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The Central Zoo Authority (CZA) is a statutory body under the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Government of India. It was constituted in 1992 under the provisions of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 to oversee the functioning of zoos in India and provide them technical assistance. The prime concern of the CZA has been to raise the existing standards of animal housing, upkeep and health care in the zoos of the country.

The Government of India formulated the National Zoo Policy, 1998 to set the goals and objectives for the management of zoos in the country, so that the national efforts in wildlife conservation are supplemented with the ex-situ conservation of wildlife. The standards and norms for housing, upkeep, health care of captive animals and overall management of zoos have been laid down under the Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009. Every zoo in the country is required to obtain recognition from the Authority under Section 38H of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 for its operation. The Authority periodically evaluates zoos with reference to the parameters prescribed under the Rules and grants recognition accordingly.

The Central Zoo Authority consists of a Chairperson, ten members and a Member Secretary. The CZA has constituted different committees for its assistance in the performance of functions assigned to it under the Section 38C of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972. The Administrative Committee, the Technical Committee and the Expert Group on Zoo Designing are regular constituents of the CZA. The functions of these committees are regulated by the Governing Body i.e. Central Zoo Authority, which is chaired by the Hon'ble Minister of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Government of India and assisted by the Member Secretary as Chief Executive Officer.

Besides performing the primary function of recognition and release of financial assistance, the Central Zoo Authority also regulates the exchange of animals under section 38(I) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 amongst zoos in the endangered

category listed under Schedule I & II of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972. The exchange of animals between Indian zoos and foreign zoos is also approved by the Authority subject to requisite clearances under EXIM Policy and the CITES permits issued by the competent authority. The Authority also coordinates and implements initiatives on capacity building of zoo personnel, planned breeding programmes and *ex-situ* research including biotechnological intervention for conservation of species that complement *in-situ* conservation efforts across the country.

During the current year the CZA has made special efforts in the direction of bringing transparency in its functioning and implementation of the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan.

The publication of annual report is a mandatory requirement and a formal practice of the CZA. The annual report provides a glimpse of the activities carried out by the authority during the financial year. It is placed before the Hon'ble Members of Parliament for perusal and providing their guidance to the CZA. It is also circulated to the zoos and placed in the public domain for the benefit of the general public.

The Annual Report and the Annual Audited Account for the financial year 2016-17 as approved by the CZA on the recommendations of the Administrative Committee and the Technical Committee of the CZA has been prepared and is placed. The guidance of the Governing body of the CZA and Expert members of various Committees of the CZA is gratefully acknowledged. The contribution and help from each and every personnel working in the CZA in the preparation of the Annual Report is also acknowledged.

Dr. D. N. Singh Member Secretary Central Zoo Authority

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1. Introduction

The Indian Board for Wildlife re-constituted its Zoo Wing as 'the Expert Group on Zoos' at its 9th session held on 18th November, 1972 at New Delhi to make detailed study for setting up and maintenance of zoos in the country. The Expert Group on Zoos submitted its report in June, 1973 which was accepted by the Board in its meeting in November, 1973. The report recommended setting up of a central agency (Zoo Grants Commission), and to give effect to this recommendation, the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 was amended through an amendment Act in the year 1991. A separate chapter, Chapter IVA containg Section 38 A to 38 J was added to the the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 for establishment of Central Zoo Authority in India. Accordingly, the Central Zoo Authority was established as a statutory body under the Ministry of Environment & Forests by the Government of India in the year 1992.

1.1 Vision

The zoo will have healthy animals in eco-system based naturalistic enclosure, be supportive to in-situ conservation with competent and content staff, good educational and interpretative facilities, have the support of people and be self-sufficient.

1.2 Mission

The Central Zoo Authority's mission is to provide better upkeep and veterinary care to the wild animals housed in zoos in India to ensure their conservation through best practices of management and bringing education & awareness among the people.

1.3 Objective

The main objective is to

- a. Enforce minimum standards and norms for upkeep and healthcare of animals in Indian zoos and
- b. Control mushrooming of unplanned and ill-conceived zoos.

1.4 Functions

Zoos in India are regulated under the provisions of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 and are guided by the National Zoo Policy, 1998. The Government of India formulated Recognition of Zoo Rules, 1992. It was revised as Recognition of Zoo Rules, 2009 on the recommendation of the Central Zoo Authority. These rules lay down standards and norms for management of zoos in the country. The Central Zoo Authority oversees the functioning of zoos in the country and provides them technical and other assistance for their improvement.

The Authority has been assigned following functions under Section 38 (C) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972:

- (a) To specify the minimum standards for housing, upkeep and veterinary care of the animals kept in zoos;
- (b) To evaluate and assess the functioning of the zoos with respect to the prescribed standards or norms;
- (c) To recognize or derecognize zoos;
- (d) To identify endangered species of wild animals for purposes of captive breeding and assigning responsibility in this regard to a zoo;
- (e) To coordinate the acquisition, exchange and loaning of animals for breeding purpose;
- (f) To ensure maintenance of studbooks of endangered species of wild animals bred in captivity:
- (g) To identify priorities and themes with regard to display of captive animals in zoos;
- (h) To coordinate training of zoo personnel in India and outside India;
- To coordinate research in captive breeding and educational programmes for the purposes of zoos;
- (j) To provide technical and other assistance to zoos for their proper management and development on scientific lines;
- (k) To perform such other functions as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this Act with regard to zoos.

2.0 Governance

The CZA establishment comprises of 19 scientific and administrative personnel to assist the Member Secretary in discharge of his duties. They have been appointed/ engaged on regular/ contractual basis.

The following officers and staff are engaged on permanent basis in the CZA:

SI. No.	Name of the Post	Name of the incumbent	Pay-Band/Salary (Amount in Rs.)
1	Member Secretary	Dr. D. N. Singh	67000-79000 (HAG Scale)
2	Deputy Inspector General of Forests (HQ)	Sh. Gulab Singh (from 27.12.2016 to 19.02.2017)	37400-67000 (Grade Pay Rs. 8900)
3	Finance Officer	Sh. V. P. Mehta (up to 03.07.2016) Sh. R.S. Rawat w.e.f 04.07.2016	15600-39100 (Grade Pay Rs. 5400/-)
4	Private Secretary	Smt. Seema Burreja	9300-34800 (Grade Pay Rs. 4800/-)
5	Accountant	Sh. R. S. Rawat (up to 03.07.2016) Sh. Suresh Sharma w.e.f. 02.09.2016	9300-34800 (Grade Pay Rs. 4600/-)
6	Data Processing Assistant	Sh. Vivek Goel	9300-34800 (Grade Pay Rs. 4600/-)
7	Evaluation & Monitoring Assistant	Sh. T. Ajay Kumar	9300-34800 (Grade Pay Rs. 4200/-)
8	Technical Assistant	Smt. Natasha S Vashisth	5200-20200 (Grade Pay Rs. 2800/-)
9	Lower Division Clerk	Sh. Thakur Dass	5200-20200 (Grade Pay Rs. 2000/-)
10	Multi Task Staff	Sh. P. K. Jha	5200-20200 (Grade Pay Rs. 2000/-)
11	Multi Task Staff	Sh. Gopal Swami	5200-20200 (Grade Pay Rs. 1900/-)
12	Staff Car Driver	Sh. Hari Singh Bhandari	5200-20200 (Grade Pay Rs. 2800/-)

The following posts have been filled up on outsourced basis:

SI. No.	Name of the Post	No of personnel
1	Evaluation & Monitoring Officer	One
2	Scientific Officer	One
3	Upper Division Clerk	One
4	IT Assistant	One
5	Multi Task Staff	Two
6	Private Secretary	One

2.1 Governing Body

The Governing Body of the Central Zoo Authority comprises of twelve members with the Minister for Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India as its *exofficio* Chairperson. The Authority was reconstituted for the 8th time in May, 2014 for a period of three years vide Gazette Notification No. 1152 dated 28th May, 2014 and appointed the following members, with the Member Secretary as the Chief Executive Officer of the Authority:

1.	Minister	Chairperson
	Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,	(ex-officio)
	Government of India, New Delhi	
2.	Secretary to the Government of India,	Member
	Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,	(ex-officio)
	Government of India, New Delhi	
3.	Director General of Forests & Special Secretary,	Member
	Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,	(ex-officio)
	Government of India, New Delhi	
4.	Additional Director General of Forests (Wildlife) &	Member
	Director, Wildlife Preservation,	(ex-officio)
	Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,	
	Government of India, New Delhi	
5.	Additional Secretary and Financial Advisor	Member
	Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,	(ex-officio)
	Government of India, New Delhi	
6.	Director, Indian Veterinary Research Institute,	Member
	Bareilly, Uttar Pradesh	(ex-officio)
7.	Director, Wildlife Institute of India,	Member
	Dehradun, Uttarakhand	(ex-officio)
8.	Sh. S.K. Patnaik, Retd. Chief Wildlife Warden,	Member
	Bhubaneswar, Odisha	
9.	Sh. Kartikeya V. Sarabhai,	Member
	Director, Centre for Environment Education,	
	Ahmedabad, Gujarat	
10.	Sh. Vivek Menon,	Member

Advisor (Chief Executive Officer), Wildlife Trust of India, Noida Uttar Pradesh

11. Sh. Kartick Satyanarayan,

Member

Wildlife SOS,

New Delhi

12. Member Secretary, Central Zoo Authority,

Member

New Delhi

Secretary

2.2 Administrative Committee

A Sub-group, namely, Administrative Committee of the Central Zoo Authority was reconstituted with the approval of the Minister, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, and Chairman, Central Zoo Authority vide order No. 19-8/92-CZA(Vol.IV)(M)/5068 dated 11.06.2014 to deal with the administrative and budgetary issues with the following composition and terms of reference:

1.	Director General of Forests & Special Secretary,	Chairperson
	Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,	(ex-officio)
	Government of India, New Delhi	
2.	Additional Director General of Forests (Wildlife) &	Member
	Director, Wildlife Preservation,	(ex-officio)
	Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,	
	Government of India, New Delhi	
3.	Additional Secretary and Financial Advisor	Member
	Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,	(ex-officio)
	Government of India, New Delhi	
4.	Joint Secretary (Admn.),	Member
	(In-Charge, General Administration)	(ex-officio)
	Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,	
	Government of India, New Delhi	
5.	Member Secretary,	Member
	Central Zoo Authority,	Secretary
	New Delhi	

The main functions of the Administrative Committee are:

- (a) To screen and approve the proposals regarding creation of posts and up gradation of existing posts in the Authority.
- (b) To approve proposals for awarding consultancies, outsourcing of services/ manpower and contract appointments to Group 'A' posts.
- (c) To approve Annual Budget of the Central Zoo Authority.
- (d) Any other matter referred to it by the Central Zoo Authority.

The Administrative Committee Meeting of the Central Zoo Authority was held on 29th August, 2016 at Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bagh, New Delhi, under the chairmanship of Dr. S. S. Negi, DGF & Special Secretary Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India wherein various administrative issues were deliberated and finalized.

2.3 Technical Committee

The Technical Committee of the Central Zoo Authority was reconstituted with the approval of the Hon'ble Minister, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change and Chairperson, Central Zoo Authority vide order No. 19-8/92-CZA(Vol.IV)(M)/5060-67 dated 11.06.2014 to deal with the technical matters with following composition and terms of reference:

- 1. Additional Director General of Forests (Wildlife) & Chairperson Director, Wildlife Preservation, (ex-officio) Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Government of India, New Delhi
- Director General of Forests & Special Secretary, Member
 Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, (ex-officio)
 Government of India, New Delhi
- 3. Additional Secretary and Financial Advisor Member Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, (ex-officio) Government of India, New Delhi
- 4. Director, Indian Veterinary Research Institute, Bareilly, Member

(ex-officio) Uttar Pradesh Member 5. Director, Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun, Uttarakhand (ex-officio) Member Sh. S.K. Patnaik, Retd. Chief Wildlife Warden, 6. Bhubaneswar, Odisha 7. Sh. Kartikeya V. Sarabhai, Member Director, Centre for Environment Education, Ahmedabad, Gujarat 8. Sh. Vivek Menon. Member Advisor (Chief Executive Officer), Wildlife Trust of India, Noida Uttar Pradesh Member Sh. Kartick Satyanarayan, 9. Wildlife SOS. New Delhi 10. Member Secretary, Central Zoo Authority, Member New Delhi Secretary

The main functions of the Technical Committee are:

- a. To make recommendations regarding specifying the minimum standards for housing, upkeep and veterinary care of the animals kept in a Zoo;
- b. To approve the grant of recognition or de-recognition to the Zoos and to make recommendations for the applications received for the creation of new Zoos;
- c. Identify endangered species of wild animals for purpose of captive breeding and assigning responsibility in this regard to a Zoo;
- d. To make recommendations regarding exchange of animals with, accepting gift of animals from foreign Zoos and to gift animals to foreign Zoos;
- e. To approve exchange of animals which are part of coordinated conservation breeding programme among Indian Zoos;
- Identify priorities, themes and approval of Master Plan with regard to display of captive animals in a Zoo;
- g. To approve proposals for organizing training programmes, workshops and meeting in India on various aspects of Zoo management;

- h. To approve research projects on issues related with the Zoos for funding by the Authority;
- i. Provide technical assistance to Zoos for their proper management and development on scientific lines:
- j. To approve proposals for release of financial assistance to various Zoos and other organizations; and
- k. Any other function that may be assigned to it by the Central Zoo Authority.

The period of term of the Technical Committee is coterminous with the Central Zoo Authority constituted on May 28, 2014 for a period of three years.

The meetings of the Technical Committee of the Central Zoo Authority, during the financial year 2016-17, were held on 6th May, 2016 (78th Meeting), 24th August, 2016 (79th Meeting), 4th November, 2016 (80th Meeting), 24th January, 2017 (81st Meeting) and 22nd March, 2017 (82nd Meeting) on the proposal on Improvement in zoos, Conservation Breeding Programme, Research and Training and approval of Master Plan apart from the other policy level issues.

2.4 Expert Group on Zoo Designing

The Expert Group on Zoo Designing of the Central Zoo Authority was reconstituted with the approval of the Hon'ble Minister of State (Independent Charges), Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India and Chairperson, CZA vide office order F. No. 7-5/2016-CZA (AK) 2464/2016 dated 26.08.2016 with following composition and terms of reference:

1. Shri P.R. Sinha,

Member

Ex-Member Secretary, CZA & Country Representative, IUCN India,

C4/25, Safdarjung Development Area,

New Delhi - 110016.

2. Shri B.S. Bonal,

Member

Ex-Member Secretary, CZA & Ex- Member Secretary, NTCA

- New Delhi
- 3. The Head, Department of Landscape Architecture,

Member

School of Planning & Architecture

New Delhi - 110002.

4. Representative,

Member

Civil Construction Unit,

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change,

7th Floor, Paryavaran Bhawan,

CGO Complex, Lodhi Road,

New Delhi - 110003.

5. Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta,

Member

Zoo Biologist and Evaluation and Monitoring Officer, Central Zoo

Authority,

R/o C-280, Beta - I,

Greater Noida - 201 310

6 Dr. Devender Kumar,

Member

Zoo Biologist and Scientific Officer,

Central Zoo Authority,

R/o B-83, 2nd Floor, Dena Bank Building,

Near Mayur Vihar Public School,

Mangalam, I.P. Extension,

Delhi - 110092

7. Shri Himanshu Malhotra,

Member

Wildlife Filmmaker/ Environmentalist & Member of Zoo Advisory

Board, National Zoological Park, New Delhi,

R/o C-50, Defence Colony,

New Delhi - 110 024

8. Member Secretary,

Convener

Central Zoo Authority, New Delhi

The terms of reference of the Expert Group on Zoo Designing are:

- a. To scrutinise, suggest improvements, changes and make recommendations (to the Technical Committee) in the proposed master (layout) plan & master plan submitted by various zoos.
- To scrutinise, suggest improvements/changes and approve/disapprove the designs of animal enclosures submitted by various zoos.
- c. To suggest standards and norms for designing of animal enclosures for various zoos.

During the year 2016-17, the Expert Group on zoo designing held its meeting on 9th September, 2016 (68th Meeting), 20th October, 2016 (69th Meeting), 1st November, 2016 (70th Meeting), 17th January, 2017 (71st Meeting) and 3rd February, 2017 (72nd meeting) to approve the drawings of the enclosures of the endangered species to be constructed in Indian zoos and to recommend the approval of Master (Layout) Plan and Master Plan of the zoos.

3.0 Appointments made in the Secretariat of the Central Zoo Authority

The Central Zoo Authority appointed Sh. Gulab Singh, IFS as Deputy Inspector General of Forests during the reporting period to strengthen human resource in the CZA. Sh. R.S. Rawat and Sh. Suresh Sharma have been promoted to the post of Finance officer and Accountant respectively during the period.

4.0 Functioning of the CZA

4.1 Technical Evaluation of Zoos

The Central Zoo Authority evaluated 68 Zoos during the financial year 2016-17 out of which 5, 10, 14 and 23 zoos were large, medium, small and mini category zoos respectively and it included 9 Rescue Centres and 7 Circuses. Following is the list of the zoos of different categories evaluated during the financial year 2016-17:

Large category zoos

SI.No.	State	Name and location of the Zoo	Evaluating	Date of
			officer/s	evaluation
1	A = = = =	Assam State Zoo, Guwahati	Dr. Brij Kishor	24.05.2016 &
	Assam		Gupta	25.05.2016
2		Sri Chamarajendra Zoological	Dr. D. N.Singh	06.04.2016
		Gardens, Mysuru		
3	!	Dr. K. Shivarama Karantha	Dr. Brij Kishor	07.01.2017
	Karnataka	Pilikula Bioloigcal Park,	Gupta	
		Mangaluru		
4		Bannerghatta Biological Park,	Dr. D. N. Singh	07.04.2016 &
		Bengaluru		08.04.2016
5	Tamil Nadu	Arignar Anna Zoological Park,	Dr. D.N. Singh	29.04.2016 &
	ramii Nadu	Vandalur, Chennai		30.04.2016

Medium category Zoos

SI.No.	State	Name and location of the	Evaluating	Date of
		Zoo	officer/s	evaluation
1	Chhattisgarh	Maitri Baagh Zoo, Bhilai	Dr. Brij Kishor	19.02.2017
	Chhallisgam		Gupta	
2		Tata Steel Zoological Park,	Dr. Brij Kishor	22.02.2017
	Jharkhand	Jamshedpur	Gupta	
3	Jilaikilailu	Jawaharlal Nehru Biological	Dr. Brij Kishor	23.02.2017
		Park , Bokaro	Gupta	
4		State Museum & Zoo, Thrissur	Dr. Brij Kishor	09.01.2017
		and site for relocation at	Gupta	
	Kerala	Puthur		
5		Zoological Garden,	Dr. Brij Kishor	10.01.2017 &
		Thiruvananthapuram	Gupta	11.01.2017
6	Madhya Pradesh	Kamla Nehru Prani	Dr. A. K. Sharma, &	20.12.2016
		Sangrahalaya, Indore	Dr. Brij Kishor	
	radesii		Gupta	
7		V.J.B Udyan Zoo, Mumbai	Dr. D. N. Singh	16.06.2016
8		VJB Udyan Zoo, Mumbai (mid-	Shri Anwar Ahmad,	
	 Maharashtra	term evaluation)	Dr. A. B. Shrivastav	06.12.2016
			& Dr. R. K. Sahu	
9		Rajiv Gandhi Zoological Park	Dr. Brij Kishor	22.04.2016
		and Wildlife Research Centre,	Gupta	
		Pune		
10		Nagaland Zoological Park,	Dr. D.N. Singh &	27.05.2016 &
	Nagaland	Rangapahar	Dr. Devender	28.05.2016
			Kumar	8

Small category zoos

SI.No.	State	Name and location of the	Evaluating officer/s	Date of
		Zoo		evaluation
1	Arunachal	Biological Park, Itanagar	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	21.05.2016 &

SI.No.	State	Name and location of the	Evaluating officer/s	Date of
		Zoo		evaluation
	Pradesh			22.05.2016
2	Chhattisgarh	Nandanvan Jungle Safari, Naya Raipur	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	20.02.2017
3	Haryana	Rohtak Zoo, Rohtak	Dr. Devender Kumar	17.02.2017
4	Madhya Pradesh	Gandhi Zoological Park, Gwalior	Dr. Devender Kumar	12.06.2016
5		Maharajbaug Zoo, Nagpur	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	26.09.2016
6	Maharashtra	Mahatama Gandhi Udyan Zoo, Solapur	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	23.04.2016
7		Nisargakavi Bahinabai Choudhary Prani Sangrahalaya, Pimpri- Chinchwad	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	21.04.2016
8		Kapilash Zoo, Dhenkanal	Dr. Devender Kumar	24.06.2016
9	Odisha	Wild Animals Conservation Centre, Sambalpur	Dr. Devender Kumar	25.06.2016
10		Kota Zoo, Kota	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	10.06.2016
11	D - 1 41	Sajjangarh Biological Park,	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	8.06.2016 &
	Rajasthan	Udaipur		09.06.2016
12	West Bengal	Jungle Mahal Zoological Park at Dhabani, Jhargram	Shri Bipul Chakrabarty	27.02.2017
13		Bardhaman Zoological Park, Bardhaman	Shri Bipul Chakrabarty	02.03.2017
14		Marble Palace Zoo, Kolkata	Shri Bipul Chakrabarty	28.02.2017

Mini category zoos

S.No.	State	Name and location of the	Evaluating officer/s	Date of
		Zoo		evaluation
1	Andaman &	Biological Park,	Dr. D.N. Singh	09.02.2017 &
	Nicobar islands	Chidiyatapu		10.02.2017
2	Dadra & Nagar	Lion Safari, Vasona	Dr. D.N. Singh	16.07.2016

S.No.	State	Name and location of the Zoo	Evaluating officer/s	Date of evaluation
		200		evaluation
	Haveli			
3		Mini Zoo, Pipli	Dr. Devender Kumar	05.04.2016
	Haryana	227732	& Mr T. Ajay Kumar	
4		Deer Park,-Hisar	Dr. Devender Kumar	18.02.2017
5		Mini Zoo, Bhiwani	Dr. Devender Kumar	18.02.2017
6	Jammu & Kashmir	Mini Zoo, Pahalgam	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	28.06.2016
7	Jharkhand	Mugger Breeding Centre, Muta	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	24.02.2017
8	Karnataka	Mini Zoo, Gendekatte, Hassan	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	05.01.2017
9		Children's Park cum Mini Zoo, Bellary and site for relocation at Atal Bihari	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	03.01.2017 & 04.01.2017
		Vajpayee Zoological Park, Kamalapura, Hospet		
10	Maharashtra	Snake Park, Dholgarwadi, Kolhapur	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	24.04.2016
11	_ Ivialial aslitta	Maharaja Shahaji Chhatrapati Zoo, Kolhapur	Dr.Brij Kishor Gupta	24.04.2016
12		Papadahandi Deer Park, Nabrangpur	Dr. Devender Kumar	27.06.2016
13		Harishankar Deer Park, Harishankar, Balangir	Dr. Devender Kumar	26.06.2016
14	Odiaha	Kuanria Deer Park, Nayagarh	Dr. Devender Kumar	29.06.2016
15	Odisha	HAL Deer Park, Sunabeda	Dr. Devender Kumar	28.06.2016
16		Deer Park,Cuttack Muncipal Corporation, Cuttack	Sh. Bipul Chakrabarty	16.03.2017
17		Gharial Research and Conservation Unit, Tikarpada	Sh. Bipul Chakrabarty	14.03.2017

S.No.	State	Name and location of the Zoo	Evaluating officer/s	Date of evaluation
18	Punjab	Mini Zoo Cum Deer Safari Bir Talab, District-Bathinda	Dr. Devender Kumar	09.06.2016
19	Rajasthan	Safari Park, Haridas Ji ki Maagri, Udaipur	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	09.06.2016
20	11-34-011-011	Panchwati Deer Park, Pilani	Dr. Devender Kumar	19.02.2017
21	Uttarakhand	Mini Zoo Almora, Almora	Dr. Devender Kumar	24.09.2016
22	Uttar Pradesh	Lion Breeding Centre and Multiple Safari Parks, Etawah	Dr. A. B. Shrivastav, & Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	18.09.2016 & 19.09.2016
23	West Bengal	Garchumuk Deer Park, Howrah	Sh. Bipul Chakrabarty	01.03.2017

Rescue Centre

S.No.	State	Name and location of the Zoo	Evaluating officer/s	Date of evaluation
1	Assam	Centre for wildlife Rehabilitation and	Dr. D.N. Singh & Dr. Devender Kumar	26.05.2016 & 29.05.2016
2		Conservation (CWRC), Borjuri Wildlife Rescue Centre, Gopalpur Khera, Gurgoan	Dr. Devender Kumar & Sh. Ajay Kumar	09.04.2016
3	Haryana	Vulture Conservation Breeding Centre, Pinjore(mid-term evaluatioin)	Dr. Devender Kumar	25.01.2017
4		Ch. Surinder Singh Elephant Rehabilitation Centre, Bansantour, Yamuna Nagar District	Dr. A. K. Sharma & Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	06.09.2016
5	Karnataka	People for Animals Rescue Centre, Bengaluru	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	02.01.2017
6		Leopard Rescue Centre,	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	25.04.2016

S.No.	State	Name and location of the Zoo	Evaluating officer/s	Date of evaluation
		Manikdoh, Junnar		
7	Maharastra	Amte's Animal Ark, Hamalkasa, District Gadchiroli	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	28.09.2016
8		People for Animals Rescue centre, Wardha	Dr. Brij Kishor Gupta	27.09.2016
9	littor	Agra Bear Rescue Facility,	Dr. D.N. Singh	22.12.2016,
	Uttar	Agra	assisted by Sh. Ajay	24.12.2016 &
Prac	Pradesh		Kumar	25.12.2016

Circuses

S.No.	Name and location of the Circus	Evaluating officer/s	Date of
			evaluation
1	Apollo Circus,	Shri Himanshu Malhotra	13.04.2016
	Camp: Bulandshahar, Uttar Pradesh		
2	Natraj Circus,	Ms. Radhika Bose,	07.06.2016
	Camp: Panitanki, Darjeeling District,	Shri Arun Mukherjee &	
	West Bengal	Shri Badal Debnath	
3	Ajanta Circus,	Shri. Rana Dutta &	10.06.2016
	Camp: Domkolhat, Murshidabad	Ms. Radhika Bose	
	District, West Bengal		
4	Empire Circus,	Shri Bipul Chakrabarty,	29.06.2016
	Camp: Jamshedpur	Dr. Ajay Kumar, 1	
		Shri Arvind Kumar Gupta &	
		Shri Ashok Kumar Dubey	
5	Kohinoor Circus,	Shri Sudeep Nayak,	11.07.2016
	Camp: Balukeswar	Dr. Debabrat Mohapatra &	
	Campus, Keonjhar, Odisha	Shri Fulai Hembram	
6	Great Golden Circus,	Dr. Sanjay Tripathi,	12.07.2016
	Camp: Dongre Ground, Gangapur	Shri Nandkishor Kale &	
	Road, Nashik, Maharashtra	Dr. Naresh Upreti	

S.No.	Name and location of the Circus	Evaluating officer/s	Date of evaluation
7	Great Apollo Circus,	Dr. M.P. Singh,	08.08.2016
	Camp: Garewal Chowk at Malerkotla,	Shri Vishal Chauhan &	
	Ludhiana, Punjab	Shri Prashanth V.	
8	Great Golden Circus,	Dr. Shailesh G. Pethe,	18.03.2017
	Camp: LT Road, Borivali West,	Shri Ajay Desai, Dr. Sanjay	
	Mumbai	Tripathi & Sh. Shendge	

Inspection of zoos regarding shifting of wild animals and physical closure

The CZA did not grant recognition to the zoos or cancelled recognition of zoos which did not meet the standards and norms laid down under the Recognition of Zoo Rules and directed shifting of the animals housed therein to other recognised facilities in the country with their physical closure. However, the physical closure and shifting of wild animals is pending in some cases. Therefore, a physical inspection to ascertain the present status of 58 such facilities was carried out. It has been found that 39 out of 58 facilities, have been found physically closed and there were no wild animals housed in these facilities. The list of the facilities which have been found physically closed are mentioned below:

List of facilities found physically closed

SI. No.	State	Name and location of Zoo	Recognition cancelled / refused on	Name of Evaluator	Date of Inspection
1		Veda Viswa	10.08.2006	Mr T Ajay	23.07.2016
	Andhra	Vidyalayam, Jeeyar		Kumar	
	Pradesh	Educational Trust,			
	Pracesn	Seetanagarm, Guntur			
		District			
2	Chattiagarh	Indira Udyan, Pendra,	21-06-2005	Dr. Chandan	14.07.2016
	Chattisgarh	Bilaspur			
3		Deer park, Diu	05-02-1998	Dr. D. N. Singh	16.07.2016
4	Daman & Diu	Deer Park at Jampore,	11.09.2006	Dr. D. N. Singh	16.07.2016
		Daman			
5	Guiarat	Vanchetna Kendra	29-05-2006	Shri Ravi	29.07.2016
	Gujarat	Vastrapur		Chouhan	

SI. No.	State	Name and location of Zoo	Recognition cancelled / refused on	Name of Evaluator	Date of Inspection
6		Balbhavan, Rajkot	14-10-2002	Shri Ravi	16.07.2016
				Chouhan	
7		Fertilizer Nagar Deer	11-10-2006	Shri Ravi	30.07.2016
		Park, Baroda		Chouhan	
8		Mini Zoo, Kalapul,	08.06.2005	Dr. Anupam	18.07.2016
	Himachal	Dharamshala,		Shirvastav	
9	Pradesh	Hotel Yamini Birds	08.06.2005	Dr. Anupam	18.07.2016
		Enclosure, Palampur,		Shirvastav	
10		Vasant Smruti Mrig	31.03.2006	Shri Neelim	11.07.2016
		Vihar, Umarsara,		Khaire	
		Yavatmal,			
11		Suryavan Zoo, Mumbai	11.07.2005	Shri Neelim Khaire	07.07.2016
12		Shivaji Udyan, Nashik	09.09.1994	Shri Neelim Khaire	08.07.2016
13	Maharashtra	Rani bag Zoo, Buldana	18.02.1998	Shri Neelim Khaire	11.07.2016
14		Nehru Garden, Sangamner	20.05.1997	Shri Neelim Khaire	08.07.2016
15		Anandvan Orphanage	20.04.2007	Shri Neelim	12.07.2016
		cum Rescue Centre, Warora, District Chandrapur	20.0 1.2007	Khaire	07,_07
16		Aviculture And Captive Breeding,Thane	11.07.2005	Shri Neelim Khaire	16.07.2016
17	Odisha	Deer Park, Daitari	30.05.2006	Report dated 13.07.2016 from the CWLW, Odisha	
18	Uttar	Chetna Kendra,	28.02.1996	Report dated	05.07.2016
	Pradesh	Ridhani Range, Meerut		from the CV	VLW, Uttar
19		Deer Park, Air Force, Allahabad	07.07.2005	Pradesh	
20		Deer Park, Hindalco Industries Ltd.	08.12.2006		

SI. No.	State	Name and location of Zoo	Recognition cancelled / refused on	Name of Evaluator	Date of Inspection
		Sonbhadra			··
21		Indira Manoranjan Van, Mehewa	26.05.2006		
22	-	Indira Park, Bijnor	26.05.2006	_	
23	-	Katerniaghat Gharial	08.07.2005	Report dated	05.07.2016
		Rehabilitation Centre, Katerniaghat		from the C\	VLW, Uttai
24		Laxman Pahari Mrig		Pradesh	
24		Vihar, Banda			
25		Little Scholars Academy, Amroha	14.03.2000		
26		Triveni Environment Park, Allahabad	08.12.2006	-	
27		Van Chetna Kendra, Ghaziabad	30.05.2006		
28		Van Chetna Kendra, Kumarganj			
29		Van Manoranjan Kendra, Rampur	01.07.1996		
30		Deer Park, Moradabad			
31		Anath Ashram Banya Prani Bikash Udyan, 24, Parganas,	27.06.1996	The DFO, South 24 Paragrana Division	02.08.2016
32		Ballavpur Wildlife Sanctuary, Birbhum	31.05.2006	Md. Majedar Rahman	13.07.2016
33	West Bengal	Deer Park Dow Hill, Kurseong	27.07.2006	Sh. Arun Kumar Mukherjee	28.07.2016
34		Deer Park of A.D.D.A., Durgapur	30.05.2006	Md. Majedar Rahman	17.07.2016
35		Gunjan Ecological Park, Asansol	14.02.2006	Md. Majedar Rahman	16.07.2016

SI. No.	State	Name and loc Zoo	ation of	Recognition cancelled / refused on	Name of Evaluator	Date of Inspection
36		Madarihat	Rescue	30.05.2006	Sh. Arun	26.07.2016
		Centre			Kumar	
					Mukherjee	
37		Ramakrishna	Mission	08.07.2005	Md. Majedar	09.07.2016
		Vidyalaya,	Student		Rahman	
		Home, 24, Par	ganas			
38		Rescue	Centre,	03.05.2006	Sh. Arun	26.07.2016
		Rajabhatkhaw	a,		Kumar	
	100	Jalpaiguri			Mukherjee	
39		Aranyak Z	Zoological	26.05.2006	Md. Majedar	16.07.2016
		Park, Asansol			Rahman	

Thus, today there are only 19 de-recognised facilities housing wild animals. It is found that 19 such facilities have failed to comply with the directives of the CZA in spite of repeated reminders. Subsequently, the CZA had once again requested the Chief Wildlife Wardens of the respective states to initiate necessary action for rehabilitation of wild animals and their physical closure of facility. The CWLWs have been also requested to initiate prosecution action against operators of illegal facilities as per provisions laid down under Section 51 of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972. Follow up action is under progress. A list of such facilities is mentioned below:

Derecognized Zoos Found Holding Wild Animals

SI. No.	State	Name and location of Zoo	Recognition cancelled / refused on	Name of Evaluator	Date of Inspection
1	Andhra	Deer Park,	10.06.1998	Dr. A.	11.07.2016
	Pradesh	Tirumala Hills, Tirupati		Manimozhi	
2	_ 2	Nature Education	13.11.2002	Shri Ravi	18.07.2016
	Gujarat	Centre,Jamnagar,		Chouhan	
3		Deer Park,	13.12.2006	Dr. Manik	15.07.2016
	Jharkhand	Chandrapura,		Palit	
4		Deer Park,	01.06.2009	Dr. Manik	15.07.2016

SI. No.	State	Name and location of Zoo	Recognition cancelled / refused on	Name of Evaluator	Date of Inspection
		Maithon		Palit	
5		Hill Palace Zoo,	27.06.2014	Shri T.V. Anil	09.07.2016
		Ernakulam,		Kumar	
6		Sri LNJP Smrity Van,	02.07.2014	Shri T.V. Anil	16.07.2016
		Walayar		Kumar	
7	Kerala	Crocodile Farm at	27.07.2006	Shri T.V. Anil	20.07.2016
		Nayyar Dam,		Kumar	
		Thirunvananthapuram			
8		Crocodile Farm,	13.11.2006	Shri T.V. Anil	14.07.2016
		Kozhikode		Kumar	
9		Suruchi Zoo,	07.06.2006	Shri Neelim	26.04.2016
		Panvel,		Khaire and	
				Dr. Brij	
				Kishor Gupta	
10		Wildlife Orphange	16.03.2006	Shri Neelim	12.07.2016
	Maharashtra	Seminary Hills, Nagpur		Khaire	
11		Navegaon Bandh Wild	15.06.2006	Shri Neelim	12.07.2016
		Life Orphanage,		Khaire	
		Nagpur			
12	1	Nature Park, Karanja	19.07.2006	Shri Neelim	07.07.2016
				Khaire	
13		Deer Park,	12.03.2013	Sh. Rajesh	14.07.2016
		Berhampur,		Mohapatra	
14	Odisha	Deer Park at NALCO	Did not apply	Self declaration	n by the
		Nagar Township,	for recognition	operator	
		District Angul			
15	Deignth	Mrig Van,Chittorgarh	23.06.2005	Sh. Mukesh	19.07.2016
	Rajasthan			Saini	
16		Crocodile Rearing	16.11.2006	Dr. A.	13.07.2016
	Tamil Nadu	Centre,		Manimojhi	
		Amaravathi Nagar			
17	Mant Daw -1	Bellilius Park, Howrah	12.07.2005	Md. Majedar	11.07.2016
	West Bengal			Rahman	

SI. No.	State	Name and location of Zoo	Recognition cancelled / refused on	Name of Evaluator	Date of Inspection
18		Corporation Park, Jogmaya, Howrah	08.07.2005	Md. Majedar Rahman	11.07.2016
19		Garmandaran Deer Park, Hooghly	22.06.1998	Md. Majedar Rahman	17.07.2016

ZOOS GRANTED RECOGNITION DURING 2016-17

The Central Zoo Authority granted renewal of recognition to 98 zoos during the year 2016-17 as per the details given below. Of these large, medium, small, mini category zoos, rescue centres and Circus were 8, 14, 22, 43, 10 and 1 respectively. There are 167 recognized zoos (including circuses) in the country as on 31/03/2017.

Large category zoos

SI.No. State		Name of the Zoo	Location	Recognition
				valid upto
1	Assam	Assam State Zoo Cum Botanical Garden	Guwahati	28-08-2019
2	Delhi	National Zoological Park	Delhi	05-05-2019
3	Gujarat	Kamla Nehru Zoological Garden	Ahmedabad	08-06-2019
4		Sakkarbaug Zoo	Junagarh	05-05-2017
5	Karnataka	Dr. K.Shivarma Karanth Pililkula Biological Park	Mangalore	23-01-2020
6		Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens	Mysuru	06-05-2019
7		Bannerghatta Bioological Park	Bengaluru	05-05-2019
8	Tamil Nadu	Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Vandalur	Chennai	23-08-2019

Medium category zoos

SI. No.	State	Name of the Zoo	Location	Recognition valid upto
1	Ole fe a tti a sula a ula	Maitri Baagh Zoo	Bhilai	21-03-2020
2	Chhattisgharh	Nandanvan Jungle Safari	Naya Raipur	21-03-2020

SI. No.	State	Name of the Zoo	Location	Recognition valid upto	
3	Gujarat	Indroda Nature Park	Gandhi Nagar	08.06.2019	
4	Gujarat	Sayaji Baug Zoo	Vadodara	05.05.2019	
5	the suith a mal	Jawaharlal Nehru Biological Park	Bokaro	21.03.2020	
6	Jharkhand	Tata Steel Zoological Park	Jamshedpur	21.03.2020	
7		State Museum & Zoo	Thrissur	23.01.2018	
8	Kerala	Zoological Garden	Thirunvan-	22.04.2020	
			anthapuram	23.01.2020	
9	Madhya	Kamla Nehru Prani	Indore	23.01.2019	
	Pradesh	Sanghrahalaya Zoo		25.01.2019	
10		Rajiv Gandhi Zoological Park And	Pune	05.05.2018	
	Maharashtra	Wildlife Research Center		03,03.2010	
11		Veermata Jijabai Bhosale Udyan	Mumbai	23.08.2017	
		& Zoo		23.00.2017	
12	Manaland	Nagaland Zoological Park,	Rangapahar	23.08.2019	
	Nagaland	Rangapahar		23.06.2019	
13		Madras Crocodile Bank	Mahabalipuram	05.05.2019	
	Tamil Nadu	Trust/Centre For Herpetology	-		
14		V.O.C. Park Mini Zoo	Coimbatore	05.05.2017	

Small category zoos

SI. No.	State	Name of the Zoo	Location	Recognition valid upto
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	Biological Park, Chidiyatapu	Port Blair	21.03.2019
2	Arunachal Pradesh	Biological Park,Itanagar	Itanagar	28.08.2019
3	Haryana	Rohatak Zoo	Rohtak	04.05.2019
4		Kittur Rani Channamma Mini Zoo	Belagavi	23.08.2018
5	Karnataka	Tiger & Lion Safari	Shimoga	05.05.2017
6		Childrens Park-cum-Mini Zoo	Bellary	23.01.2019
7	Kerala	Parassinikkadavu Snake Park	Kannur	23.08.2017
8		Maharajbag Zoo	Nagpur	03.11.2017
9		Nisargakavi Bahinabai Choudhary	Chinchiwad,	05.05.2018

SI. No.	State	Name of the Zoo	Location	Recognition valid upto
		Pranisangahalaya	Pune	
10	Maharashtra	Mahatma Gandhi Rashtriya Udyan Zoo	Solapur	05.05.2017
11		Kapilash Zoo	Dhenkanal	23.08.2018
12	Odisha-	Wild Animal Conservation Center	Mothijharan, Sambalpur	23.08.2019
13	Pointhon	Kota Zoo	Kota	23.08.2017
14	Rajasthan	Sajjangarh Biological Park	Udaipur	28.08.2019
15	Torril Norde	Amirdhi Zoo	Vellore	05.05.2018
16	Tamil Nadu	Chennai Snake Park Trust	Guindy	05.05.2018
17		Kurumbapatti Biological Park	Salem	05.05.2018
18	Telangana	Vana Vignana Kendram	Warangal	05.05.2017
19	Uttarakhand	Pt. GB Pant High Altitude Zoo	Nainital	28.08.2018
20	Mark Dans d	Marble Palace Zoo	Kolkata	05.05.2017
21	West Bengal	Bardhaman Zoological Park	Burdwan	05.05.2017
22		Jungle Mahal Zoological Park	Jhargram	21.03.2019

Mini category zoos

SI. No.	State	Name of the Zoo	Location	Recognition valid upto
1	Andhra Pradesh	G.V.K.Industires Deer Park	Jegurupadu	23.08.2017
2	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	Lion Safari – Vasona	Vasona	23.08.2019
3	Delhi	A.N.Jha Deer Park	New Delhi	05.05.2018
4		Mini Zoo	Bhiwani	05.05.2017
5	Haryana	Mini Zoo	Pipli	05.05.2018
6		Deer Park	Hissar	05.05.2019
7	Himachal	Rewalsar Mini Zoo	Mandi	05.05.2018
8	Pradesh	Sarahan Phesantry	Sarahan	23.08.2018
9	Jammu and Kashmir	Mini Zoo Pahalgam	Pahalgam	Information awaited from the CWLW

SI. No.	State	Name of the Zoo	Location	Recognition valid upto
10		Deer Park, N.M.D.C.Ltd.	Donimalai	05.05.2018
11		Gendekatte Mini Zoo	Hassan	23.01.2019
12		Namadachilume Deer Park	Tumkur	05.05.2017
13	Karnataka	Tungabhadra Dam Mini Zoo	Bellary	05.05.2017
14		Indira Priyadarshini	Davangere	05.05.2018
		Sangrahalaya	Taluk	
15		Deer Park At Shri Kshetra	Belgaun	05.05.2017
		Sogal, Soudatti		
16		Snake Park, Malampuzha	Malampuzha	23.08.2018
17	Manala.	Kodanadu Zoo	Kodanadu	05.05.2017
18	Kerala	Lion Safari Park At Nayyar Dam	Thirunvananth	05.05.2018
		(Nayyar Mini Zoo)	apuram	
19		Maharaja Shahaji Chhatrapati	Kolhapur	05.05.2017
	Maharashtra	Zoo		
20		Snake Park Dholgarwadi	Chandgad	05.05.2017
21		Deer Park, Papadahandi	Nawarangpur	23.08.2018
22	Odisha	Harishankar Deer Park	Balangir	23.08.2018
23		Kuanria Deer Park	Nayagarh	23.08.2017
24		Mini Zoo cum Deer Safari Bir	Bhatinda	23.08.2019
	Punjab	Talab		
25		Deer Park, Neelon	Ludhiana	05.05.2017
26	Deinstein	Panchwati Deer Park	Pilani	21.03.2018
27	Rajasthan	Safari Park, Haridas Ji Ki Magri	Udaipur	23.08.2018
28	Tamil Nadu	Shivganga Garden Mini Zoo	Thanjavur	03.11.2018
29		Himayat Sagar Mini Zoo	Himayat Sagar	05.05.2018
30		Karimnagar Deer Park	Karimnagar	23.08.2018
31		Pillalamarri Deer Park	Mahabub	23.08.2018
			Nagar	
32	Telangana	Sanghi Deer Park	Sanghi Nagar	05.05.2017
33		Kinnerasani Deer Park	Paloncha	05.05.2017
34		Deer Park – Tech Mahindra	Bahadurpally	05.05.2017
		Technology Center		
35		Sarnath Deer Park	Varanasi	05.05.2018

SI. No.	State	Name of the Zoo	Location	Recognition valid upto
36		Van Prani Udyan, I.V.R.I.	Izzatnagar	05.05.2018
37	Uttar Pradesh	Vinod Van Park	Gorakhpur	05.05.2017
38		Lion Breeding Centre and Multiple Safari Parks, Etawah	Etawah	03.11.2018
39	Uttarakhand	Almora Mini Zoo	Almora	23.01.2019
40		Adina Deer Park	Malda	05.05.2018
41	West Bengal	Surulia Mini Zoo	Purulia	05.05.2018
42	vvest bengal	Sundarban Wild Animal Park,	Jharkali	05.05.2017
43		Garhchumuk Deer Park	Howrah	05.05.2017

Rescue Centres

SI. No.	State	Name of the Rescue Centre	Location	Recognition valid Upto
1		Centre For Wildlife	Borjuri	23.08.2018
	Assam	Rehabilitation And		
		Conservation		
2		Vulture Conservation	Pinjore	05.05.2019
		Breeding Center		
3	Haryana	Wildlife Rescue Centre	Gurgaon	23.08.2018
4		Ch. Surinder Singh Elephant	Bansantour	03.11.2018
		Rescue Centre		
5	Himachal	Rescue And Rehabilitation	Tutikandi	05.05.2018
	Pradesh	Home		
6	Karnataka	People For Animals - Rescue	Bengaluru	23.01.2018
	Railialaka	Centre		
7		Leopard Rescue Centre	Manikdoh	05.05.2018
8		People For Animals Rescue	Wardha	03.11.2018
	Maharashtra	Centre		
9	1	Amtes Animal Ark	Gadchiroli	03.11.2017
10	West Bengal	South Khairbari Rescue	Madarihat	05.05.2017
		Centre		

Circus

S. No.	State	Name of Circus	Registered location	Recognition valid upto
1	Uttar Pradesh	Apollo Circus	Bulandshahar	06.05.2017

4.2 List of the recognized zoos as on 31st March 2017

The zoos in India are classified as "large, medium, small and mini zoos" as per the criteria (area of the zoo, number of visitors, number of species and animals and number of animals of endangered species) provided under Rule 9 of the Recognition of Zoo Rules 2009. This classification of the zoos has been made for the purpose of management of the zoos and to apply the standards and norms pertaining to the housing, upkeep, veterinary care etc. The zoo should meet at least any four of the aforesaid criteria (including total number of species, total number of endangered species and also total number of animals including that of endangered spaecies housed by them) to be classified into the above mentioned categories. There are 167 recognized zoos (including circuses) in the country as on 31/03/2017. Out of which the large zoos are 14, Medium category zoos 27, Small category zoos 38, Mini category zoos 71, Circus 2 and Rescue Centre 15.

The list of the recognized zoos is given below:

Category	State	Name of the Zoo	Location
Large Zoo	Andhra Pradesh	Indira Gandhi Zoological Park	Visakhapatnam
	Assam	Assam State Zoo Cum Botanical Garden	Guwahati
	Bihar	Sanjay Gandhi Biological Park	Patna
	Delhi	National Zoological Park	Delhi
		Kamla Nehru Zoological Garden	Ahmedabad
	Gujarat	Sakkarbaug Zoo	Junagarh
		Bannerghatta Bioological Park	Bengaluru
		Dr. K.Shivarma Karanth Pililkula	Mangalore
	Karnataka	Biological Park	

Category	State	Name of the Zoo	Location
		Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens	Mysore
	Odisha	Nandankanan Biological Park	Bhubaneshwar
	Punjab	Mahendra Chaudhury Zoological Park	Chhatbir, Chandigarh
	Tamil Nadu	Arignar Anna Zoological Park	Vandalur, Chennai
	Telangana	Nehru Zoological Park	Hyderabad
	Uttar Pradesh	Nawab Wazid Ali Shah Zoological Garden	Lucknow
	Total Large Zoo		14
	Andhra Pradesh	Sri Venkateswara Zoological Park	Tirupati
Medium	Chhattisgarh	Kanan Pandari Zoo	Bilaspur
Zoo		Maitri Baagh Zoo	Bhilai
		Dr. Shyamaprasad Mukharjee Zoological Garden	Surat
	Gujarat	Indroda Nature Park	Gandhi Nagar
		Rajkot Municipal Zoo	Rajkot
		Sayaji Baug Zoo	Vadodara
	Jharkhand	Bhagwan Birsa Biological Park	Ranchi
		Jawaharlal Nehru Biological Park	Bokaro
		Tata Steel Zoological Park	Jamshedpur
	Kerala	State Museum & Zoo	Thrissur
		Thiruvananthapuram Zoo	Thirunvananthapuram
	Madhya Pradesh	Kamla Nehru Prani Sanghrahalaya Zoo	Indore
		Van Vihar National Park Zoo	Bhopal
	Maharashtra	Rajiv Gandhi Zoological Park And Wildlife Research Center	Pune
		Veermata Jijabai Bhosale Udyan & Zoo	Mumbai

Category	State	Name of the Zoo	Location
	Manipur	Manipur Zoological Garden	Iroisemba
	Nagaland	Nagaland Zoological Park, Rangapahar	Rangapahar
	Rajasthan	Jaipur Zoo	Jaipur
		Jodhpur Zoo	Jodhpur
		Childrens Park	Guindy, Chennai
	Tamil Nadu	Madras Crocodile Bank Trust/Centre For Herpetology	Mahabalipuram
		V.O.C. Park Mini Zoo	Coimbatore
	Tripura	Sepahijala Zoological Park	Sepahijala, Agartala
	Uttar Pradesh	Kanpur Zoological Park	Kanpur
	West Bengal	Alipore Zoological Garden	Kolkata
		Padmaja Naidu Himalayan Zoological Park	Darjeeling
		Total Medium Zoo	27
Small Zoo	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	Biological Park, Chidiyatapu	Port Blair
	Andhra Pradesh	Deer Park, Kandaleru	Kandaleru
	Arunachal Pradesh	Biological Park,Itanagar	Itanagar
	Chhattisgarh	Nandanvan Jungle Safari (Naya Raipur)	New Raipur
	Goa	Bondla Zoo	Usgao
	Haryana	Rohtak Zoo	Rohtak
	Himachal	Dhauladhar Nature Park	Gopalpur
	Pradesh	Himalayan Nature Park	Kufri
		Bellary Childrens Park-Cum-Zoo (Bellary Zoo)	Bellary
	Karnataka	Children Park & Binkadakatti Zoo (Gadag Zoo)	Gadag

Category	State	Name of the Zoo	Location
		Kittur Rani Cannamma Nisarg	Belgaum
		Dhama Mini Zoo	
		Tiger & Lion Safari	Shimoga
	Kerala	Parassinikkadavu Reptile Park	Kanur
	Madhya Pradesh	Gandhi Zoological Park	Gwalior
		Aurangabad Municipal Zoo	Aurangabad
		Maharajbag Zoo	Nagpur
		Mahatma Gandhi Rashtriya Udyan	Solapur
	Maharashtra	Zoo	
		Nisargakavi Bahinabai Choudhary	Chinchiwad, Pune
		Pranisangahalaya	
		Sanjay Gandhi National Park And	Borivali
		Zoo	
	Meghalaya	Nehru Park Zoo	Danakgre,Tura
	Mizoram	Aizawl Zoo	Aizwal
		Indira Gandhi Park Zoo	Rourkela
	Odisha	Kapilash Zoo	Dhenkanal
		Wild Animal Conservation Center	Mothijharan,
			Sambalpur
	Punjab	Deer Park, Bir Moti Bagh	Patiala
		Ludhiana Zoo	Ludhiana
	Rajasthan	Kota Zoo	Kota
		Marudhara Biological Park	Bikaner
		Sajjangarh Biological Park	Udaipur
	Sikkim	Himalayan Zoological Park	Bulbuley, Gangtok
	Tamil Nadu	Amirdhi Zoo	Vellore
		Chennai Snake Park Trust	Guindy, Chennai
		Kurumbapatti Zoological Park	Salem
	Telangana	Vanavigyan Kendra	Hanamkonda,
			Warangal

Category	State	Name of the Zoo	Location
	Uttarakhand	Pt. GB Pant High Altitude Zoo	Nainital
		Bardhaman Zoological Park	Burdwan
	West Bengal	(Ramnabagan Mini Zoo)	
		Jungle Mahal Zoological Park	Jhargram
		Marble Palace Zoo	Kolkata
		Total Small Zoo	38
	Andhra Pradesh	Deer Park, Chittoor	Chittoor (East)
Mini Zoo			Division
		Deer Park,NFCL Green Belt	Kakinada
		Deer Park G.V.K.Industires	Jegurupadu
	Arunachal	Miao Mini Zoo	Miao
	Pradesh	Mini Zoo, Roing	Roing
	Assam	Bijni Deer Park	Bongaigaon
	Dadra & Nagar	Lion Safari - Vasona	Vasona
	Haveli		
	Delhi	A.N.Jha Deer Park	New Delhi
	Gujarat	Sundervan Nature Discovery Centre	Jodhpur Tekra
			(Ahmedabad)
	Haryana	Deer Park,Hissar	Hissar
		Mini Zoo,Bhiwani	Bhiwani
		Mini Zoo,Pipli	Pipli
	Himachal	Renuke Mini Zoo	Sirmur
	Pradesh	Rewalsar Mini Zoo	Mandi
		Sarahan Phesantry	Sarahan
	Jammu &	Manda Deer Park	Ramnagar (Jammu)
	Kashmir	Mini Zoo, Pahalgam	Pahalgam
	Jharkhand	Birsa Mrig Vihar	Kalimati
		Mugger Breeding Centre (Muta Zoo)	Muta
		Deer Park At Shri Kshetra Sogal,	Belgaun

Category	State	Name of the Zoo	Location
	Karnataka	Soudatti	
		Deer Park, N.M.D.C. Ltd.	Donimalai
		Indira Priyadarshini Sangrahalaya,	Davangere Taluk
		Anagodu	
		Mini Zoo A. M. Gudi Balvana	Chitradurga
		Mini Zoo At Gendekatte	Hassan
		Mini Zoo Cum Children Park	Gulbarga
		Namadachilume Deer Park	Tumkur
		Tungabhadra Dam Mini Zoo	Bellary
	Kerala	Kodanadu Zoo	Kodanadu
		Lion Safari Park At Nayyar Dam	Thirunvananthapuran
		(Nayyar Mini Zoo)	
		Snake Park, Malampuzha	Malampuzha
	Madhya Pradesh	Maharaja Martand Singh Jedeo	Satna
2		White Safari and Zoo, Mukundpur	
	Maharashtra	Maharaja Shahaji Chhatrapati Zoo	Kolhapur
		Snake Park, Shikshan Mandal	Kolhapur
	Meghalaya	Lady Hydari Park Animal Land	Shillong
		(Meghalaya Zoo)	
	Mizoram	Deer Park,Thenzawl	Thenzawi
		Deer Park, Cuttack Municipal	Cuttack
		Corporation	
		Deer Park, Papadahandi	Nawarangpur
		Gharial Research & Conservation	Tikarpara
	Odisha	Unit	
		H.A.L. Deer Park, Sunabeda,	Sunabeda
		Koraput	
		Harishankar Deer Park	Balangir
		Kuanria Deer Park, Nayagarh Forest	Nayagarh
		Division	

Category	State	Name of the Zoo	Location
		Taptapani Deer Park	Parlakhemundi
	Punjab	Deer Park, Bir Talab	Bhatinda
		Deer Park, Neelon	Ludhiana
	Rajasthan	Panchwati Deer Park	Pilani
		Safari Park, Haridasji-Ki-Magri	Udaipur
		Deer Park, Ooty	Udhagamandalam
	Tamil Nadu	Shivganga Garden Mini Zoo	Thanjavur
		Deer Park - Tech Mahindra	Ranga Reddy
		Technology Center	
	Telangana	Deer Park, Kesoram Cement	Basant nagar
		Deer Park, Jawahar Lake Tourist Complex	Shamirpet
		Himayat Sagar Mini Zoo	Ranga Reddy
		Karimnagar Deer Park	Karimnagar
		Kinnerasani Deer Park	Kinnersari
		Pillalamarri Deer Park,	Mahabub Nagar
		Sanghi Deer Park	Sanghi Nagar
		Lion Breeding Centre and Multiple Safari Park, Etawah	Etawah
	Uttar Pradesh	Nawabganj Deer Park	Unnao
		Sarnath Deer Park	Varanasi
		Van Prani Udyan, I.V.R.I.	Izatnagar, Barelly
		Vinod Van Mini Zoo, Ramgarh	Gorakhpur
		(Gorakhpur Zoological Park)	
	Uttarakhand	Deer Park, Narain Tewari Dewal	Almora
		Malsi Deer Park	Dehradun
	West Bengal	Adina Deer Park	Malda
		Gar Chumuk Deer Park	Howrah
		North Bengal Wild Animals Park	Jalpaiguri

Category	State	Name of the Zoo	Location				
		Rasikbeel Mini Zoo	Cochbihar				
		South Khairbari Rescue Centre	Madarihat				
		Sundarban Wild Animal Park,	Dist.24 Parganas				
		Jharkali	South				
		Surulia Mini Zoo, Purulia	Purulia				
		Mini Zoo Total	71				
Circus	Uttar Pradesh	Apollo Circus	Bulandshahar				
		Asiad Circus	Kanpur				
	p	Circus Total					
	Andhra Pradesh	Karuna Wildlife Rescue and	Beedupalli,				
		Rehabilitation Centre - Rayalaseema	Anantapuram District				
	Arunachal	Centre for Bear Rehabilitation and	Pakke				
	Pradesh	Conservation					
Rescue Center	Assam	Centre for Wildlife Rehabilitation and	Golaghat				
	Conservation		Bansantour				
	Haryana						
		Centre					
		Vulture Conservation Breeding	Pinzore				
	8	Center					
		Wildlife Rescue Centre	Gurgaon				
	Himachal	Nehru Phesantary	Manali				
	Pradesh	Rescue and Rehabilitation Home	Tutikandi				
	Karnataka	People for Animals - Rescue Centre	Bengaluru				
	Maharashtra	Amtes Animal Ark Rescue Centre	Hemalkasa,				
			Gadchiroli District				
		Leopard Rescue Centre	Manikdoh				
		People for Animals, Shelter House	Wardha				
		Rescue Centre at Gorewada	Nagpur				
	Uttar Pradesh	Agra Bear Rescue Facility	Agra				
	West Bengal	Nature Park at Taratola Road	Kolkata				

Location	Name of the Zoo	State	Category	
15	Rescue Center Total			
167	Grand Tota			

4.3 Conservation Breeding Programme

The Central Zoo Authority is coordinating planned Conservation Breeding Programme of 73 identified critically endangered wild animal species in Indian zoos, out of which 26 endangered animal species has been prioritized for the programme. The conservation breeding programme has been launched for 23 animal species. The target is to have at least 100 properly bred and genetically, physically and behaviorally healthy individuals of each targeted species in captivity in Indian zoos for proper display and as insurance for future exigencies and ultimate release back into their habitat in the wild.

During the financial year 2016-17, the CZA provided financial assistance for carrying forward the conservation breeding programme for One-horned rhinoceros, Vultures, Mouse deer, Hollock Gibbon and Blyth's tragopan etc.

Details of the financial assistance provided under the Conservation Breeding Programme for new and ongoing projects during the financial year 2016-17 is given below:

SI. No.	Name of zoo	Species	Activity	Amount (₹ in lakhs)
1.	Nehru Zoological Park, Hyderabad	Mouse Deer	Feed & upkeep of animals, salary of Biologist	13.90
2.	Nehru Zoological Park, Hyderabad	Vulture	& animal keeper etc. Upkeep of animals, salary of Biologist, salary of animal keeper for	13.92
			maintenance of Conservation Breeding Centre	
3.	Biological Park, Itanagar	Hoolock	Salary of Biologist, salary	23.75

SI.	Name of zoo	Species	Activity	Amount (₹ in
No.				lakhs)
		Gibbon	of animal keeperfor	
1			maintenance of	
			Conservation Breeding	
			Centre	
4.	Nagaland Zoological,	Blyth's	Maintenance of	16.22
	Dimapur	tragopan	Conservation Breeding	(10.72+5.50)
			Centre	
5.	Vulture Conservation	Vulture	For installation of CCTV	9.50
	Breeding Centre		camera for monitoring of	
			Vulture.	
6.	Sanjay Gandhi Biological	One horned	Construction of breeding	232.67
	Park, Patna	rhinoceros	enclosure	

Further, the Central Zoo Authority has approved the Nandanvan Jungle Safari, Naya Raipur, Chattishgarh as coordinating Zoo for Conservation Breeding programme of Wild Buffalo (*Bubalbus bubalis arnee*).

The efforts in the direction of conservation breeding of endangered species have yielded excellent results over the years. The following is the detail of few species that has been bred successfully in the captivity during the last three years:

Mouse Deer (Moschiola indica)

Year	Male	Female	Unsex	Total
2014-2015	29	44	42	115
2015-2016	39	40	82	161
2016-2017	80	61	81	222

Lion – tailed macaque (Macaca silenus)

Year	Male	Female	Unsex	Total

2014-2015	27	25	9	61
2015-2016	9	7	4	20
2016-2017	24	23	6	53

Snow Leopard (Uncia uncia)

Year	Male	Female	Unsex	Total
2014-2015	4	10	0	14
2015-2016	1	9	0	10
2016-2017	3	9	0	12

Red Panda (Ailurus fulgens fulgens)

Year	Male	Female	Unsex	Total
2014-2015	13	13	0	26
2015-2016	14	9	3	26
2016-2017	10	11	2	23

Western Tragopan (Tragopanmelano cephalus)

Year	Male	Female	Unsex	Total
2014-2015	15	14	0	29
2015-2016	16	13	0	29
2016-2017	16	11	0	27

Cheer pheasant (Catreus wallichii)

Year	Male	Female	Unsex	Total
2014-2015	22	13	0	35

2015-2016	22	32	0	54
2016-2017	18	28	0	44

4.4 Exchange/ Transfer of animals among recognized zoos approved by the CZA

During the financial year 2016-17, the CZA has approved 64 animal exchange proposals of various animal species between Indian Zoos. It has also approved 9 exchange proposals pertaining to the Indian and foreign Zoos. Three exchange proposals between Indian Zoos have not been approved by the authority.

4.4.1 Exchange of captive animals between Indian Zoos

The 64 nos. of animal exchange proposals between Indian Zoos has been approved by the authority as per the details given below:

SI. No.	Name of the Zoo and animals to be given		Name of the Zoo and animals to be given	
1	Nehru Zoological Park, Hyderaba	d	Bhagwan Birsa Biological Park Jharkhand	r, Ranchi,
•	Royal Bengal Tiger	1:1	Striped Hyena	1:1
			Leopard Cat	1:1
	Van Vihar National Park-Zoo, Bho	pal	Zoo & Rescue Center, Mukund	dpur,
2	2		Satna, Madhya Pradesh	
	Panther	1:1		
	Kamla Nehru Prani Sangrahalaya, Indore		Madras Crocodile Bank Trust,	
2			Mamallapuram	
3	Black Cobra	1:1	Yellow Anaconda	1:2
	Indian Monitor Lizard	1:1		
	M.C.Zoological Park, Chhatbir,		Dr. Shyamaprasad Mukherjee Zoologica	
	Chandigarh		Garden, Surat	
4	Himalayan Black Bear	1:1	Smooth Coated Indian Otter	1:1
	Barking Deer	1:2	Four Horned Antelope	1:1
	Golden Pheasant	1:1	White Peafowl	1:1
E	Kanpur Zoological Park, Kanpur	!	Assam State Zoo, Guwahati	
5	Blackbuck	2:5	Stumped Tailed Macaque	1:2

SI.	Name of the Zoo and anima	als to be	Name of the Zoo and animals to be	
No.	given		given	
	Striped Hyena	1:0	Leopard Cat	2:2
	Sri Chamarajendra Zoologica	al Gardens,	Madras Crocodile Bank Trust,	
6	Mysuru		Mamallapuram	
			Indian Rock Python	2:2
	Kanpur Zoological Park, Kan	pur	Nandanvan Zoo, Raipur	
7	Royal Bengal Tiger 1:1		Asiatic Lion	1:1
8	Madras Crocodile Bank Trus Mamallapuram	t,	Bannerghatta Biological Pa	rk, Bengaluru
	Indian rock python	3:3		
9	Kanpur Zoological Park, Kan	pur	Sri Chamarajendra Zoologi Mysuru	cal Garden,
	Rhesus macaque	1:1	Lady Amherst's Pheasant	2:2
	Kanan Pendari Zoological Ga	arden,	Machia Biological Park, Jodhpur	
10	Bilaspur			
10	Sloth Bear	1:1	Indian Gazelle	2:4
	Hyena	1:0		
11	Nahargarh Biological Park, J	aipur	Bannerghatta Biological Park, Bengaluru	
	Gharial	2:0	Sangai deer	2:2
	Jackal	2:1		
	Kanan Pendari Zoological Ga Bilaspur	arden,	Nehru Zoological Park, Hyd	lerabad
12	Ratel	1:0	Indian Gaur	1:1
	Hippopotamus	1:0		
	Arignar Anna Zoological Park	k, Vandalur,	Zoological Garden, Thiruvananthapuran	
13	Reticulated Python	2:2	Hog Deer	3:3
	White Peafowl	2:2	Rhea	2:2
	Arignar Anna Zoological Parl	c, Chennai	Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens, Mysuru	
14	Rhesus Macaque	2:4	Nilgai	2:6
	Reticulated Python	1:1	Common Ring Necked	1:1

SI.	Name of the Zoo and animals to be		Name of the Zoo and animals to be		
No.	given			given Pheasant	
	Sambar	1:2		Silver Pheasant	0:2
	Nahargarh Zoological Park, Ja	aipur		Kanan Pendari Zoological	Garden,
15				Bilaspur	
	Wolf	1:3		Lion	1:1
16	Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Mysuru	Gard	dens,	Sanjay Gandhi National P Borivali, Mumbai	ark Zoo,
	Rusty Spotted cat	1:1		Rusty Spotted Cat	1:2
17	Nawab Wajid Ali Shah Zoolog Lucknow	ical G	Sarden,	Indira Gandhi Zoological f Visakhapatnam	Park,
	Swamp deer 1:1		Jungle cat	2:0	
18	Nahargarh Biological Park, Ja	ipur		Sajjangarh Biological Park	k, Udaipur
10	Indian Wolf	0:1			
	Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Chennai		Sajjangarh Biological Park	k, Udaipur	
19	White Tiger	1:0			
20	Machia Biological Park, Jodhp	our		Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Vandalur	
	Wolf	0:1			
21	Arignar Anna Zoological Park,	, Van	dalur	Nahargarh Biological Park, Jaipur	
				Wolf	0:1
22	Kota Zoo, Kota (to be relocate biological Park)	ed to A	Abheda	Machia Biological Park, Jodhpur	
	Hybrid Lion 0:1				
23	Kota Zoo, Kota (to be relocated to Abheda biological Park)			Nahargarh Biological Park, Jaipur	
	Royal Bengal Tiger 0:1				
24	Nehru Zoological Park, Hyder	abad		Nandankanan Zoological Park, Bhubaneswar	
	Royal Bengal Tiger		1:0	Royal Bengal Tiger	0:1
	Mouse Deer		5:2	Mouse Deer	0:1

SI.	Name of the Zoo and animals to be		Name of the Zoo and an	imals to be		
No.	given			given		
	White Peafowl		1:1	Water Monitor Lizard	1:2	
	Red Jungle Fowl		2:3			
	Painted Stork		2:2			
	Mugger Crocodile		2:3			
	Sri Chamarajendra Zoologi	cal Gard	lens,	Arignar Anna Zoological F	Park, Vandalur,	
0.5	Mysore			Chennai		
25	Brow Antlered Deer	2:3		Lion Tailed Macaque	1:1	
	Lady Amherst Pheasant	1:1		Ţī.		
	Sri Sayajibaug Zoo, Vadoda	ara		Kamla Nehru Zoological C Ahmedabad	Garden,	
	Blue Crowned Pigeon	0:1		Hog Deer	2:2	
00	Silver Pheasant	1:1		Jackal	1:1	
26				Porcupine	2:2	
				Indian Rock Python	2:2	
				Spoonbill	2:2	
				Painted Stork	1:1	
27	Zoological Garden, Alipore, Kolkata			North Bengal Wild Animals Park, Siliguri		
21	Bengal Tiger	1:1				
	Padmaja Naidu Himalayan Zoological Park, Darjeeling		National Zoological Park, New Delhi			
	Himalayan Goral	1:0		Himalayan Goral	1:2	
28	Lady Amherst Pheasant	0:2		Barking Deer	2:0	
	Barking Deer	2:0		Red Jungle Fowl	2:3	
	Red Jungle Fowl	2:3		Kaleej Pheasant	1:2	
	Kaleej Pheasant	1:2				
	Pilikula Biological Park, Ma	ngalore		Rajkot Zoological Park, Rajkot, Gujarat		
00	Indian Cobra	2:2		Rhesus Macaque	0:1	
29	Indian Rock Python	2:2		Common Langur	0:1	
	Checkered Keelback	2:2				
	Green Vine Snake	1:1				
	Whitaker's Boa	2:2		13		
	Russell's Viper	2:2				

SI. No.	Name of the Zoo and anim	als to be	Name of the Zoo and animals to be given	
	Rat Snake	2:2		
	Motane Trinket Snake	1:1		
	Marsh Crocodile	0:0:4		
	Rose Ringed Parakeet	1:1		
	Budgerigar	0:0:4		
30	Kanan Pendari Zoological Garden, Bilaspur		Nahargarh Biological Park, Ja	aipur
			Wolf	1:2
	Nawab Wajid Ali Shah Zoolo	gical Garden,	Indira Gandhi Zoological Parl	۲,
31	Lucknow		Vishakhapatnam	
	Swamp Deer	1:1	Jungle Cat	2:0
	Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens,		Rajkot Zoological Park, Rajko	ot '
	Mysore			
	Indian Grey Wolf	1:1	Asiatic Lion	1:0
	Himalayan Black Bear	1:0		
	Hog Deer	0:2		
	Common Sand Boa	2:0		14
32	Alexandrine Parakeet	1:1		
	Lady Amherst Pheasant	1:1		
	Red Jungle Fowl	2:2		
	White Ibis	1:1		
	Rose Ringed Parakeet	1:1		
	Budgerigar	10:10		
	Java Sparrow	3:3		
	Sri Chamarajendra Zoologica	al Gardens,	Sanjay Gandhi National Park	Zoo,
33	Mysuru		Borivali, Mumbai	
	Rusty Spotted Cat	1:1	Rusty Spotted Cat	1:1
2.4	Nahargarh Biological Park, J	aipur	Machia Biological Park, Jodhpur	
34	Himalayan Black Bear	1:0	Asiatic Lion	1:1
) C	Nawab Wajid Ali Shah Zoolo	gical Garden,	Nandankanan Zoological Park,	
35	Lucknow		Bhubaneshwar	
	Painted Stork	2:2	Sloth Bear	2:1

SI.	Name of the Zoo and anima	ls to be	Name of the Zoo and animals to be		
No.	given		given		
	Gharial	2:0			
	Swamp Deer	3:2			
	Nawab Wajid Ali Shah Zoolog	gical Garden,	Bhagwan Birsa Biological I	Park, Ranchi	
00	Lucknow				
36	Common Leopard	0:2	Sloth bear	2:0	
	Nawab Wajid Ali Shah Zoolog	ical Park,	Lion Breeding Centre and	Multiple Safari	
37	Lucknow		Parks, Etawah		
	Blackbuck	1:9			
	Nawab Wajid Ali Shah Zoolog	jical Park,	Lion Breeding Centre and	Multiple Safari	
38.	Lucknow		Parks, Etawah		
	Leopard	2:1			
	Kanpur Zoological Park, Kan	pur	Lion Breeding Centre and Multiple Safari		
39			Parks, Etawah		
	Blackbuck	4:6		1,	
	Kanpur Zoological Park, Kanpur		Lion Breeding Centre and	Multiple Safari	
40			Parks, Etawah		
	Leapord	3:2			
	Kamla Nehru Prani Sangraha	laya, Indore	Rajkot Zoological Park, Rajkot		
	Indian Fox	2:2	White Tiger	0:1	
41	White Peafowl	1:1			
	Alexandrine Parakeet	1:1			
	Golden Pheasant	1:0			
	Rajkot Zoological Park, Rajko	t	Sakkarbaug Zoological Park, Junagadh		
42			Chinkara	1:2	
	Indroda Nature Park, Gandhir	il nagar	Sakkarbaug Zoo, Junagarh		
43			Royal Bengal Tiger*	0:1	
			Leopard	2:2	
	Sri Chamarajendra Zoologica	l l Gardens,	Dr. S. M. Zoological Garden, Surat		
	Mysore				
44	Black Swan	1:1	Smooth Coated Otter	1:1	
	Striped Hyena	1:1			

SI.	Name of the Zoo and anima	ls to be	Name of the Zoo and animals to be	
No.	given		given	
	Kamla Nehru Prani Sangrahalaya, Indore		Indira Gandhi Zoological Park,	
45	Kama Nemu Fram Sangiana	iaya, ilidole	Visakhapatnam	
	Bengal Tiger	1:0	White Tiger	1:1
	Kanpur Zoological Park, Kanp	our	Pt. G.B. P. High Altitude Zoo,	Nainital
	Sliver Pheasant	2:0	Silver Pheasant	2:0
46	Golden Pheasant	1:1	Golden Pheasant	1:1
+0	Red Jungle Fowl	2:3	Kalij Pheasant	2:3
	Lady Amherst Pheasant	1:1	Lady Amherst Pheasant	1:1
	Budgerigar	0:0:6		
	Arignar Anna Zoological Park,	Chennai	Nandankanan Biological Park	.,
			Bhubaneswar	
	Nilgiris Langur	1:1	Himalayan Black Bear	1:1
17	Reticulated Python	1:1	Water Monitor Lizard	1:1
47	White Peafowl	2:2	Siamese Crocodile	1:0
	Painted Stork	0:0:10	Open Bill Stork	2:2
	Hyena	0:1	White Ibis	5:5
			Hyena	1:0
48	Safari Park Haridas Ji ki Magr	i, Udaipur	Sajjangarh Biological Park, Udaipur	
+0			Spotted Deer	0:2
	M.C. Zoological Park, Chattibi	r	Mini Zoo Cum Deer Safari Bir Talab ,	
49			Bhatinda	
	Leopard	2:1		
	Zoological Garden Alipore, Ko	lkata	Sakkarbaug Zoological Park, Junagadh	
50			Asiatic Lion	1:1
50	Giraffe	1:1	Four Horned Antelope	1:1
			Chinkara	2:2
	Pilikula Biological Park, Manga	aluru	Sajjangarh Biological Park, Udaipur	
51	Bengal Tiger	1:0	Alexandrine Parakeet	1:1
, i			Blossom Headed Parakeet	1:1
			Rose Ringed Parakeet	1:3
52	Kanan Pendari Zoological Gai Bilaspur	rden,	Tata Steel Zoological Park, Ja	mshedpur

SI.	Name of the Zoo and anima	ls to be	Name of the Zoo and animals to be		
No.	given		given		
	Hyena	1:0	Blackbuck (Albino)	2:4	
	Cockatiel	6:6	Hog Deer	0:2	
	Budgerigar	8:6			
53	Nawab Wajid Shah Zoologica Lucknow	l Garden,	Bhagwan Birsa Biological	Park, Ranchi	
	Wolf	1:2	Hybrid lion	1:1	
54	Himalayan Zoological Park, G	angtok	Pandit Gobind Ballabh Pa Zoo, Nainital	nt High Altitude	
	Red-Panda	0:1	Red-Panda	0:1	
	Dr. S. M. Zoological Garden,	Surat	Rajkot Zoological Park, Ra	ajkot	
55	Smooth Indian Otter	1:1			
ວວ	Jackal	2:2			
	Peafowl (White)	1:1			
	Nehru Zoological Park, Hyder	abad	Zoological Garden, Thiruvananthapuram		
56	Asiatic Lion	1:1	Lion-tailed Macaque	1:1	
			White Rhea	1;1	
			Brown Rhea	1:1	
	Kanpur Zoological Park, Kanp	our	Zoological Garden, Thiruvananthapuram		
57	Striped Hyena	1:1	Brown Rhea	1:1	
			White Rhea	1:1	
58	M.C. Zoological Park, Chhatt	oir	Deer Park, Hissar		
50	Sambar	1:1			
	Barking Deer	1:2			
59	M.C. Zoological Park, Chhatbir		Mini Zoo, Bhiwani		
	Leopard	0:1			
60	Nawab Wazid Ali Shah Zooloigcal Park, Lucknow		Lion Breeding Centre and Multiple Safa Parks, Etawah		
00	Sloth bear	3:1			

SI.	Name of the Zoo and anim	nals to be	Name of the Zoo and animals to be		
No.	given		given		
	Mysuru				
	Brow Antlered Deer	1:1	Lion-tailed Macaque	1:1	
	Lady Amherst Pheasant	1:1			
	Wild Dog	1:1			
62	Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens, Mysuru		State Zoo, Umtrew		
			Himalayan Black Bear	1:0	
63	Aizawl Zoological Park, Mizoram		Nehru Zoological Park, Hyderabad		
03	Pig -tailed Macaque	1:1			
	Pilikula Biological Park, Mar	ngaluru	Bannerghatta Biological Park, Bengaluru		
	Bengal tiger	1:0	Bengal tiger	0:1	
	Common langur	1:0	Common langur	0:1	
0.4	Golden jackal	4:4	Night heron	5:5	
64	Common palm civet	1:1			
	Barking deer	2:2			
	Red jungle fowl	2:2	7-		
	Lesser whistling teal	0:0:2			

4.4.2 Exchange proposal between Indian and foreign Zoos

During the financial year 2016-17, nine exchange proposals between Indian and Foreign Zoos have been approved as per the details given in table below:

SI.No.	Name of the Zoo and animals to	be given	Name of the Zoo and ani be given	mals to
1	Veermata Jijabai Bhosale Udyan & Zoo, Mumbai		Coex Aquarium, Seoul, Korea	
			Humboldt penguin	3:5
2	Zoological Garden, Alipore, Kolkata		Kanazawa Zoological Gardens, Yokohama	
			Grey Kangaroo	2:2
3	Bhagwan Birsa Biological Park, Ranchi		Zoological Centre, Tel Avi Gan (Safari), Israel.	v, Ramat

SI.No.	Name of the Zoo and anim	Name of the Zoo and animals to		
			be given	
			Grants zebra	2:2
4	Bannerghatta Biological Par	rk, Bengaluru	Pafos Zoo, Cyprus	!
4	Giraffe	2:2	Indian elephant	0:2
سو	Nawab Wajid Ali Shah Zoolo Lucknow	ogical Garden,	Zoo Zlin, Czech Republic	
5	Black Necked Stork	3:1	Red Necked Wallaby	4:4
			Greater Flamigo	4:4
	Sri Chamarajendra Zoologio Mysore	National Zoological Park Srilanka	, Dehiwala,	
6	Black Buck	2:2	Green Anaconda	3:3
	Nilgai	2:2	Oreen Anaconda	0.5
7	Madras Crocodile Bank Trus	Dallas World Zoo and Aquarium, Dallas, USA		
			Orinoco Crocodile	1:1
	Zoological Garden, Thiruvar	nanthapuram	Mystic Monkeys and Feathers, Wildlife Park, Bela-Bela, South Afric	
0			Giraffe	2:2
8			Zebra	2:3
			Lion	2:2
			Jaguar	1:1
9	Sri Chamarajendra Zoologio Mysuru	cal Gardens,	Zoological Centre Tel Aviv – Ram Gan (Safari), Israel	
			Zebra	1:3

4.4.3 Permission to house rescued animals in zoos:

During the year 2016-2017, the Technical Committee of the Central Zoo Authority has approved proposals to house rescued animals at following zoos subject to conditions specified therein:

- 1. Van Vihar National Park Zoo, Bhopal
- 2. Nahargarh Biological Park, Nahargarh, Jaipur
- 3. Jodhpur Zoo, Jodhpur

4.4.4 Proposal for release of surplus crocodiles in the wild:

The Technical Committee, CZA in its 81st meeting held on 24th January, 2017 conveyed in-principle approval for the proposal from the Mahatma Gandhi Zoo, Solapur, Maharashtra for release of 16 Sub-adult Marsh Crocodile at Chandoli Dam, Maharashtra subject to compliance with conditions specified therein. Implementation of the decision is yet to be received from the zoo.

4.5 Maintenance of Studbooks

The Central Zoo Authority has granted a project titled "Development and Maintenance of Studbooks for Selected Endangered Species in Indian Zoos" to the Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun. Under the project the Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun has been assigned the work of preparation, updation and maintenance of National Studbooks/ Herd books of the identified endangered wild animal species listed in Schedule I and II of Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 housed in Indian zoos.

The Central Zoo Authority and the Wildlife Institurte of India (WII), Dehradun have signed MoU on 27.03.2012 for preparation, updation and maintenance of National Studbooks / Herdbooks of identified endangered species of captive animals housed in Indian Zoos. Under the MoU, the WII shall execute the work of updation and maintenance of existing Studbooks of 14 species which include Royal Bengal Tiger, Asiatic lion, Lion tailed macaque, One-horned rhinoceros, Hoolockgibbon, Wild ass, Gaur, Tibetan wolf, Nilgiri langur, Wild dog, Red panda, Snow leopard, Clouded leopard and Bhutan grey pheasant.

In addition, the Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun shall prepare, update and maintain National Studbooks / Herdbooks of 20 endangered wild animal species in captivity such as Chinkara, Grey wolf, Golden langur, Indian pangolin, White backed vulture, Long billed vultures, Slender billed vulture, Nicobar pigeon, Pig tailed macaque, Serow, Spectacle langur, Swamp deer, Cheer pheasant, Himalayan monal, Western tragopan, Chousinga, Mouse deer, Stump-tailed macaque, Sangai and Blue sheep.

The Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun so far has updated the existing Studbooks of 13 species out of 14 and has prepared the Studbooks for 10 out of 20 identified species. The progress in this regard is as follows:

(a) Updation of the Studbook which was prepared earlier (prior to 2012-2013):

S.	Species	Progress	Date of	Annual
No.			submission	updation
1	Royal Bengal Tiger	Not updated till date	Nil	Nil
2	Asiatic Lion	Data upto Dec., 2013 & published in May, 2014	May, 2014	once
3	Lion Tailed Macaque	Data upto June, 2015 & published in July 2015	05.08.2015	once
4	One horned Rhinoceros	Published in December 2016	20.12.2016	once
5	Hoolock Gibbon	Data upto March, 2015 & published in April, 2015	11.06.2015	once
6	Wild Ass	Data upto Dec., 2015 & published April, 2016	03.05.2016	once
7	Gaur	Data upto May, 2015 & published in June, 2015	08.07.2015	once
8	Tibetan Wolf	Data upto Dec., 2013 & published in Aug., 2014	26.09.2014	once
9	Nilgiri Langur	Data upto Dec, 2014 & published in March, 2015	17.04.2015	once
10	Wild Dog	Published in January, 2017	19.01.2017	once
11	Red Panda	Data upto Dec., 2013 & published in May, 2014	13.08.2014	once
12	Snow Leopard	Data upto June, 2014 & published in Nov., 2014	24.02.2015	once
13	Clouded Leopard	Data upto June, 2014 & published in Nov., 2014	16.12.2014	once
14	Bhutan Grey Pheasant	Data upto March, 2016 & published in April, 2016	09.05.2016	once

⁽b) Preparation, updation and Maintenance of studbook for new species (from 2012 - 2013):

S. No.	Species	Progress	Date of submission	Annual updation
1	Chinkara	Not prepared till date	Nil	Nil
2	Grey Wolf	Not prepared till date	Nil	Nil
3	Golden Langur	Data upto Dec., 2013 & published in March, 2014	23.04.2014	once
4	Indian Pangolin	Data upto Dec., 2013 & published in March, 2014	31.03.2016	once
5	White Backed Vulture	Not prepared till date	Nil	Nil
6	Long billed vulture	Not prepared till date	Nil	Nil
7	Slender Billed Vulture	Not prepared till date	Nil	Nil
8	Nicobar Pigeon	Not prepared till date	Nil	Nil
9	Pig Tailed Macaque	Data upto Dec., 2013 & pubished in March, 2014	23.04.2014	once
10	Himalayan Serow	Data upto March, 2016 & published in June, 2016	20.07.2016	once
11	Spectacle Langur	Data upto Dec., 2013 & published in March, 2014	22.09.2014	once
12	Swamp Deer	Not prepared till date	Nil	Nil
13	Cheer pheasant	Data upto Dec., 2015 & published in May, 2016	06.06.2016	once
14	Himalayan monal	Data upto March, 2016 & published in June, 2016	05.07.2016	once
15	Western Tragopan	Data upto Nov., 2015 & published in Jan., 2016	06.01.2016	once
16	Chousingha	Not prepared till date	Nil	Nil
17	Mouse Deer	Not prepared till date	Nil	Nil
18	Stump Tailed Macaque	Data upto Dec., 2013 & published in March, 2014	26.05.2014	once
19	Sangai	Not prepared till date	Nil	Nil
20	Blue Sheep	Data upto Oct., 2014 & published in Jan, 2015	09.02.2015	once

A meeting was held on 20th July, 2016 at CZA Office premises to review the progress of the project, wherein the status of the compilation and updation of the various studbooks was discussed and various decision were taken. It was decided that the preparation and updation of Studbook for all the species should be completed on priority and it should be submitted to the Central Zoo Authority.

The future work includes updating of studbook of tigers and initiation of new studbooks for Four-horned antelope, Mouse deer, Swamp deer, Sangai, Chinkara, Vulture and Nicobar pigeon etc.

Similarly, the Central Zoo Authority granted a project of preparation, updating and maintenance of studbooks of Sloth bear, Himalayan black bear, Himalayan brown bear and Malayan sun bear housed in zoos to an NGO namely Wildlife SOS, New Delhi. The Central Zoo Authority has signed the MoU with Wildlife SOS for the above mentioned project to be completed within five years from 31.03.2011 and the first installment of grant was released during the month of March, 2011.

The objectives of the study as per MoU are mentioned below:

- To execute the work of preparation, updating and maintenance of studbooks of Sloth bear, Himalayan black bear, Himalayan brown bear and Malayan sun bear housed in zoos.
- 2. To feed the data and complete the studbook including assigning national studbook numbers to all the individuals and also continue to add new animals for updating the studbooks of different species.
- The Wildlife SoS shall be analyzing the data in studbooks and assist central Zoo
 Authority and Indian zoos for planned conservation breeding and exchange of the
 animals of the identified species in the zoos.
- 4. The Wildlife SoS shall liason with International Studbook keepers of Sloth bear, Himalayan black bear, Himalayan brown bear and Malayan sun bear numbers and exchange of animals between zoos in India and abroad.

On perusal of the progress report as submitted by the Wildlife SOS on 22.02.2016, after repeated reminders, it was observed that it has not been prepared as per the desired standard.

It was agreed in the signed MoU that Wildlife SOS should provide progress report on work assigned at every six months to the Central Zoo Authority. It was also agreed that the Wildlife SOS will provide first studbook after one year and then others at the interval of one year. However, the progress of the work has been found unsatisfactory and an ultimatum has been issued to either complete the project or to refund the amount of grant with interest thereon. Accordingly, the Wildlife SOS has returned the grant of Rs.3,52,000/- on 31.03.2017. The Wildlife SOS has been asked to deposit the interest on the grant from March, 2011.

4.6. Improved Planning Process of Zoos

4.6.1 Master Plan

The Central Zoo Authority is assisting recognized zoos in finalization of Master Plans for detailed long-term future development. The Central Zoo Authority has received 165 detailed Master Plans as on 31st March, 2017. The CZA is also reviewing the previously granted approval for Master (Layout) Plans of 84 Zoos and Master Plan of the 41 Zoos to ensure more insight of CZA for better development of the zoos.

During the current financial year, CZA has approved Master Plan of 12 Zoos as per details given below:

S. No.	Name of the Zoo
1	Nisargakavi Bahina Bhai Choudhary Prani Sangrahalaya, Pimpri
	Chinchwad, Maharashtra
2	Mini Zoo, Pipli, Haryana
3	Nalanda Prani Vihar, Rajgir, Bihar
4	Panther Safari at Roha, District Raigad, Maharashtra
5	Rohtak Zoo, Rohtak
6	Nehru Park cum Mini Zoo, Danakgre, Tura
7	North Bengal Wild Animals Park, Siliguri (Revised)
8	Jhargram Mini Zoo (renamed as Jungleemahal Zoological Park)

S. No.	Name of the Zoo
9	Indroda Nature Park, Gandhinagar, Gujarat
10	Jawaharlal Nehru Biological Park, Bokaro, Jharkahnd
11	Biological Park, Chidiyatapu, Andaman & Nicobar Islands
12	Zoological Garden, Alipore, Kolkata

4.6.2 Master (Layout) Plan

The Central Zoo Authority has also approved 16 Master (Layout) Plan of the following zoos till 31st March 2017:

S. No.	Name and location of the Zoo
1	Sayajibaug Zoo, Vadodara, Gujarat
2	State Zoo at Umtrew, Meghalaya (Revised)
3	Nalanda Prani Vihar, Rajgir, Bihar
4	Nehru Park cum Mini Zoo, Danakgre, Tura (Revised), Meghalaya
5	North Bengal Wild Animals Park, Siliguri (Revised), West Bengal
6	Adina Deer Park, Adina, Malda, West Bengal
7	Jungle Safari (Nandanvan Zoo and Safari), Naya Raipur,
	Chhattisgarh
8	Jungle mahal Zoological Park, Jhargram, West Bengal
9	Machia Biological Park, Jodhpur (Revision includes proposed
	Rescue Centre), Rajasthan
10	International Zoo and Safari, Haldwani, Uttarakhand
11	Marudhara Biological Park, Bikaner, Rajasthan
12	Elephant Rescue and Rehabilitation Centre, Hunsur, Mysuru,
	Karnataka
13	Elephant Rescue cum Rehabilitation Centre in West Champaran

S. No.	Name and location of the Zoo
	District, Bihar
14	Revised Master (layout)Plan, Abheda Biological Park, Kota,
	Rajasthan
15	Revised Master (layout) Plan, Rajkot Zoological Park, Rajkot,
	Rajasthan
16	Revised Master (layout) Plan, Nandanvan Jungle Safari, Naya
	Raipur, Chhattisgarh

4.7 Others

4.7.1 Transparency in the functioning of the CZA

With an objective to enhance transparency in functioning of the Central Zoo Authority and for the benefit of all stakeholders, the website of the Central Zoo Authority has been revamped with updated information and following information have been scanned, uploaded on website of the CZA and placed in the public domain:

- 1. All Guidelines issued by the Central Zoo Authority
- 2. 67 publications of the Central Zoo Authority.
- 3. All Annual Reports of the Central Zoo Authority since its inception
- 298 drawings of enclosures for endangered species in Indian zoos, approved by the CZA since year 1994.
- 5. 114 approved Master (Layout) Plans of zoos
- 6. 43 approved Master Plans for long term development of zoos
- 7. Updated information on all recognized zoos along with last three renewal of recognition letters.
- 8. Annual Inventory of all recognized zoos in the country for year 2016-17.

4.7.2 Non-cash mode for receiving and making payment in Government Departments / PSUs:

In accordance with decision of the Government of India with respect to using non-cash mode for receiving and making payment in Government Departments / PSUs, the Technical

Committee, CZA in its 81st meeting held on 24th January, 2017 directed operators of all zoos to comply with directives of the Government of India.

4.7.3 Good practices adopted:

Among various good practices adopted and initiatives taken up by the Central Zoo Authority during year 2016-17, prominent ones are Swacchta Abhiyan within the premises of the CZA Secretariat and minimization of paper consumption.

4.7.4 Utilization Certificates:

During the year 2016-17, the issue of pending Utilization Certificates from zoos across the country has been actively pursued and pendency has been reduced from 49 to 17. The report on execution of work with financial assistance from the CZA has been received from zoos across the country.

4.8 Publication of Annual Inventory of animals in Indian Zoos for year 2016-17

The Central Zoo Authority has developed a module for online submission of Annual Inventory of all recognized zoos in the country. For this purpose, every zoo has been provided a password for submission of inventory. It has been implemented for the inventory of the animals from the year 2016-2017.

5.0 Human Resource Development

5.1 Training, Seminar and Workshop

During the financial year 2016-17, the CZA had approved and organized following training programme for the human resource development in the zoos:

1. The Central Zoo Authority in association with Assam State Zoo cum Botanical Garden, Guwahati organized annual conference of Indian zoos on developing road map for zoos in India" from 23rd to 26th May, 2016 wherein 35 participants from various zoos benefitted.

- 2. The Central Zoo Authority has provided financial assistance to organise regional training programmes for Zoo Keepers on theme "Record keeping andmarking of the animals in captivity" for the year of 2016-17to Kanpur Zoological Park, Kanpur; Kamla Nehru Zoological Garden, Kankaria, Ahmedabad; Thiruvananthapuram Zoo, Thiruvananthapuram; Sanjay Gandhi Biological Park, Patna and Sepahijala Zoological Park, Agartala. The trainings were organized at Kanpur from 27 February to 05 March, 2017 wherein 32 participants from 16 zoos attended the training. In similar training at Ahmedabad from 17 to 23 January, 2017, there were 20 participants from 6 zoos; at Thiruvananthapuram training from 14 to 21 December, 2016, there were 15 participants from 4 zoos, at training organized at Patna from 9 to 14 January, 2017, there were 28 participants from 6 zoos and at Agartala from 2 to 6 January, 2017, 20 participants from 6 zoos attended the training.
- 3. The Central Zoo Authority in association with Malsi Deer Park, Dehradun, organized Annual conference of Indian Zoo on "Identification and marking of animals in captivity" for the year 2016-17 at Dehradun. In total 26 participants from various zoos attended the programme and benefitted.
- 4. The Central Zoo Authority has approved a training workshop under the MoU signed between the Central Zoo Authority and the Smithsonian National Zoological Park, Washington DC, USA. The proposed activities for the training workshop are Animal handling, identification/eartagging, Veterinary workshop/anesthesia and general examination and implementation of a vaccination program for the zoo veterinarians working in various Indian Zoos.
- 5. During the current financial year, the Central Zoo Authority in association with Species 360, USA (former International Species Information System) organized six regional hands-on trainings for the data updation in its software, Zoological Information Management System (ZIMS), at the Bhagwan Birsa Biological Park, Ranchi; the Padmaja Naidu Himalayan Zoological Park, Darjeeling; the Kanpur Zoological Park, Kanpur; the Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Vandalur, Chennai; the Bannerghatta Biological Park, Bengaluru; office of the Central Zoo Authority, New Delhi; the Vulture Conservation Breeding Centre, Pinjore and the Pt. GB Pant High Altitude Park, Nainital. The participants from 29 identified zoos across the country attended this training.

5.2 International Co-operation

The Central Zoo Authtority has signed an Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Smithsonian National Zoological Pak, Washington, D.C., USA on 17th March 2016 to develop and implement joint research studies focussed on animal health and capacity building. To begin with, Mr. Dennis Kelly, Director, Smithsonian National Zoological Park, Washington & Dr. Brandie Smith, Associate Director of Animal Collections were invited to deliver lecture in the Annual Conference of Indian Zoos with theme "Developing future roadmap for Indian zoos" held at Guwahati, Assam during 23rdto 26th May, 2016. Mr. Dennis Kelly & Dr. Brandie Smith delivered the talks on "The Future of Zoos and Aquariums" and "Cooperative Population Management for Zoos" respectively. They also visited the Assam State Zoo, Guwahati and shared their views and suggestions related to the management of animals in captivity at this zoo.

Furthermore, a team consisiting of Dr. Budhan S. Pukazhenthi, Reproductive Physiologist, Center for Species Survival, Smithsonian Conservation Biology Institute, Mr. Steven Sarro, Curator; Dr. James Steeil, Veterinarian and Ms. Kali Holder, Global Health Fellow, Smithsonian National Zoological Park visited the National Zoological Park, New Delhi; the Lion Safari, Etawah; the Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens, Mysore; the Bannerghatta Biological Park, Bengaluru and the Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Vandalur, Chennai in India from 14 to 23 June, 2016 with objectives to assess animal management and veterinary services and as well as to provide the technical advice on specific health and management issues in there zoos.

The team was impressed with the expanse and quality of exhibit space in most zoos and the expertise available for veterinary care found to be adequate. The recommendations/ advice was shared with each of the zoos visited by them. The major points of their recommendations are as follows:

- 1. All mammals be given rabies vaccination to help prevent disease, if exposed, to reduce public health concern.
- 2. Zoos with large cats (Lion and Tigers) should consider vaccinating their animals against Canine Distemper Virus (CDV) using the Recombitek monovalent CDV vaccine.
- 3. Zoos with on-going animal related medical issues should develop a comprehensive plan for addressing them and implement the same.

- 4. All ungulate collections should be ear tagged for easy identification, breeding management and medical procedures.
- Most managed breeding programmes need a robust breeding (genetic management)
 program. It should be developed for most animals especially ungulate species. Plans
 to establish bachelor herds and limit breeding to one male per breeding season was
 strongly recommended.
- 6. Infrastructure such as chute systems, restraint devices for safe handling of animals as well as additional holding areas should be developed to improve management of animals. This would slow down population growth, control inbreeding and improve overall welfare of animals in select populations.
- 7. The night holding areas are inadequate in most zoos. They advised to increase the holding space, increasing lighting (natural & artificial), providing bedding materials (wood shavings, straw) and enrichment items.
- 8. It was suggested to develop a program to involve keepers in discussions with visitors of the zoos in "Keeper Chats" to share the information about species, its natural history and the current animals under their care.
- 9. The Government of India may want to consider establishing a 'Zoo Veterinary Cadre' so that the zoo veterinarians are able to stay in the job for extended period of time (several years) and gain experience managing wildlife species. The present system, wherein the veterinarian in the zoos for health care of the wild animals kept in captivity are employed on deputation basis from state animal husbandary department, lack experience or exposure on the part of such veterinarian in the health management of the wild animals.

The Member Secretary, CZA had also a series of discussions with the team and following areas have been identified as high priority for future training activities:

- (a) Zoo animal veterinary medicine
- (b) Animal identification and handling
- (c) Animal enrichment
- (d) Keeper training
- (e) Breeding/geneticmanagement etc.

6.0 Research & Education

The Central Zoo Authority reviewed the status of all research projects funded by the CZA. It was observed that many research projects are not progressing satisfactorily as per

the time line mentioned in the project proposal submitted to the CZA for financial assistance. Many of the projects have completed their time schedule mentioned in the MoU, but the project report has not been submitted. Accordingly, all the concerned authorities were advised to submit the pre-final draft report to the CZA for review and approval or to refund the amount released. In response, some zoos/organization/authorities have submitted the draft reports while one zoo has surrendered the financial assistance. The details of such projects are mentioned below:

S.No.	Name of the project	Institute/ organization/ zoo
1	Developing guidelines on principles of Zoo	School of Planning and
	Designing for Zoos in India.	Architecture, New Delhi
2	Reproductive biology, breeding behavior &	Indira Gandhi Zoological Park,
	enrichment needs of the wild dog in captivity &	Visakhapatnam
	observation on growth and cub development	
3	Project proposal for Conservation Breeding of	Zoological Garden, Alipore
	Brow Antlered Deer at National level in Indian	
	Zoos	
4	Research proposal for Population control	Arignar Anna Zoological Park,
	measures of prolifically breeding animals.	Vandalur, Chennai
5	Behavioral study on Clouded leopard	Sepahijala Zoo, Agartala
6	Standard protocol for maintaining live food for	Sri Chamaraejndra Zoological
	captive animals	Park Mysore
7	Developing manual for the zoo educators	Centre for Environment
		Education, Ahmedabad
8	Study on utilization pattern of enclosure by sloth	Wildlife SOS, New Delhi
	bear and enrichment requirement in non-	
	conventional captivity	
9	Conservation of endangered animals based on	CCMB/LaCONES, Hyderabad
	the genetic polymorphism studies and assisted	
	reproduction	
10	To prepare and maintain studbooks for	Wildlife Institute of India,
	endangered species	Dehradun
11	Red Panda Nutrition: Towards an integrated	Padmaja Naidu Himalayan
	approach	Zoological Park, Darjeeling
12	Species Recovery and Conservation Breeding	CWLW, Govt. Of Himachal

S.No.	Name of the project	Institute/ organization/ zoo
	Plan for the Cheer Pheasant	Pradesh
13	Creation of National Referral Centre for diagnosis of diseases affecting captive wild animals – To provide service and advice to Indian zoos related to healthcare issues.	IVRI, Bareilly
14	Conducting study on the anti-venom requirement vis-à-vis handling of the snakes	Madras Crocodile Bank Trust Mammalapuram
15	Preparation and updating, studbooks of sloth bear, Himalayan black bear, Brown bear and Malayan sun bear housed in the Indian zoos	Wildlife SOS New Delhi
16	Studies on biology, breeding behaviour and aviary practices for improved performance of captive Himalayan Pheasants	Padmaja Naidu Himalayan Zoological Park, Darjeeling

7.0 Publications

During the current financial year the Central Zoo Authority has published the following publications:

- 1. Calendar for the year 2017 with theme "Twenty five years of Central Zoo Authority" which has been widely appreciated.
- 2. The publication of Annual "Inventory of animals in Indian Zoos 2016-17".
- 3. Publication of Indian Zoo Year Book Vol.IX of 2017.

8.0 Financial assistance to Zoos

The Central Zoo Authority received Rupees Ten Crore (Rs. 7.75 crores + Rs. 2.25 Crores for salary) during the financial year 2016-17 as Grants-in-Aid from Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Government of India, which included fund for the development of zoos in North Eastern India. The entire grant was utilized to achieve its objectives and mandate, broadly under the head of Development of zoos, Conservation Breeding, Rescue & Rehabilitation, Research and Training and Operational cost. However, some savings was there under the Head "Salaries" due to non operation of Regional Offices of the CZA and non implementation of 7th CPC recommendations for the officers and employees of the CZA during the FY 2016-17, for which budgetary provisions were made.

8.1 Improvement of zoos

During the financial year 2016-17, the Central Zoo Authority has released Rs. 6,87,04,000/-for improvement of zoos including the maintenance of the rescue centre, conservation breeding, research & trainings etc. as per the details given below:

SI. No.	State	Name and location of the Zoo / Organization	Purpose	Grant Released (in Rs.)
1	Andhra	Indira Gandhi Zoological Park,	Rescue &	6,13,000
	Pradesh	Visakhapatnam	Rehabilitation	1
2	Arunachal	Itanagar Biological Park,	Conservation	23,75,000
	Pradesh	Itanagar	Breeding	
3	Bihar	Sanjay Gandhi Biological	Improvement of	48,69,000
		Park, Patna	zoos	
		Sanjay Gandhi Biological	Improvement of	6,41,000
		Park, Patna	zoos	
		Sanjay Gandhi Biological	Conservation	232,67,000
		Park, Patna	breeding	
		Sanjay Gandhi Biological	Improvement of	6,30,000
		Park, Patna	Zoos	2
		Sanjay Gandhi Biological	Training &	17,30,000
		Park, Patna	Workshop	. 2
4	Gujarat	Kamla Nehru Zoological Park,	Training &	3,20,000
		Kankaria Ahmedabad	Workshop	
5	Haryana	Vulture Conservation	Conservation	9,50,000
		Breeding Centre, Pinjore	Breeding Centre	1
6	Karnataka	Bannerghatta Biological Park	Improvement of	20,00,000
		Bengaluru	Zoos	
7	Kerala	State Museum & Zoo,	Improvement of	3,00,000
		Thirissur	zoos	
		Thiruvananthapuram Zoo	Training &	4,48,000
			Workshop	
8	Madhya	Kamla Nehru Prani	Improvement of	2,00,000
	Pradesh	Sangrahalya, Indore	zoos	7.
9	Mizoram	Aizawl Zoological Park, Aizawl	Improvement of zoos	25,57,000

SI. No.	State	Name and location of the Zoo / Organization	Purpose	Grant Released (in Rs.)
		Aizawl Zoological Park, Aizawl	Improvement of	29,33,000
			zoos	100
10		Nagaland Zoological Park,	Improvement of	48,00,000
		Rangapahar	zoos	
		Nagaland Zoological Park,	Improvement of	51,00,000
	Nagaland	Rangapahar	zoos	
	J	Nagaland Zoological Park,	Conservation	10,72,000
		Rangapahar	Breeding	L
		Nagaland Zoological Park,	Conservation	5,50,000
		Rangapahar	Breeding	1
11	Odisha	Nandankanan Zoological	Research	2,00,000
		Park, Bhubaneswar		
12		Nahargarh Biological Park,	Improvement of	21,29,000
	Rajasthan	Jaipur	Zoos	
		Nahargarh Biological Park,	Rescue &	4,61,000
		Jaipur	Rehabilitation	
		Nahargarh Biological Park,	Rescue &	5,68,000
		Jaipur	Rehabilitation	
13		Nehru Zoological Park,	Conservation	13,90,000
	Telangana	Hyderabad	Breeding	/
		Nehru Zoological Park,	Conservation	13,92,000
		Hyderabad	Breeding	
		LaCONES, CCMB,	Research	18,00,000
		Hyderabad	_	
14	Tamil Nadu	Arignar Anna Zoological Park,	Rescue &	12,41,000
		Vandalur	Rehabilitation	
15	Uttar	Indian Veterinary Research	Training	5,00,000
	Pradesh	Institute, Izatnagar, Bareilly	&Workshop	
	18	Kanpur Zoological Park	Training &	3,20,000
			Workshop	
16	Uttarakhand	Wildlife Institute of India,	Research	10,63,000
		Dehradun		
		Malsi Deer Park, Dehradun	Training &	24,85,000

SI. No.	State	Name and location of the Zoo / Organization	Purpose	Grant Released (in Rs.)
			Workshop	"
TOTAL	4			6,87,04,000

8.2 Grants released to Rescue Centers

The Government of India banned the display of lions, tigers, leopards, bears and monkeys in the circus in India through a notification issued on 14th October, 1998. The basic objective of imposing the ban was to provide congenial upkeep, housing and healthcare facilities to these animals keeping with the spirit of National Zoo Policy. The Central Zoo Authority had to assume the responsibility to rescue and rehabilitate these animals. The number of lions, tigers, leopards, bears and monkeys rescued from the circuses at that point of time was 375, 96, 21, 37 and 20 respectively. Keeping in view, the housing and upkeep requirements of these rescued animals and the non availability of such facility in the existing zoos of the country, it was felt to set up separate facility for these animals across the country. Accordingly, the Government of India agreed to create designated rescue facilities for these animals. The CZA was assigned the responsibility and requisite budgetary allocations were made in the budget of the Central Zoo Authority in the year 1999-2000. After finalizing the designs and enclosures of these facilities, seven rescue centres were created for these animals at Bangalore, Chennai, Tirupati, Vishakhapatnam, Bhopal, South Khairbari and Jaipur. The day to day operation and maintenance of these rescue centres has been assigned to the nearby zoo concerned in whose campus such factility has been set up. It is a life time care facility for these animals. Accordingly, the Central Zoo Authority is continuously providing financial grant to the concerned zoos for operation and maintenance of these seven rescue centres. The grants are being given for feed, upkeep and health care of these animals. The laid down standard and norms in this regard are being strictly followed.

Over the years, since setting up of these rescue centres, the animals has died due to natural process and at present the number of rescued lions and tigers from the circuses has come down to 59 and 8 respectively. During the financial year 2016-17, the Central Zoo Authority has provided an amount of Rs. 28.83 lakhs for upkeep, feed and medicine etc. to three (out of total six) Rescue Centres as per the following detail:

11 175.	SI. No.	Amount in	Name and location of Rescue Centre
3,000	1	6,13	Indira Gandhi Zoological Park, Vishakhapatnam
	1	6,13	Indira Gandhi Zoological Park, Vishakhapatnam

Nahargarh Biological Park, Jaipur	10,29,000
Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Vandalur, Chennai	12,41,000
Total	28,83,000
	Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Vandalur, Chennai

The other zoos, mandated with the responsibility of the operation and maintenance of the remaining rescue centres for circus animals, were not provided fund since they were having savings from the previous year grants released by the CZA for the same purpose.

9.0 Annual Audited Accounts and Audit Report:

The final audit of the accounts of the Central Zoo Authority for the financial year 2016 – 17 has been conducted by the Principal Director of Audit, Scientific Department of CAG, Government of India. Balance Sheet, Income & Expenditure Accounts, Recipt and Payment as on 31st March, 2017 with schedules are placed at **Annexure I & II.**

FORM OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (NON-PROFIT ORGANISATIONS)

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

(Amount in ₹`)

CORPUS/CAPITAL FUND AND LIABILITIES	Schedule	Current Year	Previous Year
Corpus/Capital Fund	1	2,11,50,235	55,65,576
Reserves and Surplus	2	141	-
Earmarked/Endowment Funds	3	-	-
Secured Loans and Borrowings	4	-	-
Unsecured Loans and Borrowings	5	-	-
Deferred Credit Liabilities	6	-	-
Current Liabilities and Provisions	7	6,10,265	7,19,816
TOTAL		2,17,60,500	62,85,392
ASSETS			
Fixed Assets	8	32,95,625	38,91,620
Investments- From Earmarked/Endowment Funds	9	-	_
Investments-Others	10	-	-
Current Assets, Loans, advances Etc.	11	1,84,64,875	23,93,772
Miscellaneous Expenditure(to the extent not			
written off or adjusted)			
TOTAL		2,17,60,500	62,85,392
Significant Accounting Policies	24		
Contingent Liabilities and Notes on Accounts	25		

FORM OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (NON-PROFIT ORGANISATIONS)

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED ON 31.03.2017

(Amount in ₹)

INCOME	Schedule	Current Year	Previous Year
Income from Sales/Services	12		
Grants/Subsidies	13	10,93,30,445	10,01,53,757
Fees/Subscriptions	14	6,07,475	4,95,000
Income from Investments (Income on		-	
Investment From Earmarked/Endow.) Funds	15		
transferred to Funds			
Income from Royalty, publication etc.	16	-	(*)
Interest Earned	17	2,89,544	7,124
Other Income	18	5,776	7,450
TOTAL (A)		11,02,33,240	10,06,63,331
EXPENDITURE			
Increase/Decease in stock of finished goods &	19		
Work-in-progress			
Establishment Expenses	20	1,29,66,760	1,09,01,821
Other Administrative Expenses etc.	21	1,61,96,732	2,19,88,161
Expenditure on Grants, Subsidies etc.	22	6,46,84,370	7,37,30,395
Interest	23	-	= :
Depreciation (Net Total at the year-end -	8	8,00,719	10,43,226
Schedule 8)			
TOTAL (B)		9,46,48,581	10,76,63,603
Excess of Income over Expenditure (A-B)		1,55,84,659	(70,00,272)
Transfer to Special Reserve (Specify each)		-	-
Transfer to/from General Reserve		-	*
Balance Being Surplus Carried to		1,55,84,659	(70,00,272)
Corpus/Capital Fund			
Balance Being Deficit Carried to			
Corpus/Capital Fund			
Significant Accounting Policies	24		
Contingent Liabilities and Notes on Accounts	25		

FORM OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (NON-PROFIT ORGANISATIONS)

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31.03.2017

(Amount in ₹)

Receipts	Current Year	Previous Year	Payments	Current Year	Previous Year
I. Opening			1. Expenses		
Balances					
(a) Cash in			(a)	1,34,17,398	1,04,09,380
Hand		-	Establishment		
			Expenses		1911
			(corresponding to		
			Schedule 20)		
(i) Imprest	15,000	15,000			
(b) Bank			(b) Administrative	28,60,050	1,41,08,276
Balances		, = ,	Expenses		
			(corresponding to		
			Schedule 21)		
(i) In current	11,74,568	34,29,511			
accounts					
(ii) In deposit	-	-			
accounts					
(iii) Savings	.=.				
accounts					
II. Grants			II. Payments		
Received			made against		
			funds for		
			various projects		
(a) From	10,00,00,000	9,88,00,000	(Name of the		
Government of			fund or project		
India			should be shown		
			along with the		
			particulars of		
			payments made		
			for each project)		

Receipts	Current Year	Previous Year	Payments	Current Year	Previous Year
(b) From State	(#.)	: - -			
Government					
(c) From other			(a) Grants-in-aid	6,48,04,370	7,37,30,395
sources	-	340	to Zoos		
(details) -		k .			
Countries For					
SAAR					
(Grants for			(b) Monitoring &	7,66,766	7,20,693
capital &	-		Evaluation of		
revenue exp.			Zoos		
To be shown					
separately)					
			(c) Research	35,63,000	34,10,000
			Projects		
			(d) Training,	90,29,552	37,53,714
			Workshop		
			Conference		
			(e) Expenses on		·+
			WAZA		
			Conferences		
			(f) Education &		
			Awareness		-
			(g) Exgratia		
			payment to		
			closed mobile		
			zoos		
			(h) Transportation		.**
			of Animals		
III. Income on			III. Investments		
investements			& Deposits		
from			made		
(a) Earmarked/			(a) Out of		-
Endowment	-	*	Earmarked/		
Funds			Endowment		
			funds		
(b) Own Funds			(b) Out of own		-
(Oth.	€	9	funds		

Receipts	Current Year	Previous Year	Payments	Current Year	Previous Year
Investment)			(Investments-		
			Others)		
IV. Interest			IV. Expenditure		
Received			on fixed Assets		
			& capital work-		
			in-progress		
(a) On bank			(a) Purchase of	1,85,728	18,94,271
deposits	2,89,544	*	fixed assets		
(b) Loans,			(b) Expenditure		
Advances etc.	-	-	on capital work-		
			in-progress -		
			Advance to		
			NICSI		
V. Other			V. Refund of		
Income			surplus		
(Specify)			money/loans		
Fees received	6,07,475	5,10,000	(a) to the		No.
from Zoos with			Government of		
Application of			India		
Recognition					
Fees received			(b) to the State		
from Application	5,776	2,976	Government		
under RTI					
Seminar/Progra	ie.	-	(c) to other		-
m fees (WAZA			providers of		
Registration			funds		
Fees)					
VI. Amount			VI. Finance		
Borrowed			Charges		
			(Interest)		
VII. Any other			VII Other		
receipts (give			Payments		
details)			(Specify)		
(a) Misc.	1,76,687	2,677	(a) Payment of	9,04,652	11,56,334
Receipts			TDS		
(b) Unspent	93,30,445	13,53,757	(b) Security	20,000	10,000
balance of Gr.			Deposit		

Receipts	Current Year	Previous Year	Payments	Current Year	Previous Year
In Aid refunded			(Released)		
by Zoos/CPWD					
(c) Interest on		7,124	(c) Amount		-
Car/Scooter		8	adjustable (By		
Adv.			other deptt.) -		
			NBWL Meeting		
			Exp.		
(d) Security	1,10,000	15,000	(d) Staff		22,500
deposit	1,10,000	10,000	advances		22,000
(e) Recovery of	13,264	60,86,723	(e) Payment to	14,83,650	18,69,859
Advances			other Depatt,		
			(Recoveries from		
			pay bills)		
(f) Recovery of	9,04,652	11,56,334	(f) Advance	:77:	26,436
TDS			Payment for		
			Purchases		
(g) Staff	96,416	1,10,556	(g) Payment for		6,42,091
Advance			Wild Life Week		
recovery			Celebration		
(h) License fee			(h) Payment to	1 <u>2</u> -3	10,53,750
	.=		CPWD for		
			Renovation		
(i) Recovery	14,83,650	18,69,859	(i) Payment to	15,000	-
from pay bills,			Prepaid _	= =	
adjustable by			Expenses		
other					
Departments		5.000	(1) 50 6 1 6		45.000
(j) Sale proceed	-	5,600	(j) Refund of	:	15,000
of assets			Fees received		
			from Zoos with		
			Application of		
(k) Unament OIA			Recognition		500
(k) Unspent GIA			(k) Refund of Fees received	*	500
	_	~			
			from Application under RTI		
(I) Remittance			under IVII		
(i) Neimilance					

Receipts	Current Year	Previous Year	Payments	Current Year	Previous Year
of Leave salary	1,50,176	-			
and pension					
contribution					
(m) Receipt for					
Expenses on	X 4 2	-			
behalf of other					
Organizations					
- Wild Life		6,47,650			
Week Celeb.					
- Reg. fee for					
Waza	•	-			
(n) Expenses					
Reimbursable	-	=			
by MOEF					
(o) Remittance	1,00,911		VIII. Closing		
of		-	Balances		
Supperannuatio					
n and PPF					
Contribution of					
Deputationist					
(p) Refund of			(a) Cash in Hand		
Telephone	· ·	-			
Security					
			Imprest	15,000	15,000
			(b) Bank		i.
			Balances	3	
			(i) In current	1,73,93,398	11,74,568
			accounts		
			(ii) In deposit	-	141
			accounts		
			(iii) Savings	241	-
			accounts		
TOTAL	11,44,58,564	11,40,12,767	TOTAL	11,44,58,564	11,40,12,767

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 1/2 CORPUS/CAPITAL FUND

SCHEDULE 1 - CORPUS/CAPITAL FUND	Current Year	Previous Year
Balance as at the beginning of the year	55,65,576	1,25,54,451
Add: Contributions towards Corpus/CZA Fund	-	
Add: Balance of net income- Transferred from the Income and Expenditure Account	1,55,84,659	(70,00,272)
Deduct: Balance of net income- Transferred from the Income and Expenditure Account	-	-
Add: Short/Excess Provisions / Prior Period Items	-	11,397
TOTAL	2,11,50,235	55,65,576

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 2 -RESERVES AND SURPLUS

	Current Year	Previous Yea	ır
SCHEDULE 2 -RESERVES AND			
SURPLUS:			
1. Capital Reserve:			
As per last Account	-	-	
Addition during the year	-	-	
Less: Deductions during the year	-		-
2. Revaluation Reserve:			
As per last Account	-	-	
Addition during the year	-	-	
Less: Deductions during the year	-		-
3. Special Reserve:			
As per last Account	-	-	
Addition during the year	-	=	
Less: Deductions during the year	-		-
4. General Reserve:			
As per last Account	-	-	
Addition during the year	-	-	
Less: Deductions during the year	ş. . .		-
TOTAL		-	-

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 3 - EARMARKED/ ENDOWMENT FUNDS

(Amount in ₹)

COUEDINE 2 FARMARIZED!	FUND-W	ISE BRE	AK UP	TOTALS		
SCHEDULE 3 - EARMARKED/ ENDOWMENT FUNDS	Fund ww	Fund xx	Fund yy	Fund zz	Current Year	Previous year
a) Opening balance of the funds		-	-	-	-	
b) Additions to the Funds:	-	-	-	-	-	
i) Donations	:=	(m)	-	-	-	-
ii) Income from investments made on account of funds	:					87
iii) Other Additions (specify nature)	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL (a+b)	-	-	-	-	•	-
c) Utilization/Expenditure towards objectives of funds						
i) Capital Expendiutre						
- Fixed Assets	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Others	(A)	-	-		-	-
Total		-	-	-	-	-
ii) Revenue Expendiutre						
-Salaries Wages & Allowances	-	-	-	-	-	-
-Rent	-	-		9.5	-	-
-Others Administrative Expenses	-	-		-	_	-
TOTAL (c)	-	-		-	-	-
NET BALANCE AS AT THE YEAR END		_		-		-
(A+B-C)						

Notes:

- 1. Disclosures shall be made under relevant heads based on conditions attaching to the grants.
- 2. Plan Funds received from the Central/state Governments are to be shown as separate Funds and not to be mixed up with any other Funds.

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 4 -SECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS

	Current Yea	аг	Previous Ye	ar
SCHEDULE 4 -SECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS:				
Central Government		-		-
2. State Government		_		-
3. Financial Institution				
a) Term Loans	-		-	
- Interest accrued and due	-	-	-	-
4. Banks				
a) Term Loans	-		-	
- Interest accrued and due	-	-	-	-
b) Other Loans (specify)	-		-	
- Interest accrued and due	-	-	-	-
5. Other Institutions and Agencies		-		-
6. Debenture and Bonds		-		-
7. Other (specify)		-		-
TOTAL		•		-

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 5 - UNSECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS

	Current Year	Previous Year
SCHEDULE 5 -UNSECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS:		
Central Government	-	: -
2. State Government	-	:w
3. Financial Institution	-	
4. Banks		
a) Term Loans	-	-
b) Other Loans	-	F
5. Other Institutions and Agencies	-	2
6. Debenture and Bonds	-	-
7. Fixed Depoists		-
8. Other (specify)	-	-
TOTAL	:-	

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 6 -DEFERRED CREDIT LIABILITIES

Current Year	Previous Year
-	237
-	
-:	94

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 7 - CURRENT LIABILITIES AND PROVISIONS

	Current Year	Previous Year
SCHEDULE 7 - CURRENT LIABILITIES AND		
PROVISIONS		
A CURRENT LIABILITIES		
1. Acceptances	-	
2. Sundry Creditors:	-	-
a) For Good	-	
b) Others (For WAZA Expenses)	1,47,000	1,47,000
3. Interest accrued but not due on: (Over-recovered		
Interest on Scooter Adv.)		
a) Secured Loans/borrowings	-	-
b) Unsecured Loans / Borrowings	-	-
4. Other current Liabilities	-	
(i) Unspent Grants-in-Aid	-	:-
(ii) Unspent amount of Wild Life Week Celebration	5,559	5,559
(iii) Security Refundable	1,60,000	70,000
TOTAL (A)	3,12,559	2,22,559
B. PROVISIONS		
For Taxation	-	-
2. Gratuity	-	-
3. Superannuation/Pension	-	-
(i) Contribution to supperannuation scheme	-	-
Accumulated Leave Encashment	-	-
5. Trade Warranties/Claims	-	
6. Others (Specify) - Salary Payable	-	1,99,551
7. Telephone Charges Payable		_
8. Leave salary & Pension Contribution	2,97,706	2,97,706
9. TA Operational Payable	-	

	Current Year	Previous Year
10. Audit Fees Payable	-	-
11. Photocopy Expenses Payable	-	-
12.OTA Payable	-	-
TOTAL (B)	2,97,706	4,97,257
TOTAL (A+B)	6,10,265	7,19,816

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 8 - Fixed Assets

DESCRIPTION		GROSS	GROSS BLOCK	<u> </u>		DEPRECIATION	IATION				4 6 1 1	NET BLOCK	OCK
	Cost/ value at the	Additions during the year (b)	during	Deduction s during	Cost/ value at	Depre- ciation Rate	On assests	On additions during the year (g)	ns during	On Deduction	Total Up to the	As at the end of	As at the end of
	beginning of the year (a)	04/16-	10/16-	the year (c)	end (b)	(e)	of the year (f)	04/16- 09/16	10/16-	the year (h)	year-end (i)	year (d - i)	previous year
Tangible Assets													
Computer/ peripherals	2,46,326	1,27,896	58,250	E:	4,32,472	09	1,47,796	76,738	17,475		2,42,009	1,90,463	2,46,326
Furniture, Fixtures	18,95,479	1	6	ı:	18,95,479	10	1,89,548	1.	í		1,89,548	17,05,931	18,95,479
Office equipment	4,06,112	18,578	i	Ti .	4,24,690	15	60,917	2,787	ï		63,704	3,60,986	4,06,112
Vehicle	3,04,678	100	Ė	r	3,04,678	15	45,702		ï		45,702	2,58,976	3,04,678
Intangible													

DESCRIPTION		GROSS	BLOCK	~		DEPRECIATION	IATION					NET BLOCK	OCK
	Cost/ value at the	Additions during the year (b)	during	Deduction s during	Cost/ value at the vear	Depre- clation Rate	On assests beginning	On additions during the year (g)	ns during	On Deduction	Total Up to the	As at the end of	As at the end of
	beginning of the year (a)	04/16-	10/16-	the year (c)	(p)	(e)	of the year (f)	04/16- 09/16	10/16-	the year (h)	year-end (i)	year (d - i)	previous
Assets													
Computer Software	10,39,025	80)	x	(0)	10,39,025	25	2,59,756	Ē.	r	₹,	2,59,756	7,79,269	10,39,025
TOTAL FOR THE CURRENT YEAR	38,91,620	1,46,474	58,250		40,96,344		7,03,719	79,525	17,475	(4)	8,00,719	32,95,625	38,91,620
PREVIOUS YEAR	30,41,201	30,41,201 18,69,634	24,637	375	49,34,846		6,86,155	3,53,396	4,050	150	10,43,226	10,43,226 38,91,620 30,41,201	30,41,201

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 9 - INVESTMENTS FROM EARMARKED/ ENDOWMENT FUNDS

	Current Year	Previous Year
SCHEDULE 9 -INVESTMENTS FROM EARMARKED/ ENDOWMENT FUNDS		
1. In Government Securities	+	
2. Other Approved Securities	-	-
3. Shares	-	-
4. Debenture and Bonds	-	
5. Subsidiaries and Joint Ventures	ш	**
6. Other (specify)		<u> </u>
TOTAL	-	-

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 10 - INVESTMENTS OTHERS

Current Year	Previous Year
-	-
-	-
:-	n-
-	
(de)	-
-	-
700	-

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 11 -- CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS, ADVANCES ETC.

	Current Year	Previous Year
A. CURRENT ASSETS:		
1. Inventories:		
a) Stores and Spares	-	-
b) Loose Tools	-	
c) Stock-in-trade		
Finished Goods	-	-
Work-in-progress	*	-
Raw Materials	-	-
2. Sundry Debtors:		
a) Debts Outstanding for a period exceeding 6 months	÷	-
b) Others	-	-
3. Cash balances in hand (including cheques/drafts and		
imprest)		
Cash- In - Hand	-	-
Imprest	15,000	15,000
4. Bank Balances:		
a) With Scheduled Banks:		
- On Current Accounts	1,73,93,398	11,74,568
- On Deposit Accounts (includes margin money)	· ·	-
- On Savings Accounts	-	ξ π .
b) With non-Schedules Banks:		
- On Current Accounts		-
- On Deposit Accounts	-	-
- On Savings Accounts	G-	
5. Post Office-Savings Accounts	-	-
TOTAL (A)	1,74,08,398	11,89,568

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 11 -CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS, ADVANCES ETC.

	Current Year	Previous Year
B. LOANS, ADVANCES AND OTHER ASSETS:		
1. Loans:		
a) Staff	4,87,895	5,84,311
b) Other Entities engaged in activities/ objectives similar to that of the Entity	-	i=
c) Other (specify)	-	
Advances and other amounts recoverable in cash or for value to be received		
a) On Capital Account	-	-
b) Advance Payment for Purchases		26,436
Expenses Reimbursable by MOEF	-	-
Advance Payment to NISCI for Computer Software	-	-
Advance Payment to CPWD for Renovation	5,05,127	5,05,127
Petrol Account	15,000	5,000
Prepaid Expenses	7,450	15,570
3. Income Accrued:	-	-
a) On Investments from Earmarked/ Endowment funds	-	-
b) On Investments- Others	•	-
c) On Loans and Advances	-	-
d) Others (includes income due unrealized – Rs)	-	-
4. Claims Receivable	-	
5. Stock of Stationery	41,005	67,760
TOTAL (B)	10,56,477	12,04,204
TOTAL (A + B)	1,84,64,875	23,93,772

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 12 - INCOME FROM SALES/SERVICES

	Current Year	Previous Year
SCHEDULE 12 -INCOME FROM SALES/SERVICES		
1. Income from Sales		
a) Sale of Finished Goods		-
b) Sale of Raw Material	-	-
c) Sale of Scraps	-	-
2. Income from Services		
a) Labour and Processing Charges	-	•
b) Professional/Consultancy Charges	-	en
c) Agency Commission and Brokerage	-	-
d) Maintenance Services (Equipment/Property)	-	-
e) Others (specify)	-	
TOTAL	-	-

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNTFOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 13 - GRANTS/SUBSIDIES

	Current Year	Previous Year
SCHEDULE 13 - GRANTS/SUBSIDIES		
(Irrevocable Grants & Subsidies Received)		
Central Government	10,00,00,000	9,88,00,000
2. State Government(s)	-	-
Government Agencies		(*
4. Institutions/Welfare Bodies	-	-
5. International Organisations	-	-
6. Others (Specify) Grant from SAARC	-	-
Total	10,00,00,000	9,88,00,000
Unspent balance of last years	-	-
Unspent balance of Grant in Aid refunded by Zoos during the year 2016-17	93,30,445	13,53,757
GRAND TOTAL	10,93,30,445	10,01,53,757

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 14 - FEES/SUBSCRIPTIONS

	Current Year	Previous Year
SCHEDULE 14 - FEES/SUBSCRIPTIONS		
1. Entrance Fees	-	-
2. Annual Fees/Subscriptions	-	-
Seminar/Program fees (WAZA Registration Fees)		-
4. Consultancy Fees	-	-
5. Others (Specify)	~	-
(i) Received from Zoos with application for Recogination/ Renewal	6,07,475	4,95,000
TOTAL	6,07,475	4,95,000

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 15 - INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS

SCHEDULE 15 - INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS:		Investment from Earmarked Fund		Investment - Others	
(Income on Invest. From Earmarked/ Endowment Funds transferred to Funds)	Current Year	Previous Year	Current Year	Previous Year	
1.Interest	.>				
a) On Govt. Securiteis	-	-	-	-	
b) Other Bonds/Debentures	-	-	:+:	-	
2. Dividend					
a) On Shares	-	-		**	
b) On Mutual Fund Securities	(#)	-	-	-	
3. Rent		-	-	-	
4. Other(specify)	-	¥	-	*	
TOTAL	-		-		
TRANSFERRED TO EARMARKED/ ENDOWMNET FUNDS		-	-		

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 16 - INCOME*FROM ROYALTY, PUBLICATION ETC.

	Current Year	Previous Year
SCHEDULE 16 -INCOME FROM ROYALTY, PUBLICATION ETC.		
1. Income from Royalty	-	.=
2. Income from Publication	+	1/2
3. Others (specify)	7	-
TOTAL		

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 17 - INTEREST EARNED ON TERM DEPOSITS/SAVING ACCOUNTS/LOAN

	Current Year	Previous Year
SCHEDULE 17 - INTEREST EARNED ON TERM		
DEPOSITS/SAVING ACCOUNTS/LOAN		
1. On Term Deposits:		
a) With Scheduled Bank	-	-
b) With Non-Scheduled Bank	-	•
c) With Institutions	=	•
d) Others	-	*
2. On Saving Accounts:		
a) With Scheduled Bank	2,89,544	_
b) With Non-Scheduled Bank	-	-
c) Post Office Saving Account	-	-
d) Others	-	-
3. On Loans:		
a) Employees/Staff	-	7,124
b) Others	*	-
4. Interest on Debtors and Other Receivables	-	
TOTAL	2,89,544	7,124

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 18 - OTHER INCOME

	Current Year	Previous Year
SCHEDULE 18 - OTHER INCOME		
Profit on Sale/disposal of Assets :	-	4,974
a) Owned Assets	-	
b) Assets acquired out of grants, or received free of cost	-	
2. Export Incentives realized	-	
3. Fees for Miscellaneous Services (RTI)	5,776	2,476
4. Miscellaneous Income	-	-
Total	5,776	7,450

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES 20 FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31.3.2017

SCHEDULE 19 - INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN STOCK OF FINISHED GOODS & WORK IN PROGRESS

SCHEDULE 19 - INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN		
STOCK OF FINISHED GOODS & WORK IN		
PROGRESS		
a) Closing Stock		
- Finished Goods	-	~
- Work-in-progress	-	-
b) Opening Stock		
- Finished Goods	-	-
- Work-in-progress	-	**
NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) [a-b]	-	-

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES 20 FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31.3.2017

SCHEDULE 20 - ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES

	Current Year	Previous Year
SCHEDULE 20 - ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES		
a) Salaries and Wages	1,15,96,847	1,00,17,915
b) Allowances and Bonus	82,896	27,632
c) Contribution to Provident Fund	-	-
d) Contribution to Other Fund (specify)		
Superannuation Scheme	6,54,683	3,66,029
e) Staff Welfare Expenses	2,93,957	2,19,404
f) Expenses on Employees' Retirement & Terminal Benefits		
g) Others (specify)		
Leave Salary & Pension Contributions	3,38,377	2,70,841
TOTAL	1,29,66,760	1,09,01,821

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31.3.2017

SCHEDULE 21- OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES ETC.

	Current Year	Previous Year
a. Purchases (Stationary)	2,28,064	1,79,588
b. Conveyance and Cartage	22,866	37,897
c. Repairs and maintenance (General + Computer)	36,310	63,667
d Vehicles Running Expenses	1,54,384	1,40,709
e. Vehicals Maintenance	1,56,759	58,118
f. Postage, Telephone and Communication Charges	1,66,904	2,08,114
g. Printing, Publication and Periodicals	1,11,002	6,56,901
h. Travelling Expenses	13,89,790	17,01,394
i. Legal & Professional Expenses	20,114	39,885
j. Hospitality Expenses	97,141	51,505
k. Advertisement and Publicity	54,071	1,30,939
I. Audit Fees	-	
m. Others (specify)	-	-
n. Bank Charges	1,082	-
o. Other Expenses#	44,057	4,71,551
p. Membership fees	3,68,664	2,78,931
q. Rent, Rates & Taxes	-	52,16,748
r. Dificit on sale of unusable assets/Disposal of Assets	-	-
s. Repairs and maintenance of Building	-	48,67,807
Total (I)	28,51,208	1,41,03,754
II. Payments Against Various Projects		
Expenses on Training, Workshop & Conferences	90,29,552	37,53,714
Expenses on WAZA Conferences	#	-
Expesnes on Research Projects	35,63,000	34,10,000
Monitoring & Evaluation Of Zoos	7,52,972	7,20,693
Ex-Gratia Payment to closed Mobile Zoos	-	-
Transportation Of Animals	-	-

	Current Year	Previous Year
Total (II)	1,33,45,524	78,84,407
III. Unspent balance of GIA refundable to Ministry	w	-
TOTAL (I+II+III)	1,61,96,732	2,19,88,161

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR ENDED 31.3.2017

SCHEDULE 22- EXPENDITURE ON GRANTS, SUBSIDIES ETC.

	Current Year	Previous Year
SCHEDULE 22- EXPENDITURE ON GRANTS, SUBSIDIES ETC.		
a. Grant given to Institutions/ Organisations		
Grant released to various zoos	6,46,84,370.00	7,37,30,395.00
Unspent grants-in-aid refundable to ministry	п	-
b. Subsidies given to Institutions/ Organisations	_	-
TOTAL	6,46,84,370.00	7,37,30,395.00

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE PEIROD/YEAR ENDED 31.03.2017

SHEDULE 23 - INTEREST ON LOANS/FIXED LOAN

SCHEDULE 23 - INTEREST ON	Current Year	Previous Year
LOANS/FIXED LOAN		
a) On Fixed Loan		
b) On Other Loans (including Bank Charges)	-	•
c) Other (specify)	-	-
TOTAL	•	-

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2017

SHEDULE 24-SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1 Basis of Accounting

The Financial Statements are prepared under the historical cost convention on accrual basis and are in accordance with generally accepted accounting practices.

2 Fixed Assets

Fixed Assets are stated at cost of acquisition which includes freight, duties and taxes relating to their acquisition less accumulated depreciation.

3 Depreciation

Depreciation on Fixed Assets is provided on written down value at the rates provided in the Income Tax Act. Assets acquired after Sept. have been depreciated at half of the rate of depreciation prescribed for an asset.

4 General

Accounting policies not specifically mentioned are otherwise in consonance with generally accepted accounting practices.

Name of Entity CENTRAL ZOO AUTHORITY SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31.03.2017

SCHEDULE 25-CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND NOTES ON ACCOUNTS

1. Contingent Liabilities

Claims against the Entity not acknowledged as debts - NIL (Previous year NIL).

2. Capital Commitments

Estimated value of contracts remaining to be executed on Capital account and not provided for (net of advances) - NIL (Previous year NIL).

3. Current assets, Loans and Advances

In the opinion of the Management, the Current Assets, Loans and Advances have a value on realization in the ordinary course of business, equal at least to the aggregate amount shown in the Balance Sheet.

- 4. Corresponding figures for the previous year have been regrouped/ rearranged, wherever necessary.
- Schedule 1 to 25 annexed form an integral part of the Balance Sheet as at 31st
 March, 2017 and the Income and expenditure Account for the year ended on that date.
- 6. The amount released to the various zoos has been accounted for as expenditure for the year in which the same was released.
- 7. During the financial year 2015-16, a payment of Rs. 26,436/- was made to M/s Amazon.com for purchase of 4 nos. Hard Disk Dirve and 4 nos. of Lenova Power Bank for official uses which were received in April, 2016 (2016-17) and hence the

- accounting adjustments were made in this financial year. "Advance for Expenses" and excess amount of Rs. 144/- was deposited with the bank.
- 8. During the financial year 2012-13, an amount of Rs. 1,20,000/- only released to Thirssur Zoo, Thiruvananthapuram (Kerala) for preparation of the Master Plan of the Zoo. The financial assistance was released by Demand Draft which was returned by the zoo for correction/revalidation but got misplaced in transiction and fresh D.D of Rs. 3.00 lakhs was released by adjusting the same from the Grant to Zoo as "Development Work".
- 9. During the financial year a securituy deposit of Rs. 1,00,000/- was received from M/s Alankit Ltd for hiring man power on outsources basis for a period from 8/2/2017 to 31/1/2018. Due to change of service provider for supply for supply of POL, security deposit of Rs. 5000/- with Gymkhana Services Station, New Delhi has been adjusted from the final payment and Rs. 15,000/- paid to M/s Automotives, New Delhi availing services on credit basis by adjusting the same from Current Assests as "Advance for Expenses".

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10. Budget allocation for 2016-17 of CZA for "Salaries" was Rs. 225.00 Lakhs. However, due to non operational of the 5 Regional Offices and non implementation of 7th CPC reccommedations, Rs. 134.17 lakhs could be utilized from the said grant-in –aid during the year.

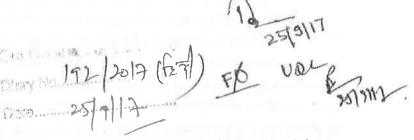
कार्यालय प्रधान निदेशक लेखापरीक्षा वैज्ञानिक विभाग, नई दिल्ली

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दिनांकः 20.09.2017

सेवा में,

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विषय: वर्ष 2016-17 के लिए Central Zoo Authority, New Delhi का पृथक लेखापरीक्षा प्रतिवेदन। महोदय,

मुझे वर्ष 2016—17 के लिए Central Zoo Authority, New Delhi का पृथक लेखापरीक्षा प्रतिवेदन अग्रेषित करने का निर्देश हुआ है।

संसद के दोनों सदनों में प्रस्तुत करने से पहले वर्ष 2016—17 के वार्षिक लेखों को संस्थान के शासी निकाय द्वारा अनुमोदित किया/अपनाया जाए तथा इस संबंध में शासी निकाय द्वारा ज़ारी किया गया रेज़ोल्यूशन ऑडिट को भेजा जाए। प्रत्येक दस्तावेज जो संसद में प्रस्तुत किया जाए उसकी तीन प्रतियाँ इस कार्यालय तथा दो प्रतियाँ भारत के नियंत्रक महालेखापरीक्षक को अग्रेषित की जाए। संसद के दोनों सदनों में प्रस्तुत करने की तिथियाँ भी इस कार्यालय को सूचित की जाए।

संलग्नक:- पृथक लेखापरीक्षा प्रतिवेदन व मैनेजमेंट लेटर

निदेशक (पर्या.ले.)

Separate Audit Report on the Accounts of Central Zoo Authority, for the year ended 31 March, 2017

- 1. We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of the Central Zoo Authority (CZA), as at 31st March 2017, the Income & Expenditure Account and the Receipts & Payments Account for the year ended 31.03.2017 under Section 19(2) of the Comptroller & Auditor General's (Duties, Powers & Conditions of Service) Act, 1971 read with Section 38G of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972. These financial statements are the responsibility of the CZA's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.
- 2. This draft Separate Audit Report contains the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India (CAG) on the accounting treatment only with regard to classification, conformity with the best accounting practices, accounting standards and disclosure norms, etc. Audit observations on financial transactions with regard to compliance with the Law, Rules & Regulations (Propriety and Regularity) and efficiency-cumperformance aspects, etc., if any, are reported through Inspection Reports/CAG's Audit Reports separately.
- 3. We have conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. These standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatements. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidences supporting the amounts and disclosure in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of financial statements. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.
- 4. Based on our audit, we report that:
 - (i) We have obtained all the information and explanations, which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit.
 - (ii) The Balance Sheet, Income & Expenditure Account and Receipts & Payments Account dealt with by this report have been drawn up in the format approved by the Ministry of Finance.
 - (iii) In our opinion, proper books of accounts and other relevant records have been maintained by the CZA as required under Section 38G of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 in so far as it appears from our examination of such books.
 - (iv) We further report that:

A) Balance Sheet

Fixed Assets

- (i) CZA charged depreciation on Computer Software of the value of ₹ 10,39,025 at the rate of 25 per cent instead of 60 per cent as per the Income Tax Act. Thus, due to charging less depreciation on computer software, value of fixed assets of CZA as on 31.03.2017 remained overstated to the extent of ₹3.64 lakh (₹623415¹ ₹259756).
- (ii) The fixed assets of CZA includes 3 items of office equipment and 4 items of furniture & fixture which deprecated value was Rs.0.36 lakh as on 31.03.2017, these assets were transferred to Delhi Zoo from CZA. Thus, due to inclusion of these assets in CZA accounts, the fixed assets was overstated by these amounts.

Current Liabilities and Provisions

- (iii) The CZA could not utilized grant of ₹ 94.84 lakh, out of grant of ₹ 225 lakh under the head Salaries. No refund of unutilized grant was made by CZA to the ministry. No provision for liability for unutilized grant was made in the accounts.
- (vi) CZA did not make provision for 'Salary' for the month of March 2017 as well as for 'Audit fees' in the Schedule-7 Current Liabilities and Provisions.

B) Income & Expenditure Account

- (i) As per Schedule 13- Grants/Subsides an amount of ₹1093.30 lakh was shown as received and taken into "Income and Expenditure Account" as income during the year. However, this amount includes ₹93.30 lakh which was unspent balances of Grant-in-aid refunded by zoos during 2016-17 which was not revalidated by the Ministry. Hence, the above discrepancy in the Income and Expenditure Account resulted in overstatement of Income by ₹93.30 lakh.
- (ii) Accrued interest amounting to ₹15152.00 for the period from 26.03.2017 to 31.03.2017 was not taken as income in the Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31.03.2017 which resulted in understatement of income to the same extent.

C) General:

- (i) 12 cheque amounting to ₹ 80651 were issued by CZA till 31.03.2017 were became time barred as they were not presented for payment till 31.06.2017. Further, Demand Draft amounting to ₹ 678 were received by CZA were not credited by bank in their accounts. These cheque should be revert back and demand draft should be reconciled with bank promptly.
- (ii) No provision for retirement benefit was made in accounts as required as per AS-15.

^{1 60%} of₹1039025.00

D) Grants-in-Aid:

CZA received ₹1000.00 lakh as Grants-in-aid, ₹6.13 lakh as fees/subscriptions/other income, ₹2.90 lakh as bank interest and ₹93.30 lakh as unspent balance of previous years. Out of the total income of ₹1102.33 lakh, CZA expended ₹946.49 lakh resulting unspent balance of ₹155.84 lakh. Further ₹ 94.84 lakh to be refunded to the ministry on account of head "Salaries".

E) Management letter

Deficiencies which have not been included in the Audit Report have been brought to the notice of the Member Secretary, CZA through a management letter issued separately for remedial/corrective action.

- (v) Subject to our observations in the preceding paragraphs, we report that the Balance Sheet, Income & Expenditure Accounts and Receipts & Payments Account dealt with by this report are in agreement with the books of accounts.
- (vi) In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the said financial statements read together with the Accounting Policies and Notes on Accounts, and subject to the significant matters stated above and other matters mentioned in Annexure to this Audit Report give a true and fair view in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in India.
- a. In so far as it relates to the Balance Sheet, of the state of affairs of the CZA, as at 31st March 2017 and
- b. In as far as it relates to Income & Expenditure Accounts, of the surplus for the year ended on that date.

Place: New Delhi

Date: 20.09.2017

For and on behalf of the C&AG of India

Principal Director of Audit (SD)

Annexure-I

1. Adequacy of Internal Audit System:

- (i) There is no internal audit wing in Central Zoo Authority.
- (ii) Internal audit of the CZA has been conducted up to 2010-12 by the PAO, MOEF&CC and 24 Paras were outstanding as on 31.03.2017.
- 2. Adequacy of the Internal Control System: There is scope of some improvement in the Internal Control System of Central Zoo Authority as the following deficiencies were noticed:
 - (i) Surprise check of cash was not carried out.
 - (ii) No meeting of Governing Body was held during 2016-17.
 - (iii) The Ledger and Broad Sheets to monitor the recovery of long term advances was not maintained.
 - (iv) Utilization Certificates for ₹4.22 crore was still awaited as on July 2017 from 17 zoos in respect of grants released from 2006-07 to 2014-15.
 - (v) Imprest register was not maintained.
 - (vi) Valuable register was not maintained properly
 - (vii) CZA released grants to 37 zoos and none of the zoos furnished the statement of assets.
- 3. System of Physical Verification of Inventory

Physical verification of stationery and consumable items has been conducted upto 31.03.2017.

4. System of Physical Verification of assets.

Physical verification of Assets has been conducted.

5. Regularity in payment of statutory dues:

The Central Zoo Authority was regular in depositing statutory dues.

Director (EA)



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