

ANNUAL PLAN OF OPERATION C.S.S 2007-08

1. **Name of Sanctuary** : Darrah Wildlife Sanctuary

2. **Legal Status** : The forest area of sanctuary is 213.00594 Sq. Km. It was declared wild Life sanctuary wide notification No. 1 f. 39 (2) for /55 dated 7-11-1955. The area of the sanctuary is as follows:

Sr.	Name of Forest Block (Area in Hectors)						
	Forest Blocks	R F	P F	Unclassed	Private Land	Water Bodies	Total
1.	Dara	625.944					625.944
2.	Burjwali Chocki	1561.512					1561.512
3.	Kanjhar	56.928					56.928
4.	Kolipura	458.600					458.600
5.	Kalakot	276.168					276.168
6.	Jhumkiya	154.328					154.328
7.	Chandbaori	3132.648					3132.648
8.	Sakad	50.000					50.000
9.	Girdharpura	667.304					667.304
10.	Karondi	100.968					100.968
11.	Nim Ka Khera	106.936					106.936
12.	Khimach B	1455.996					1455.996
13.	Damodarpura	2450.488					2450.488
14.	Manoharpura	1400.648					1400.648
15.	Borkui	284.904					284.904
16.	Sheyodanpura	38.296					38.296
17.	Mashalpura A	1607.50					1607.50
18.	Mashalpura B	2476.600					2476.600
19.	Doliya	1881.300					1881.300
20.	Futa	223.400					223.400
21.	Rooppura		216.168				216.168
22.	Laxmipura		103.452				103.452
23.	Ghatoli		762.080				762.080
24.	Bagchach		1064.672				1064.672
25.	Amjhar 'A'		45.424				45.424
26.	Amjhar 'B'		116.128				116.128
27.	Unclassed Burjwali chowki II			63.74			63.74
Total		19010.468	2307.924	63.74			21381.182

Revenue Area within the sanctuary limits 2658.74

Total Area of Sanctyuary 24040.87

3. Status of Settlement of Rights :

The rights of villagers in the sanctuary area have mostly been decided. The settlement of rights for unclassified forest block Burj Wali Chowki II is pending. Forest settlement officer, Kota is doing the necessary action.

4. Management Plan –

Management Plan has been prepared and sanctioned by the complement authority i.e. CWLW Rajasthan vide their office order no. 4533 - 38 dated 31-03-2005. Items proposed in the management plan for third year are being enlisted to be executed in the year 2007-08.

5. Census of Wild life

As per the census conducted during previous years, the figure of the important animal species in the sanctuary are as follows:

Name of the Species	No of Animals in the year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Tiger	-	01	-	-	-
Panther	06	04	06	07	-
Sloth Bear	05	14	20	18	-
Wolf	31	23	21	27	-
Hyena	56	62	61	57	-
Jackal	141	158	148	148	-
Sambhar	54	48	49	47	-
Wild Boar	390	290	302	305	-
Nilgaya (Blue – Bull)	170	174	148	127	-
Langurs	1215	1222	1217	1337	-
Procupine	48	22	28	27	-
Fox	43	39	58	51	-
Jungle Cat	29	31	40	41	-
Chittal	134	136	107	107	-
Chinkara	51	49	92	78	-
Chossinga	11	11	04	04	-
Owl	35	31	42	29	-
Eagle	01	12	11	14	-
Red Mouth Monkey	11	-	40	23	-
Mongoose	102	62	170	158	-
Peacock	588	610	955	987	-
Voulture	37	71	16	29	-
Ratal	-	9	4	14	-
Saras	10	16	31	19	-

Note:- Sensus is not done in 2006,

6. Animal found in Sanctuary :

The Area of Darrah Wildlife sanctuary provided a very good habitat for Tiger, Panther, Sloth Bear, Sambhar, Chetal, Chausinga and Chinkara. Due to a heavy biotic interference and cattle pressure of the surrounding villages it is getting deteriorated. Tiger was totally absent from this area for last two decades and similarly down words trends are seen in other animals. A number of efforts have been carried out according to available funds. However a number of closures have been created at different places but it is not enough to bring the desired results. It is after Hon'ble Supreme Court's decision of Dec-1996 that illegal meaning came to an end, the conditions improved which resulted in improving habitat and as a result a tiger was attracted towards this sanctuary in the year 2003 and it stayed here for three month but lost its life in a train accident, the Tiger was dead on 15/07/03. Panther is at present at the apex predator of the biological pyramid. It can be restored to its past glory if proper effective protection is provided for which provisions have been made in the management plan.

7. Forest type with major Species :

The forest area of the sanctuary falls under the 5th Dry tropical forests as per champion & Seth's classification of forest types. The following groups and sub types along with their subsidiary edephic and serial types have been recognized.

Group 5 tropical dry deciduous forest. Sub Group 5B Northern tropical dry deciduous forest. Sub Group C – 2 Northern tropical dry mixed deciduous forest.

The Major tree species are Anoggesius pendula, Anoggesius latifolia, Butea Monosperma, Zigyphus mauritiana, Zizyphus zuzuba, Terminalia arjuna, Aegle marmolose, Acacia catechu etc.

8. Staff Position :

The staff for the management of the sanctuary is as under :

For the protection and management point of view Darrah Wildlife sanctuary

Divides in to two Ranges

1. Darrah
2. Kolipura

At present The Total available and proposed staff in this sanctuary is as under-

S. No.	Post	Posted	Vacant	Proposed
1.	R.O. Grade – I	01	-	01
2.	R.O. Grade – II	01	1 Vacant	02
3.	Forester	02	-	10
4.	Astt. Forester	05	01	10
5.	Forest Guard	26	02	50

The proposed strength of the staff is essential for better management of the sanctuary and for conservation of biodiversity of the area.

9. Wildlife Trained staff :

The staff posted in the sanctuary; is not specifically trained for wildlife management. However all the staff is trained by the Department as per their rank covering with the curriculum activity of wildlife management. This specific training is needed specially in handling of arms & Census.

10. Entry Fee Charged :

The entry fee in the sanctuary is being charged from the visitors as per the Rajasthan Govt. order F. 11 (35) Forest? Dated 16.11.2000

(A)

Category	Entrance Fee in (Rs.)	Eco-dev Surcharge in (Rs.)	Total Fee per person per visit (in Rs.)
a. Indian Citizens	03	07	10
b. Foreigner	20	60	80
c. Student	01	01	02

(B) Entry Fee for vehicles at the following rates :

Type of Vehicles	Entrance Fee In (Rs.)	Eco – dev. Surcharge. In (Rs.)	Total Fee per person per visit (in Rs.)
1. Bus	25	75	100
2. Gypsy/Jeep/Car MiniBus/Canter	15	50	65
c. Auto driver two wheelers	03	07	10
d. Auto Riksha	05	15	20

(C) Guide Fees : 200/- per group / person

11. No. of Tourists / Visitors :

This sanctuary hold a good number of Panthers, Sloth Bear, Wolf, Jungle fowl but it is yet to come on the map of wildlife lovers and tourists The number of visitors is very Meagre. To promote Eco Tourism basic facilities are being proposed along with its advertisement.

12. Shooting of films / Documentaries carried out during last 5 year :

During last 5 year no shooting for films / documentaries have been carried out in the sanctuary.

13. Postal Address :

Deputy Conservator of forests
Wild Life, KOTA
Telephone 0744- 2321263

Range Forest Officer
Wild Life, Darrah
Telephone 0744- 2815235

14. Funds Provided under state plan during 2006-07

Sr. No.	Year	Scheme	Type of Work	Amount (in Lac)
1.	2006- 07	2406 – Forest & Wildlife 02- Environment forestry & Wildlife 110 – Wildlife Protection 003- Maintenance of forest area	Maintenance of Building & construction of Boundary wall	0.80 1.10

15. Funds Provided for Sanctuary under other Schemes :

Budget allotment under Centrally Supported Scheme (last Nine year)

Sr. No.	Year	Allotted Budget (IN Lac.)	Expenditure (IN Lac.)
1.	1999-2000	Nil	Nil
2.	2000-2001	Nil	Nil
3.	2001-2002	Nil	Nil
4.	2002-2003	30.00	9.96
5.	2003-2004	22.87	19.34
6.	2003-2004	8.00	3.83
7.	2004-2005	36.408	37.10
8.	2005-2006	22.00	21.94
9.	2006-2007	12.061	10.78

Item wise expenditure during 2006-2007

S. No.	Item wise expenditure	Amount Sanctioned in Lac	Expenditure during 2006-2007 in Lac
1.	Construction of earthen water pond with stone pitching – 2 No at Chandbaori & Damodarpura	2.00	1.96
2.	Rehabilitation of degraded buffer area and around sanctuary plantation - 50 Hac.(blok Mashalpura A)	1.00	0.99
3.	Weed eradication & planting of trees- 50 ha (Block Darrah & Manoherpura) = Rs- 1.00 lakh A. Cration – 15 fa =Rs. 1.00 lakh	2.00	1.92
4.	Construction of closures & Planting of suitable fruit bearing species for sloth bear habitat improvement at Begchach near Nahar Singhi Mata Sohanpura (Raontha) i- Creation– 50 Hact. = 3.00 lakh ii- Plantation- 50 ha.= Rs.1.00 lakh	4.00	0.50
5.	Running of vehicle – LS (for patrolling)	0.50	0.50
6.	Purchases of wireless sets- Fixed set- 2 no & hand sets. 5 no.	0.50	0.50
7.	Assistance for RAC/Police party for patrolling- LS	0.50	-
8.	Improvement of Forest roads- 10 Km (location as per APO)	1.20	1.18
9.	Installation of hand pumps- 10 no at Chandbaori	0.70	0.70
10.	Incentive to the informer- LS	0.10	-
11.	Holding EDC meetings- LS (50 meetings in villges)	1.00	1.00
12.	Immunization of cattle- LS (19 Village inside sanctuary)	1.00	-
13.	Dev. Of wildlife viewing pint & maintenance- 1 no (Bevda Talai)	0.50	0.48
14.	Organizing awareness programme, brochures signages etc- LS	0.50	-
15.	Constructions of education walk trails at Ranwtha	0.20	0.18
16.	Training for staff- LS	0.25	0.21
17.	Census of wildlife- LS	0.50	0.05
18.	Providing water facilities for wild animals i-Transportation of water- LS = Rs 0.50 lakh ii- Construction of water holes- LS = Rs 0.50 lakh	1.00	0.61
Total		17.45	
Less Unspent Balance		0.061	
Net Release		17.389	
First Installment		12.00	10.78

16. Status of survey and demarcation of the Boundaries:

This sanctuary mainly comprises of the area under different forest blocks in Kota & Jhalawar Distt. These forest blocks are well demarcated by the Boundary Pillars at the time of forest settlement but presently most of the boundary pillars are missing. A separate project for three years for construction of boundary pillars according to the priority depending upon the conditions of the area has been submitted to PCCF Survey and demarcation Rajasthan Jaipur.

17. No. of natural / unnatural death including poaching / Accidental Death W.R.T. scheduled Animal reported:

S.No.	Date of Death	Name of Animal	No. of Animal	Cause of Death
1.	16-03-02	Nilgaya (Blue Bulls)	02	Death due to tench fencing
2.	15-07-03	Tiger (Panther Tigris)	01	Due to Train Accident
3.	19-02-04	Sambhar	01	„
4.	18-12-04	Rabbit	06	Poaching
5.	27-01-05	Sambhar	01	Poaching
6.	22-04-05	Dove (Fakata)	02	Poaching
7.	17-03-06	Wild boar	01	Poaching
8.	16-1-07	Dove (Fakata)	01	Poaching
9.	11-2-07	Pithon	01	Poaching
10.	27-2-07	Nilgaya (Blue Bulls)	01	Poaching

18. Fire incident in the sanctuary

District	Name of Forest Area	Date of fire	Reason of fire	Resource of fire	Area affected put off	Loss due to fire	Problem 'naulav put off	Plan to control
Kota	Block Dara	12.04.99	Unknown	By brush word	150 Hac.	Grasses		Cleaning of firelines
Kota	Block Dara	01.01.2000	Unknown	By brush word	30 sqm.	One tree Of Cholla		Cleaning of firelines
Kota	Block Dara	26.4.06	Unknown	By brush word	3 Km.	5 to 7 Tree of Cholla		Cleaning of firelines

There is no fire incidence during 2003 and up to March 2005 in the area.

19. Type and No. of weapons and how they are put to use :

There are one revolver and one twelve bore DBBL provided for the self defiance of staff during patrolling. One more revolver and four pump action guns are needed for the self-defence of the staff so their provision has been made.

20. Type and no. of vehicles and how they are put to use and whether purchased from central / state funds :

S.No.	Type of vehicle	No.	Use
1.	Canter	01	Purchased for patrolling in the year 2003-04 and being used efficiently.
2.	Jeep	02	Jeep purchased in 2004-05 is being used for patrolling etc but owing to around 80 Km length of the sanctuary one more jeep required for effective control.
3.	Motorcycle	03	Motorcycle being used for patrolling and few more are to be purchased.

One Tractor Trolley and two motorcycles are further required for better protection and management of the sanctuary as the area of the sanctuary is spread over 80 Km in length

21. No. of various type of wireless sets (fixed / mobile / hand sets) and how they are put to use.

Type of set	Uses / Place
Fixed	Range Office Darrah
Fixed	Naka Nolaw
Fixed	Nala Dammodarpura
Hand Set	Range office Kolipura
Hand Set	Naka Rawtha
Hand Set	Naka Dammodarpura
Hand Set	Naka Daragagoon
Hand Set	Chowki Laxmipura
Hand Set	Naka Girdharpura
Hand Set	Naka Mashalpura

Some more hand sets are required for better communication system in the sanctuary area so the provision for the purchase of wireless sets has been made.

22. No. of Beats / Section / Ranges : For the management of sanctuary the whole area has been divided in the following units.

S. No.	Name of Range	No. of section/Naka	No. of beats
1.	Range Dara	05	18
2.	Range Kolipura	03	10

23. How often the Vehicles are requisitioned by the District Administration :

District administration demands for the vehicles mainly for election purposes and at times during festivals for maintaining law and order.

24. Major Problems in the Area:

Major problems of the sanctuary may be enlisted as follows:-

1. **Grazing problem** : 19 Villages residing in this sanctuary and more than 82 villages residing all around the fringes of the sanctuary up to five kilometer from the boundary of the sanctuary putting heavy biotic pressure resulting in over grazing and posing threat to wild animals for their grazing and also for their drinking water. Since the grazing is much more than the carrying capacity of the area the grasses have disappeared and conditions have still been worsened due to invasion of lantana shrubs.

2. **Problem of migratory sheep** :
During rainy season sheep migration continue along this area. Though there is a bane on entrance of these Sheep into the sanctuary area because of very near migratory routes the sheep at times enter into the sanctuary area and effect the regeneration of grasses and depletion of water holes. There are very much possibility of spread of communicable diseases in wild animals. So more provisions are made for effective control of these deices.

3. **Mining Problem** : For the domestic requirement of the villagers, they extract rough sand stone and rubble stone at times although all possible efforts are being made to control these.

4. **Inadequate Protection:** The area of this sanctuary is 213.00594 sq km. The terrain of this sanctuary is a long strip of two Parallel hills (Mukundra) of 80 km in length and 2-5 km width so it is very typical task to control or manage with a limited personal. Hence more staff is required for the better protection and management along with demand of more vehicles and communication means. There has been no new recruitment since long so new recruitment is also needed.

25. Tenure of last incumbents / incharge of the sanctuary:

Sr. No.	Name of Officer	Ranks	Duration
1	2	3	4
1	Sh. Bharat Singh	R.F.O. – Grade – I	13-4-98 to 14-9-2000
2	Sh. G.P. Mangal	„	14-9-2000 to 11-7-03
3	Sh. Dinesh Gupta	„	12-7-03 to 26-8-04
4	Sh. Abdul Hameed	R.F.O. Grade II	27-8-04 to 06-10-04
5	Sh. Jai Singh Rathore	R.F.O. Grade I	06-10-04 to Continue

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

DETAILS OF ITEM OF WORK PROPOSED DARRAH SANCTUARY

Item of works	Para of management plan which specifies this item	Quantity	Rate per unit	Amount (in Lac)	Location	Site specific justification
A. Habitat Improvement						
1. Soil and Moisture conservation measures						
(i) construction of earthen water ponds with stone pitching	8.3.7	2		2.00	Chandbaori, Damodarpura	To conserve soil and water and providing drinking water for wild animals through out the year along with improvement of flora.
(ii) Construction of Anicuts	8.3.6.1	1		4.00	Block Darrah	
2. Construction of cemented R/ R masonry protection wall	6.3.8.1	5000 Rmt.		50.00	1. Darrah village 1500 met. 2. Ranwatha 1500 met. 3.Chandbaori block 2000	To protect the sanctuary area from biotic interference and to check illegal entries

3. (i) Weed Eradication (ii) Plantation of fruit bearing trees in area, from where the weed have been removed	6.3.6	100 Hact.		5.00	Block Darrah Manoharpura and Khinmach	To develop the habitat from invasion of undesirable or unsuitable species for wild life which will also health grasses to come up as presently they have covered the ground where hardly any light reaches. To develop the indigenous fruit bearing species in weed cleared area.
4. Construction of closure and planting of suitable fruit bearing species for sloth bear habitat improvement (iii) Maintenance	6.3.2.1	50 Hact.		0.375	Sohanpura(Raontha)	To develop the area suitable for animals specially for sloth bear.
5. Construction of Loose Stone check dames		500 Cum.		1.00	Block Bagchanch	For water Conservation in the area
TOTAL				62.375		

Item of works	Para of management plan which specifies this item	Quantity	Rate per unit	Amount	Location	Site specific justification
B. PROTECTION MEASURES						
1. Running of vehicles	10.2.6	L.S		1.50	-	For protection of the sanctuary area frequent patrolling is required specially in rough and undulating which requires heavy running and maintenance of vehicles.
2. Purchase of Wireless sets	10.2.8	2 Fixed sets 5 Hand sets		1.50	Ranwtha, Mandargarh, Ghatoli, Damodarpura , Borabaws booking office	For protection of the sanctuary area
3. Construction of wireless stations & installation of communication network	10.2.8	1		3.00	Chanbaori	For the safety of communication means for better management of the sanctuary
4. Purchase of Fire Kit for fire fighting staff (i) Fire extinguishers (ii) Fire fighting pressure pump with pipe	6.3.8.6	L.S		1.00		Protection of sanctuary area from fire incidences.
5. Construction of Barrier Check posts	6.3.13	4		8.00	Nolaw , Mandibara, Raontha, Ghatoli	To Check the illegal movement & poaching
6. Construction of Forester Quarter		1		3.00	Chandbaori	Better Management of Sanctuary & N.jP.
7- Construction of Range Office of com Residence		1		10.00	Kolipura	Better Management of Sanctuary & N.jP.

8. Construction of Fire Watch Tower	6.3.8.6	2		4.00	Borkui, Mashalpura (Darrah) and Borkui	For protection of the sanctuary
9. Assistance of RAC/H.G Police party in patrolling	10.1	L.S		4.50	-	Protection of the sanctuary
10. Improvement of Forest Roads		25 Km.		3.00	1. Damodarpura to Mandhargarh 2. Gidharpura to Damodarpura	Protection of the sanctuary
11. Incentive to the Informer (Secret information)	6.3.8.7	L.S		0.20	-	Getting secret information about offenders there by protecting the sanctuary
12. Construction of Cause ways	6.3.8.7	1		1.50	1. Damodarpura – Gridharpura track	For betterment of routes and also improving water conservation.
TOTAL				41.20		

Item of works	Para of management plan which specifies this item	Quantity	Rate per unit	Amount	Location	Site specific justification
C. Eco Development						
1. Holding EDC meetings	8.1	L.S		1.00	50 meetings in villages	To involve the villagers for better management of the sanctuary giving knowledge about their rights.
2. Immunisation of cattle	8.3.9	L.S		1.00	19 village in side sanctuary	To check the spread of communicable diseases in wild animals
3. Training of Villagers	8.3.10	L.S		1.00	1000 villagers one day trainings	To educate the villagers in conservation and better management of sanctuary area at different Pless
Total				3.00		

Item of works	Para of management plan which specifies this item	Quantity	Rate per unit	Amount	Location	Site specific justification
D. Eco Tourism						
1. Development of Wild life viewing points and maintenance	7.3.1	2		2.00	Ramsagar Gadde ka Mala Bhimda Bawodi	To promote eco- tourism
2. Organizing awareness programmes like Padyatra, brochures Signages, education tours etc.	7.3	L.S		1.00	-	To provide information about the flora & fauna of the area and generate interest in masses specially amongst students and the villagers.
3. Construction of education walk trails	7.3.1	L.S		0.50	Darha Rest House Baradari & Koila Kui to Abli Mini	To promote eco- tourism
TOTAL				3.50		

Item of works	Para of management plan which specifies this item	Quantity	Rate per unit	Amount	Location	Site specific justification
E . Research and Training						
1. Training for Staff	9.1	L.S		0.5	-	To train the staff for better management
2. Census of wild life	9.1	L.S		0.5	-	Census operation
3. Biannual workshop		LS		1.00		To update the management Plan
Total				2.00		

F. Miscellaneous						
1. Providing water facilities for wild animals	6.3.5				-	To provide drinking water to wild animals specially during summers to avoid their migration out side sanctuary area
(i) Transportation of water		L.S		0.50		
(ii) Development of water Holes		L.S		1.00	Gadari kui, Jhamra kuia Darah Gawon Kuia Amba Pani Khel	
Total				1.50		
G. Maintenance						
1. Maintenance of Wire less System		L.S		0.10	-	To maintain the communication system
2. Repair and maintenance of historical buildings, Malas etc		L.S		4.00	Ranwtha Mahal Darrah Rest house	To preserve the historical importance of the area and create interest to promote eco – tourism
3. Maintenance of Anicuts, Earthen ponds & loose stone check dams		2		1.00	Karab ka Khal Jhamra	To maintain the water bodies and improve the moisture conservation works
Total				5.10		
Grand Total				118.675		

Annexure G

Form GRF – 19-A

[See Government of India's Decision (1) below rule 150]

Form of Utilisation Certificate

S.No	Letter No. and Date	Amount	
1.	Government of India Ministry of Environment and Forest vide letter no 13000320/W-L dated 4.8.06 and State Government of Rajasthan vide letter No.F 11(84) forest/2002/30.8.06 for Darrah Sanctuary.	17.45	Certified that out of <u>Rs.12.061 Lac</u> of grants – in – aid sanctioned during the year <u>2006-07</u> in favour of <u>DCF Wild Life Kota</u> under this Ministry / Department Letter No. given in the margin including <u>Rs.0.061</u> on account of balance of the previous year, a Sum of <u>Rs.10.78 Lac</u> for has been utilized against release <u>12.00</u> for the purpose ,for which it was sanctioned and that the balance of Rs. 1.22 remaining unutilized at the end of the year has been surrendered to Government (Vide No. ----Nil---- Dated will be adjusted towards the grants payable during the next year 2007-08.
	Total	17.45	

2. Certified that I have satisfied myself that the condition on which the grants –in –aid was sanctioned have been duly fulfilled and I have exercised the checks to see that the money was actually utilized for the purpose for which it was sanctioned.

Signature

Designation

Date

OFFICE OF THE DY. CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS, WILD LIFE KOTA

S/N

Date /

To,

The Conservator of Forest
Eastern circle Kota.

Sub :- Submission of A.P.O for Darrah Wild Life sanctuary for the year 2007-08

Sir,

With due respect the A.P.O for Darrah sanctuary for the year of 2007-08 for Rs. 118.675 Lac. as per priority is submitted for kind perusal.

Please Get its sanctioned at the earliest so that timely action may be taken well respect to planting works and quality works may be ensured.

Enclosed 4 Sets

Yours faithfully

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

S/N

Date /

1. P.C.C.F. and C.W.LW. Rajasthan Jaipur
2. Chief Conservator of FDP Kota.
3. Copy to Range forest officer, Wild Life Darrah.

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

CERTIFICATE

(For Wildlife Sanctuary/ National Park for which financial assistance is requested for the first time.)

It is certified that:

(Name of the NP/WLS : Darrah Sanctuary)

(I) This NP/WLS is under the administrative and technical control of Wildlife wing of the State Headed by the CWLW.

(II) that the State Govt. will provide for trained manpower for management of this NP/WLS.

(III) that a detailed management plan would be drawn up as early as possible (if none exists already) for management of thdis Sanctjuary/ NP and its buffer areas.

(IV) that there will be no commercial forest working in any form within the boundary of NP/WLS.

(V) That the State Govt. agrees that the present boundaries of the NP/ WLS will not be changed to reduce the existing areas.

(VI) that the advice of the Director, Wildlife Preservation given on behalf of the GOI would be followed in matters concerning the implementation of the Scheme as well as the management of the NP/ WLS.

(VII) that the State Govt. accepts financial commitment for all such recurring and non-recurring expenditure which are not provided by the GOL.

(Signed)
Secretary Forests and Wildlife