



भारतीय वन्यजीव संस्थान
Wildlife Institute of India

OPERATIONAL MODALITIES AND PLANNING OF FIELD TRIPS

For MEE of 210 National Parks and Wildlife
Sanctuaries in India, during 2020-2021



Ministry of Environment, Forest
and Climate Change
Government of India

Introduction

- One full cycle of MEE of National Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries in India covered in 4 phases from 2006 to 2019, published in 4 volumes, excluding Coastal Marine PAs, Cons. Res. and Comm. Res.
- MEE Team requested to go through the previous reports and compare the erstwhile condition to present situation
- From this cycle onwards we are initiating repeat cycle of evaluation. 25 PAs were covered in previous cycle as repeat cycle of evaluation.
- The evaluation of all PAs in repeat cycle proposed in two phases:
 - 1st Phase: 210 NP&WLS
 - 2nd Phase: 206 NP&WLS



MEE of 210 NP&WLS

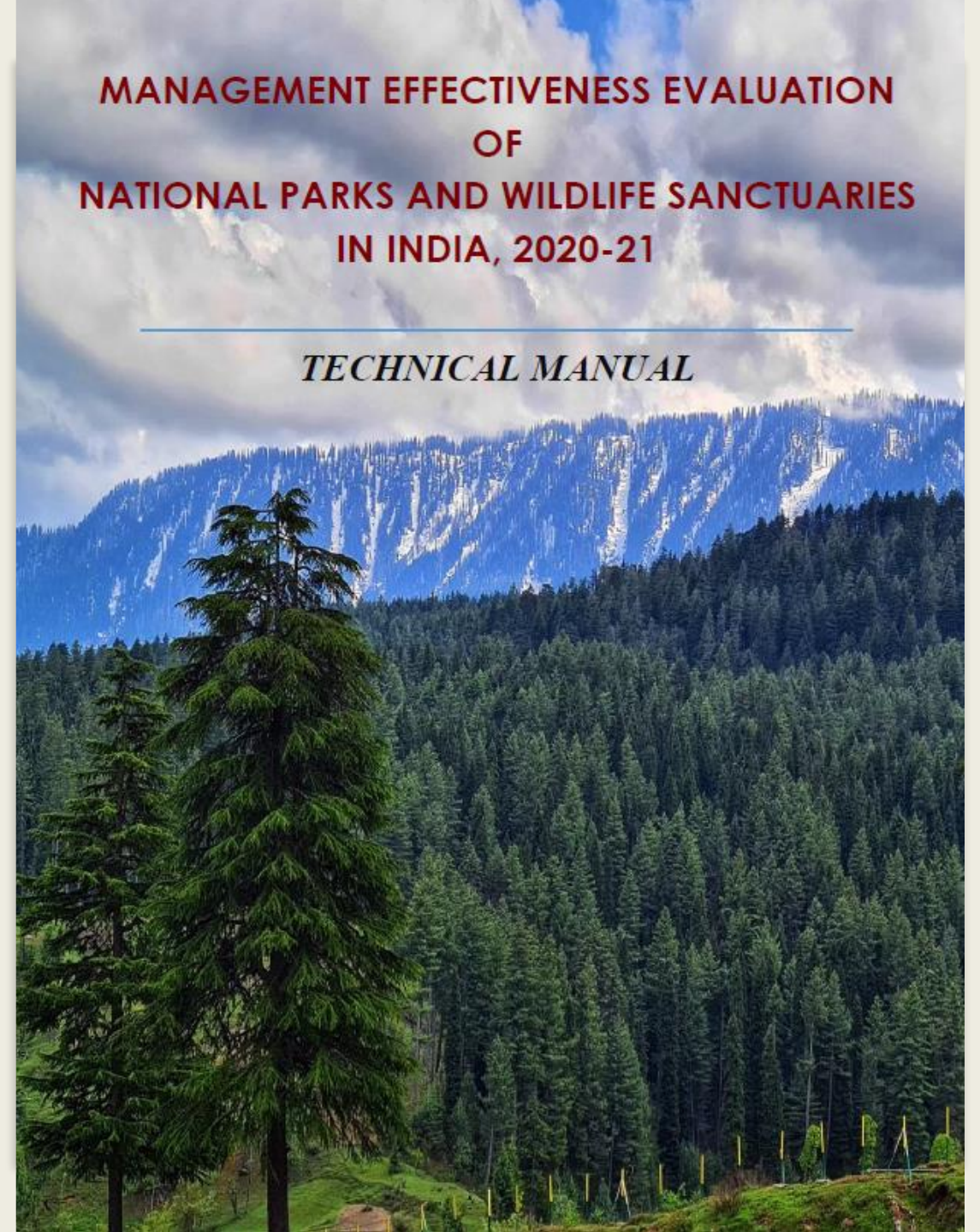


Independent Regional Expert Committees

Region	No. of PAs covered	Number of MEE Teams required
Northern	46 PAs	04 Teams (Team 1= 13 PAs, Team 2= 10 PAs, Team 3= 11 PAs and Team 4= 12 PAs)
Southern	38 PAs	04 Teams (Team= 8 PAs, Team 2= 9 PAs and Team 3= 12 PAs and Team 4= 9 PAs)
Eastern	39 PAs	04 Teams (Team= 9 PAs, Team 2= 11 PAs and Team 3= 10 PAs and Team 4= 9 PAs)
Western	46 PAs	04 Teams (Team 1= 10 PAs, Team 2= 10 PAs, Team 3= 12 PAs and Team 4= 14 PAs)
North-eastern	41 PAs	04 Teams (Team 1= 11 PAs, Team 2= 10 PAs, Team 3= 10 PAs and Team 4= 10 PAs)
Total	210 PAs	20 MEE Teams

MANAGEMENT EFFECTIVENESS EVALUATION OF NATIONAL PARKS AND WILDLIFE SANCTUARIES IN INDIA, 2020-21

TECHNICAL MANUAL



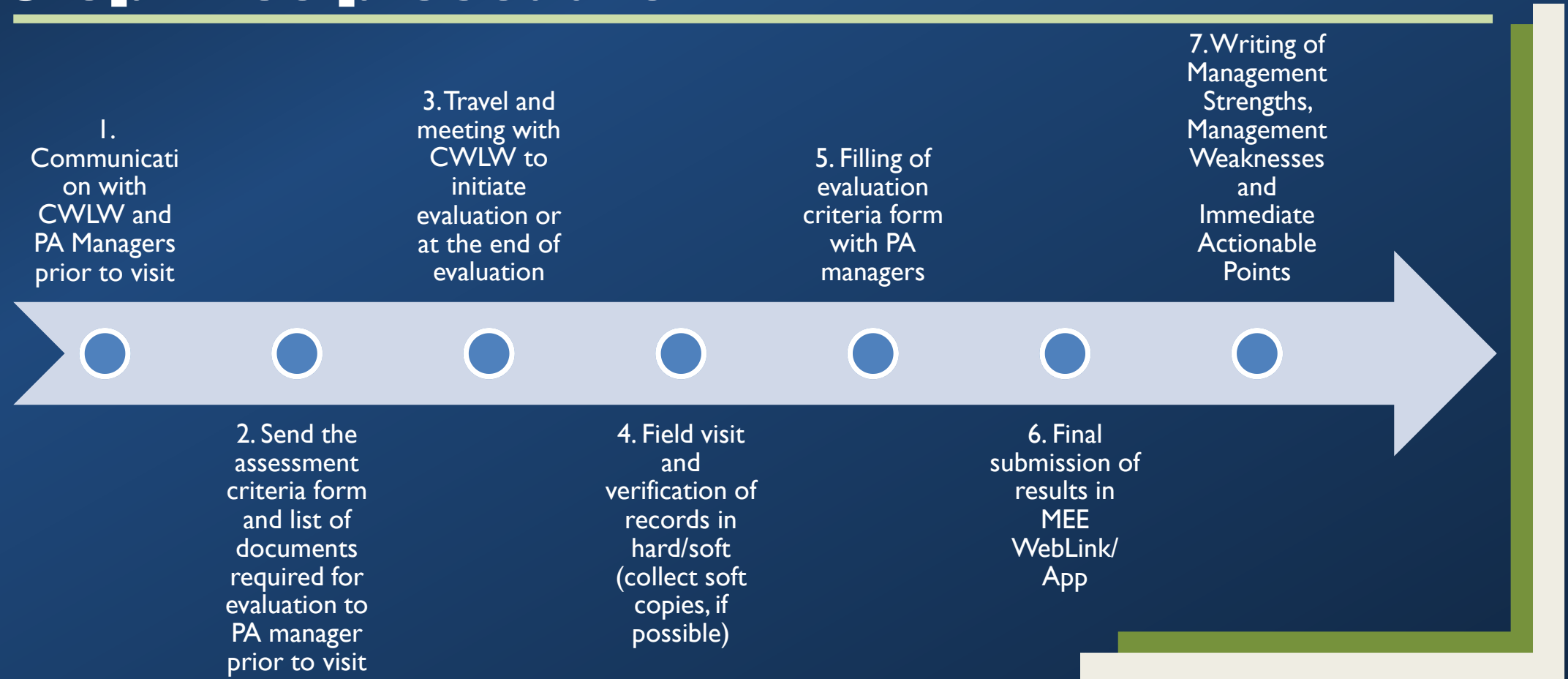


Each Team includes 4 Officers

Chairperson	Former CWLW/ Forest officer with Wildlife Management Experience
Member	Scientists/ University representative
Member	NGO/CSO Representative
Member	WII Faculty Member (He/ She would provide technical support but not directly participate in scoring of PAs)

'MIEE is not a fault finding exercise, but an approach of adaptive management'

Step-wise procedure



TA Re-imbursment Guidelines

S. No.	Details	Rules
1.	Travel Expenses* (Air/ Rail/ Road/ Local Travel)	Maximum Rs. 28,000/person/PA
2.	Accommodation	FRH shall be preferred for stay, however, hotel can be booked @7500/day for Chairpersons. In-service Govt. Officers govern by their Institute rules depending on their Pay Scale
3.	Sitting Fee	Fixed Rs. 4000/day/person for a maximum of 3 days/site
4.	DA	Rs. 1200/day Maximum for 4 days/PA
5.	Report writing cost	Rs. 3000/PA to Chairman only

* Air Travel is to be made by Air India only with Tickets from (a) Air India website, (b) IRCTC website, (c) Balmer Lawrie, (d) Ashoka

- **Logistics will be borne by WII**
- **TA Forms will be email to all after the workshop**

Important points

- It is requested to club nearby 2-3 PAs in one visit to save the funds and time.
- The ideal is to visit the site by 4 Officers together, however, sometimes it may not possible to visit all together. In those cases, field visit should ensure the presence of at least 2 Officers (One Chairman and One Member). The presence of Chairman is compulsory for the evaluation.
- The evaluation should be based on evidences produced by the PA Mangers in soft/ hard copies and the same may be verified in field. Soft copies in portal will be filled.
- The scoring may be done together, however the final scoring shall be done by Chairman.





'Team work always better for good management'

Compulsory documents to collect in soft copies

- **Notification of PA**
 - **Good photographs (species and landscapes)**
 - **Management Plan**
 - **Shape files of boundaries and maps**
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- ***The team need to submit Assessment Criteria form along with brief introduction, maps, Management Strengths, Management Weaknesses and Immediate Actionable Points***

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**Focal point for all quarries*

Many Thanks

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