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To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forest(Wildlife)
& Chief Wildlife Warden
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Subject: Alleged Complaint regarding suspicious death of 6 jackals in Perambra, Kozhikkoda- Regarding

Sir,

With reference to the above cited subject, it is stated that the Board has received a complaint by Shri Vivek K Viswanath stating that the suspicious death of 6 jackals in Perambra, Kozhikkode. A copy of the complaints is attached, which is self-explanatory.

2. Cruelty to animals is an offense under Section 3, Section 11(1) of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960, Section 428 and 429 of the IPC, 1860.

3. The Hon'ble Supreme Court had directed to take action against the erring officials as per the Para 77 of the S.L.P.No.(C) 11686 of 2007, Animal Welfare Board of India Vs A.Nagaraja & Others and the department of Personnel and Training, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension had issued guidelines vide F.No.30/9/2006-Welfare dated 26.5.2006 to take action against such personnel violating the laws. The copies of the same is attached herewith for your information.

4. In view of the above act of gruesome cruelty to an innocent animals and violation of various sections of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act,1960, and the Indian Penal Code 1860, it is requested to immediately initiate an enquiry and Also, an action taken report of the same may be sent to the Board within 7 days of issuance of this letter.

"Please treat this as most urgent".

Yours sincerely,

(Dr.S.K.Dutta)
Secretary

Copy to: for information and further appropriate action.

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