No. 12-62/79-FRY (UL)
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture
Dept. of Agriculture & Coop.

New Delhi, Dated, 27 May 1982.

To

The Director,
Wildlife Research & Education,
Forest Research Institute,
Dehra Dun.

Sub: Establishment of Wildlife Institute of India - Administrative Approval in respect thereof -

Sir,

I am directed to convey the approval of the Government of India to the setting up of the National Wildlife Research and Training Institute (now called the Wildlife Institute of India) as a subordinate office under the Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture & Cooperation, with FAD/UNDP assistance, with immediate effect.

2. The total outlay provided during the Sixth Plan period (1981-82 to 1984-85) for setting up of this Institute is Rs. 100.00 lakhs as per the details given in the Annexure.

3. The main activities of the Wildlife Institute of India will be as follows:

i) Training
ii) Research
iii) Publicity, and
iv) Consultancy Services.

4. Under Rule 10 A of the Delegation of Financial Powers Rules, 1959, the Director, Wildlife Research and Education, FRI, Dehra Dun, is declared as Head of Office, till such time the post of Director under the Institute is created and filled up.

5. The various posts proposed under the Wildlife Institute of India will be created with the approval of the competent authority. Pending creation of these posts, the activities of the Institute will be carried out with the existing staff of the Directorate of Wildlife, Dehra Dun, and the Crocodile Breeding and Management Institute, Hyderabad.

6. The expenditure to be incurred during 1982-83 in respect of the Directorate of Wildlife, Dehra Dun will be met from the sanction budget grant of the Department of Agriculture and
and Cooperation and is to be debitable to:
Major Head "313"
D-Forest
D-7-Preservation of Wildlife Life
87(4) National Wildlife Research and Training
Institute (Plan),
Under Grant No. 5-Forests,
and in respect of the Central Crocodile Breeding Management and
Training Institute, Hyderabad to be debitable to:
Major Head "313."
D-Forest
D-7-Preservation of Wildlife
D-7(5)(3) - Crocodile Breeding and Management Institute, Hyderabad
(Plan) under Grant No. 5-Forests.

This issues with the approval of Finance Division vide
their U.O. No. 896-Fin. I dated 19.5.82.

Yours faithfully,

(Deen Dayal)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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1. The Forest Secretaries of all States and Union Territories.
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3. The Chief Wildlife Wardens of all States and Union Territories
4. Department of Economic Affairs, New Delhi
5. The Planning Commission, Yojna Bhawan, New Delhi
6. The President, Forest Research Institute and Colleges, P.O. New
   Forest, Dehra Dun.
7. The Director, Wildlife Research and Education, P.O. New Forest,
   Dehra Dun.
8. The Director, Central Crocodile Breeding Management and Training
   Institute, 19-4-319 Lake Dale via Sardarpur, Hyderabad.
9. The Principal Accounts Officer, Deptt. of Agriculture and Cooper
   16 Akbar Road Hutments, New Delhi.
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Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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(Deen Dayal)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India
Annexure - I.

No 23-17/84-FRY WL  
Government of India,  
Department of Environment, Forests & Wildlife,  
Wildlife Division  

Krishi Bhawan  
New Delhi, dated 11th Feb, 1986.

To  
The Director,  
Wildlife Institute of India,  
P.O. New Forest,  
Dehra Dun  

Subject: Conversion of the Wildlife Institute of India, Dehra Dun into an autonomous institution,  

Sir,  

I am directed to convey the approval of the Government of India to the following proposals:-

1. Creation of an autonomous institution in place of the existing subordinate office of this department, namely, the Wildlife Institute of India;

2. To transfer all the assets and posts of the existing Wildlife Institute of India to the proposed autonomous body.

2. Formal notification of its conversion will be issued as soon as it is registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860. It is requested that the action for registration of the Institute may kindly be taken urgently.

Yours faithfully,

(M.V. KESAVAN)  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India.