

## TAMIL NADU STATE JUDICIAL ACADEMY REGIONAL CENTRE, COIMBATORE

Seminar on Forest Laws: Need for Stringent Enforcement and Application For Presiding Officers dealing with Forest Cases

## On Saturday, 24<sup>th</sup> November 2018

10.00 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.	Safeguarding Forests, Wildlife and Biodiversity – Role of Courts
	Mr. K. KALIDASAN, President, Osai Environmental Organization, Coimbatore
11.30 a.m. – 11.45 a.m.	Tea Break
11.45 a.m. – 01.00 p.m.	Animal Behavior and ecology – Anatomical and social behavior of herbivores and carnivores – Man-animal conflict – Corridor fragmentation
	Dr. N. KALAIVANAN, Veterinary Assistant Surgeon, Theni
01.00 p.m. – 02.00 p.m.	Lunch Break
02.00 p.m. – 03.15 p.m.	Case Study – Problems relating to handling forest and wildlife offences including trial in court – Problems and hurdles faced while booking offences – Legal Procedure for detection and eviction of encroachment in forest areas
	Mr. D. VENKATESH, I.F.S., District Forest Officer, Coimbatore
03.15 p.m. – 04.30 p.m.	Discussion and Presentation by Participants – Judicial Officers on the topic "Safeguarding Forests, Wildlife and Biodiversity – Role of Courts"
04.30 p.m.	Теа