



TAMIL NADU STATE JUDICIAL ACADEMY
in association with
TAMIL NADU FOREST DEPARTMENT



Induction Training Programme for the Civil Judges – 2019 Batch
Field Training on Forest-related Cases
at Advanced Wildlife Management Training Centre
Theppakadu, Mudumalai Tiger Reserve, The Nilgiris

Group II : 04th and 05th January, 2020

03rd January, 2020 – Arrival of Judicial Officers

Day 1: 04th January, 2020	
06.30 a.m. – 08.30 a.m.	Introductory Field Visit inside Mudumalai Tiger Reserve – Circle road area and Moyar Falls – Sand road along state boundary Mr. M.MARIYAPPAN , FRO, Masinagudi Range, Masinagudi Division, MTR
09.00 a.m. – 09.30 a.m.	Registration
INAUGURAL SESSION	
09.30 a.m. – 09.40 a.m.	Invocation Welcome Address Ms. S. SENBAGAPRIYA , I.F.S., Deputy Director, MTR, Udthagamandalam
09.40 a.m. – 09.50 a.m.	Special Address Mr. K.K. KAUSHAL , I.F.S., Field Director and APCCF, MTR, Udthagamandalam
09.50 a.m. – 10.15 a.m.	Inaugural Address Hon'ble Mr. Justice A.D. JAGADISH CHANDIRA , Judge, High Court of Madras

WORKING SESSIONS

Day 1: 04th January, 2020

10.15 a.m. – 11.15 a.m.	<p>a) Problems and hurdles faced while booking offences – Legal procedure for detection and eviction of encroachment in forest areas</p> <p>b) Power of Forest officer, power to seizure, arrest, compounding, power to confiscate, disposal of properties, Forest fire management</p> <p>Mr. G. CHANDRASEKARAN, D.C.F., (Retd.)</p>
11.15 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.	Tea Break
11.30 a.m. – 12.15 p.m.	<p>Study on vayal areas – Marshy land management – Illegal Trade in Wildlife – Protection issues</p> <p>Dr. BINITHA PUSHPAKARAN, Ph.D., Assistant Director, WCCB, New Delhi</p>
12.15 p.m. – 01.00 p.m.	<p>Sharing experiences – Direct interaction on case study and discussion with forest officers regarding cases relating to Tamil Nadu Forest Act, 1882, Wildlife Protection Act, 1972, TNPPF Act, 1949, TNHP (of trees) Act, 1955, Forest Conservation Act, 1980 etc. – Discussion on problems in handling cases and remedies</p> <p>Mr. GURU SWAMY DABBALA, I.F.S., DFO, Nilgiris Division Mr. SUMESH SOMAN, I.F.S., DFO, Gudalur Division</p>
01.00 p.m. – 01.15 p.m.	<p>Study on Elephant Corridor and related issues – Corridor fragmentation</p> <p>Mr. N. MOHANRAJ, Policy Advisor, WWF-India</p>
01.15 p.m. – 02.00 p.m.	Lunch Break
02.00 p.m. – 05.30 p.m.	<p>Field Visit</p> <p>Moyar Gorge, Moyar fringe village – Exposure on illegal activities between states – Protection problems faced – Visit to Singara area – Vulnerable spots of Forest and Wildlife Offences and protection issues</p> <p>Mr. N. MOHANRAJ, Policy Advisor, WWF-India</p>

Day 2: 05th January, 2020

06.30 a.m. – 08.30 a.m.	<p>Field Visit – Field exposure training – Marshy land management – Habitat management – Ombettah AP camp in Mudumalai Tiger Reserve</p> <p>Mr. L.C.S. SRIKANTH, Deputy Director, Masinagudi Division, MTR</p>
09.30 a.m. – 10.45 a.m.	<p>Procedural aspects of trials relating to forest and wildlife offences</p> <p>Mr. A.K. MEHBUB ALIKHAN, Additional Director, Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy</p>
10.45 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.	<p>Rescue operation and Dealing with veto-legal cases</p> <p>Dr. N.S. MANOKARAN, Additional Director, Animal Husbandry (Retd.)</p>
11.30 a.m. – 12.15 p.m.	<p>Sharing experiences</p> <p>Mr. L.C.S. SRIKANTH, Deputy Director, Masinagudi Division, MTR</p>
12.15 p.m. – 12.30 p.m.	<p>Vote of thanks</p> <p>Mr. K. PERIYASAMY, Assistant Conservator of Forests, MTR</p>
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12.30 p.m. – 12.45 p.m.	Tea
12.45 p.m. – 01.15 p.m.	<p>Field visit – Captive elephant management – Case studies, Sniffer Dog</p> <p>Dr. N.S. MANOKARAN, Additional Director, Animal Husbandry (Retd.)</p>