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MINUTES OF MEETING OF DEVELOPMENT OF STATE ACTION PLAN FOR CONSERVATION OF BIRDS & THEIR HABITATS IN NCT OF DELHI UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF CWLW/CCF, DEPARTMENT OF FOREST & WILDLIFE, NCT OF DELHI HELD ON 22.03.2022 AT 11:00 HRS-REG.

The meeting of Development of State Action Plan for Conservation of Birds & their Habitats in NCT of Delhi was held on 22.03.2022, Tuesday at 11:00 AM under the chairmanship of CWLW/CCF, Department of Forests & Wildlife, NCT of Delhi in his chamber. The list of attendees is attached.

At the outset, the CWLW/CCF welcomed the Senior Scientist of SACON and his team members and discussed on the modalities for the preparation of State Action Plan.

In this meeting, Dr. Mahendiran Mylswamy, Senior Scientist of SACON presented the draft of the State-level Action Plan, Strategies & Methodology (draft SAP-NCR Delhi) for the conservation of birds and their habitats in the NCR Delhi.

Thereafter, Agendas were discussed by the SACON team and actions required are listed below:

- 1. To collate published and unpublished information on conservation of avian diversity of NCR Delhi under each of the thematic areas as outlined in VPP.
- 2. To develop State-level Action Plan for the conservation of birds, their habitats, ecosystem, and landscapes for NCR Delhi through widespread consultation with various stakeholders.

Action required:

CWLW suggested that in order to make this as a people centric SAP, the message of
this initiative needs to be spread across wider section of people involving citizen
science seeking their opinion especially on critical conservation issues relating to
birds and their habitat given in the initial draft prepared by SACON team.

 The draft SAP document for NCR Delhi and the PowerPoint presentation should be made available on Department of Forest and Wildlife of NCT Delhi's website through which stakeholders could give their valuable comments and suggestions to make this plan more effective and inclusive.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the chair.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority

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To:

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- 1. PS to PCCF, Department of Forests & Wildlife, Vikas Bhawan, I.P. Estate, New Delhi.
- 2. IT Cell for uploading on website of Department of Forests & Wildlife, Delhi.

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