present in the zoo are already limited in the number except spotted deer (b) Not applicable	No action is being taken by the zoo to control the population of prolifically breeding Spotted deer and
9.10	Has the zoo implemented disaster	No	No

	management plan, training and mock drills to prevent accidents in zoo in accordance with master plan? Indicate action taken for safeguard against any accident/escape of the zoo animals from the premises of the zoo and in the event of any accidental escape, immediate action was taken to retrieve the escaped animals?		
9.11	Has the zoo released any surplus captive animal into the wild except in accordance with the norms specified by the Central Zoo Authority in this regard? Annex details	Yes Cheetal- 10 Male, 10 Female 20 Nil	Yes 40 Nos. of Spotted deer
9.12	Is the hybridization of species or races of same species taking place in the zoo? Which species?	No	No
10. Research activities			
10.1	a. Has the zoo implemented a research plan as indicated in the Master Plan and conducted research on the prioritized species and specific areas of concern? b. Has the zoo accessed grants from CZA or other institutions/agencies for the Research Project. Indicate details and outcomes? c. Is the zoo carrying out collaborative research for evolving innovative strategies for providing the animals housed in the zoo a better quality of life, enhanced longevity, higher genetic and behavioural viability and improved reproduction potential and to achieve the said goal.(Every zoo, other than mini zoos, shall make arrangements for meticulous recording of data on the social behaviour, group dynamics and reproductive biology of the species housed in the zoo and developing a data base to be shared with other zoos and the identified institutions, in accordance with norms specified by the Central Zoo Authority in this regard) d. Research paper/ technical reports published. Details of its implementation.	a. No b. No c. No d. Nil	No
11. Education and Outreach Activities			
11.1	a. Has the zoo made efforts to educate the visitors to the zoo and the people at large about the significance of wildlife conservation for the general well being of the people and keeping the life support system of nature intact and to make people aware about the role played by the zoos in this regard and the ways and means through which general public can participate and contribute for the same? b. Whether the zoo has appropriate signages and interpretation facilities, Souvenir Shop, Library Facility accessible, dedicated Website and carrying out the Outreach and awareness, Guided Tour, Celebrations of various events	a. Yes During wildlife Week (1st to 7th October) every year various competitive activities are conducted for school & collage students pertaining to wildlife conservation. b. No	Yes, the zoo has been doing various programmes and activities during the wildlife week and other occasions.
11.2	Is physical handling or performances by animals permitted as part of educational activity?	No	No
12. Visitor Facilities			
12.1	Is the zoo providing adequate civic facilities for visitors at appropriate and convenient places in the zoo including physically disadvantaged persons and such facilities	--	Yes The cleanness of toilet to be improved and should be shifted away from animal

	are so located that they do not mask or impact the view of enclosures? a. Drinking Water b. Urinals c. Ramps d. Wheel chairs e. Battery Operated vehicles f. Lawns g. Visitor shed h. Kisok i. rain shelters j. cloak rooms for the visitors k. zoo visitor guides a. Public Announcement systems, fire alarm during emergency.	a. Yes b. Yes c. Yes d. No e. No f. Yes g. Yes h. No i. Yes j. No k. No a. No	enclosure areas..
12.2	Does the zoo have first aid facilities including snake anti-venom and life saving drugs, readily available in the zoo premises?	No	No
12.3	Is the zoo making arrangements for providing access to the physically challenged persons for viewing wild animals at various animal enclosures?	No	No

Annexure-A

Office of the Dy. Conservator of forest, wild life, Kota

Information regarding surplus Animals in Kota Zoo.

Year 2017-18

S.No.	Species	Male	Female	Sex-unknown	Total	Remark
1	Spoted Dear	20	20	--	40	-
2	Black Buck	3	2	--	5	-
3	Chinkara	3	2	--	5	-
4	Tortorise	2	3	--	5	-
	Total:-	28	27	--	55	-

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Wild Life, Kota

Annexure-B

Office of the Dy. Conservator of forest, wild life, Kota

Information regarding Birth of Young ones in Kota Zoo.

S.No.	Species	Number of Births of Young ones		
		Year 2014-15	Year 2015-16	Year 2016-17
1	Chinkara	2	1	2
2	Black Buck	2	4	2
3	Spotted deer	-	-	8
4	Blue bull	-	2	1
	Total:-	4	7	13

**Dy. Conservator of forests,
Wild Life, Kota**

PART-IV

RECOMMENDATION

(On the basis of observations of the statues as per Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009)

Sr. No	Norm No.	Particulars of suggestions/recommendation	Time Period to Comply
General requirements			
1	10(1.9)	The domestic ducks should be removed from the zoo.	With immediate effect
Administrative and Staffing Pattern			
2	10(2.2)	The veterinary officer should visit the zoo twice a week as well as when his services are required.	With immediate effect
3	10(2.2)	The zoo should appoint biologist cum education officer as mandatory under Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009.	Three months
4	10(2.2)	The zoo should have full time office-in-charge with adequate administrative and financial powers. At present the DFO is also in-charge of various forest area and wildlife sanctuaries in the vicinity.	With immediate effect
Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures			
5	10(4.2)	The enclosure of soft shell turtles at the zoo should be enriched by placing wooden logs.	With immediate effect
6	10(4.2)	The Python enclosure to be enriched by placing wooden logs.	With immediate effect
7	10(4.2)	Water body in Python enclosure should be saucer shaped instead rectangular.	With immediate effect
8	10(4.2)	The Bonnet macaque enclosure should be provided some part as soft substrate and the enclosure to be enriched.	With immediate effect
9	10(4.2)	The tigress enclosure has additional area lying adjacent to it, the same should be made available by removing the barricade in between.	Three months
Upkeep and healthcare of animals			
10	10(5.9)	The staff screening report for zoonotic disease were not available during the evaluation. The same should be strictly followed and reports should be maintained.	With immediate effect
11	10(5.10)	The zoo 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. The individual animal history sheet file may also include details on vaccination and de-worming.	With immediate effect
Veterinary and infrastructure facilities			
12	10(6.3)	The treatment room at the zoo should be made functional. It should have basic equipments and medicines.	With immediate effect
13	10(6.3)	The zoo should have quarantine and isolation area to house the sick and informed animals.	Three month
Post-mortem and disposal of carcasses of animals			
14	10(7.1,2&3)	The zoo should maintain the original copies of post mortem of all animals which have died at the zoo. Such Post Mortem report for last 6 years should be maintained by the Zoo.	With immediate effect
15	10(7.1,2&3)	The Post Mortem report should be maintained in the prescribed format as of the CZA. .	With immediate effect
16	10(7.4)	The officer-in-charge of the zoo should ensure that the carcasses of the animals, after the post-mortem has been conducted, is disposed off by burying or burning in a manner that does not have any adverse impact on the hygiene and cleanliness of the zoo: Provided that the carcasses of large cats shall be disposed off by burning in the presence of the Director of the zoo or any officer in the next rank to him and authorized by him in this behalf. Provided further that the carcasses of animals died due to Anthrax or such other communicable diseases shall not be opened and subjected to post-mortem, as a safeguard against spread of the disease. These shall be buried intact.	With immediate effect
Acquisition and breeding of animals			
17	10(9.3)	The zoo should find suitable mate for tigress. If the zoo failed to find suitable mate in next six months, the said animal should be shifted to the recognized zoo as per the direction of CZA.	Six months
18	10(9.6)	The surplus population of Spotted deer should be shifted to a recognized zoo in the state or after their screening of health and if found fit, may plan a proposal for their release to forest area. However, prior approval from CWLW of the State and CZA should have got obtained.	Six months
Others			
		The open electric board just outside the tigress enclosure, which has access to the visitors should be covered.	

		Toilet next to Star tortoise enclosure should be shifted.	
		The MS sheet shade in deer enclosure to be covered by thatch.	
	Observations on relocation site at Abheda Biological Park, Abheda		
A.		The Zoo Operator is yet to complete the construction of remaining 2600 meter of boundary wall.	
B.		In order to create the greenbelt of 400 meter wide, the Zoo Operator has planted 5500 seedling of native fruit, shade loving trees have been planted. The remaining 4500 seedlings shall be planted in coming monsoon.	
C.		It was observed that as the whole area does not have boundary wall at present, thus Nilgai from the adjoining areas are entering and destroying the seedlings. The Zoo Perator should complete the remaining periphery wall so, the seedlings are protected and green cover shall progress.	
D.		The drip irrigation to meet the water requirement of seedlings may continue.	
E.		The Zoo Operator are advised to explore the possibility for other alternate water sources for long term development of the Zoo.	

Proposed Action:

It is recommended that Kota Zoo, Kota (to be relocated to Abheda Zoological Park, Abheda, Kota), Rajasthan (Small Zoo Category may be granted detailed deliberations decided for renewal of recognition of the) for a period of one year, subject to compliance with conditions stipulated hereunder and mid-term evaluation, and to regularise the period after 23.08.2017. The Kota Zoo, Kota (to be relocated to Abheda Zoological Park, Abheda, Kota), Rajasthan should also be asked to submit time bound commitment for compliance for shifting of the existing Zoo to the new site.

The Zoo Operator should also be asked that while shifting of the animals from existing zoo shall give the preference to the animals presently housed at the exiting Zoo, rather constructing enclosures for new species.



(Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta)

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Annexure-B

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Central Zoo Authority



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Email
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To

Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife)
Forest Department of Rajasthan
Kota
(Rajasthan)

Sub:-Renewal of recognition to Kota Zoo, Kota, Rajasthan under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 beyond the period of 31.07.2014 - Reg.

Sir,

Reference is invited to your letter No. Kota-Zoo/3435, dated 29.07.2014 seeking grant of renewal of recognition to Kota Zoo, Kota, Rajasthan under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 beyond the period of 31.07.2014.

The evaluation of the Kota Zoo, Kota, Rajasthan was carried out by Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta, Evaluation and Monitoring Officer, CZA on 10th June, 2016. The evaluation report of the Kota Zoo, Kota, Rajasthan 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 renewal of recognition to Kota Zoo, Kota, Rajasthan as a "Small Category Zoo" under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to 23.08.2017 subject to the condition that the State Government of Rajasthan to shift the existing Kota Zoo at Kota to new site i.e. Abhedha Biological Park within one year from the date of issue of this letter and submission of master plan for the development of the zoo at new site within three months from the date of issue of this letter & subject to compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009 and mid-term evaluation of the zoo:-

S. No.	Norm No.	Particulars of Suggestions	Time Required to Comply
2.		Administrative and Staffing Pattern	
1.	2(1)a	The Zoo should have full time officer-in-charge.	With immediate effect.
2.	2(1)b	The Veterinary Officer at the Zoo should visit daily to oversee the health of animals.	With immediate effect

3. Development and Planning			
3.	3(5)	The Zoo should stop burning of grass and other vegetation inside the animal exhibits	Immediately
4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures			
4.	4(2)	The zoo should repair the animal exhibits for primates, herbivores and birds.	Immediately
5.	4(6)a	All iron pipe perch should be replaced by bamboo or any other wood.	Immediately
6.	4(6)b	Efforts should be made to enrich the animal exhibits	Immediately
7.	4(10)	The signages should contain the correct name of animal species exhibited therein.	Immediately
5. Upkeep and healthcare of animals			
8.	5(3)a	The water troughs inside the animal exhibits should be cleaned daily. Efforts should be made to ensure that water is free of algae.	Immediately
9.	5(3)b	The zoo should ensure to provide potable water to all the animals 24 hours.	Immediately
6. Veterinary and infrastructure facilities			
10.	6(1)	The zoo should have treatment room to treat day to day animals.	Three months
9. Acquisition and breeding of animals			
11.	9(3)	The lone large carnivores (Royal Bengal tiger female and Hybrid lion female) from the zoo should be shifted to other recognized zoos.	Immediately
12.	9(9)	The zoo should adopt population control measures to control the population of prolifically breeding animals namely Spotted deer, Blackbuck, Blue bull and Chinkara. The surplus animals may be shifted immediately to the recognized zoo in the state of Rajasthan or to a suitable natural habitat following the IUCN Guidelines laid in this regard and following the protocols for the transport of animals of Central Zoo Authority.	Three months

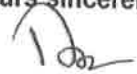
Further it is to inform that the recognition granted to Kota Zoo, Kota, Rajasthan for a period up to 23.08.2017 is subject to compliance with above conditions.

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

Grant of renewal of recognition to Kota Zoo, Kota, Rajasthan beyond the period of 23 August, 2017 would be considered on the basis of compliance of the condition stated above and general performance of the Zoo at that point of time.

The recognition to the Kota Zoo, Kota, Rajasthan shall be revoked by the Central Zoo Authority, at any point of time if the Zoo Operator is found not complying with the above stipulated conditions.

Yours sincerely,



(Dr. D. N. Singh)
Member Secretary

Copy to:-

1. The Chief Wildlife Warden, Government of Rajasthan, Jaipur - for information and with a request that the stipulated conditions may be got implemented.
2. Deputy Conservator of Forests (Wildlife), Kota, Rajasthan
3. Mr. Vivek Goel, DPA, CZA – to update database.



(Dr. D. N. Singh)
Member Secretary



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Central Zoo Authority



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DATE: 12.07.2011
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To

The Deputy Conservator of Forests
& Zoo Supervisor,
Wildlife Division,
Kota Zoo, Nayapura,
Kota (Rajasthan).

Sub:- Renewal of recognition to Kota Zoo, Kota 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. 4116 dated 02.08.2010 seeking renewal of recognition for the Kota Zoo, Kota beyond the period of 31.03.2010 under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972.

The evaluation of the Kota Zoo, Kota was carried out by Sh. A. S. Dogra and Dr. A. K. Malhotra on 6th March, 2011. The evaluation report of the Kota Zoo, Kota as submitted by the evaluating officers was considered by the Technical Committee in its 58th Meeting held on 8th June, 2011.

The Central Zoo Authority has decided to grant of recognition to Kota Zoo, Kota as a Mini Category Zoo under Section 38H of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, for a period up to 31st July, 2014 subject to the compliance of the following directives under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009 and mid-term evaluation of the zoo and subject to its relocation to the new site within the given period:-

S. No.	Norm No.	Condition Stipulated	Time Period to Comply
1. General requirement			
1.	2, 3 & 4	The upkeep of the present stock at existing zoo should be continued by providing the animals with naturalistic environment, stand off barrier, healthcare, food and water till they are shifted to new facility at Abhedra.	With immediate effect

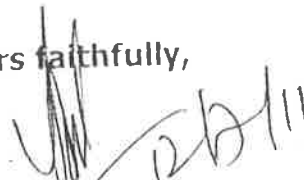
3. Development and Planning			
2.	1	The zoo should submit amended copies of the Master Plan incorporating the comments sent by the Central Zoo Authority vide letter dated 23.09.2010.	Positively by 1 st August, 2011
4. Animal housing, display of animals and animal enclosures			
3.	10	The zoo should provide directional signages to regulate the visitors.	Three months
5. Upkeep and Healthcare of animals			
4.	9	The staff should be screened once in a year.	With immediate effect
5.	10	The zoo should maintain the history card and studbook of endangered species.	With immediate effect
9. Acquisition and Breeding of animals			
6.	4	Efforts should be made to procure the appropriate mate for the single animals Sambar, Jackal, Hyena, Tiger, Painted stork and Stilt.	Six months
12. Visitor facilities			
7.	1	One more water point and toilet should be provided.	Three months

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 Kota Zoo, Kota beyond 31st July, 2014 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 Kota Zoo, Kota 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,


(B. S. Bonal)
Member Secretary

Copy to:-

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



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DATE: 19.05.2009

To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden,
Government of Rajasthan,
Van Bhawan, Vaniki Path,
Jaipur (Rajasthan).

Sub:- Grant of permission to operate the Zoos at Jaipur, Kota, Udaipur and Jodhpur.

Ref:- Your office letter No. 2984 dated 23.12.2008.

Sir,

Your request with regard to grant of permission to operate the existing zoos at Jaipur, Kota, Udaipur and Jodhpur beyond the period of 31st December, 2008 was placed before the 50th Meeting of the Technical Committee of the Central Zoo Authority held on 24th March, 2009.

The Central Zoo Authority had decided to extend the permission to operate the Jaipur, Kota, Udaipur and Jodhpur Zoos at the existing sites for the period till 31st March, 2010 subject to that in the given period, all the animals be relocated to the new sites at Nahargarh, Abhedha, Sajjangarh and Machia respectively.

In the meantime you are also requested to submit the 5 copies of Master plans for the long-term development of Jaipur, Kota, Udaipur and Jodhpur for the approval from this office. It is to be recall that the Master plans should be prepared keeping in view of the agreed concept plans communicated by this office letter of even number dated 17.2.2009 and the guidelines circulated by this office for the preparation of Master plan.

You are also requested to ensure that during the given period the zoos should strictly adhere with the standards and norms laid under Recognition of Zoo Rules, 1992.

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

Copy for favour of information & necessary action to:-

1. The Deputy Chief Wildlife Warden, Jaipur Zoo, Jaipur.
2. The Deputy Conservator of Forests (Wildlife), Kota, Rajasthan.
3. The Deputy Conservator of Forests (Wildlife), Jodhpur, Rajasthan.
4. The Deputy Chief Wildlife Warden, Udaipur Zoo, Udaipur.
5. Copy in F. No. 231, 228, 227 for record.

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

