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To

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (All States/UTs)
Coordinator/Director,
Training Institute/Organization

Sub: Indian Forest Service- Sponsoring of two-days training workshops for the officers of Indian Forest Service in the premier institutions **during the financial year 2020-21** inviting offers for organizing training workshops- **regarding.**

Sir/Madam,

The Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change (MoEF&CC), Government of India have been sponsoring two-days training workshops for the IFS officers on the various topics/themes of national, regional and international importance which are relevant to the implementation of the schemes/programmes in the forestry sector and would help in obtaining recommendations for effecting improvements in the various policy guidelines for the sector. The workshops are being organized by the premier institutions/organizations in the country.

2. During the year 2020-21 also, the MoEF&CC proposes to sponsor training workshops for the IFS officers. An indicated list of themes/topics on which the MoEF&CC has sponsored courses in the past is enclosed for your ready reference. You may however suggest new and innovative topics for training workshop. You are requested to kindly indicate your willingness to organize training workshop(s) on any of the themes mentioned or suggest sponsoring workshop on new themes, if any, which would be of great relevance to the forest officers.

3. We would appreciate, if you could kindly intimate your willingness or otherwise for organizing training workshop(s) on two-three themes/topics along with four-five tentative dates (excluding government holidays) along with details of:

- (a) the strengths of your institution of the theme(s)/topic(s) selected for offer for organizing the training workshop(s)
- (b) the outline for each theme/topic, along with sub-themes for group discussions
- (c) the tentative list of lead speakers/resource persons-internal faculty /who would be involved in conducting the training workshop(s)
- (d) the arrangements for the boarding and lodging of the officers
- (e) detailed address (along with name & e-mail) of the contact officer or coordinator in the institution
- (f) the capacity of the institution for number of officers to be nominated
- (g) ratings for last three years of courses organised by your institute, if available.

4. The fee and boarding and lodging charges etc. would be reimbursed (for 30 participants) as given below:-

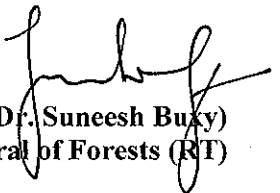
- (a) Boarding & lodging @ 4,500/- per participants subjects to actuals for three days including evening of the previous day and morning of next day of completion of the training workshop = Rs 4,05,000/-
(For non-residential participants, reimbursement would be @ Rs. 850/- per day per participant)
- (b) Resource Persons (Travel, boarding and lodging & honorarium) - lumpsum = Rs. 70,000/-
- (c) Participant's Kit (Study material, literature/ providing CDs /folders etc. @ Rs 1400/-subjects to actuals) = Rs. 42,000/-
- (d) Miscellaneous expenses (institutional expenses, stationery, manpower etc)- lumpsum = Rs. 63,000/-

5. We would appreciate receiving your response before **25th September, 2019** through e-mail followed by hard copy so that calendar of training workshops for the next financial year is finalized. **It would not be possible to consider your 'offer' if the complete details as mentioned in para- 4 are not provided. A hard copy of the proposal may also be sent to the following address:**

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Encls. As above

Yours faithfully,


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Dy. Inspector General of Forests (RT)

Topics for Two-day workshop

- Advances in wood production and utilization
- Agroforestry
- Applicability of 73rd PESA Provision to Forests (Recent Constitutional Amendment) Conflicts Resolution and Need for Integration with JFM
- Awareness for Building an Environmentally Sensitive and Responsive Society – Need for Comprehensive Strategies and Programmes
- Bio Prospecting – Role of the State Forest Department
- Butterfly Monitoring & Butterfly Inclusive Ecotourism as a Source of Livelihood
- Carbon Markets and the Clean Development Mechanism: Implications for Indian Forestry Sector
- Carbon Sequestration through Wood and Bamboo Products
- Certification: A Marketing Tool for Sustainable Forest Management
- Climate Change and Forestry- Exploring New Financial Instruments
- Climate Change Mitigation: Role of Forestry and Sinks within the Clean Development Mechanism Framework
- Collection, Compilation, Validation and Dissemination of Forestry Statistics
- Concurrent Monitoring and Evaluation of Schemes - Responsibilities of the Implementing Officers
- Contribution of Forests Plantation in Livelihood Support and Industrial Production
- Contribution of Indian forestry sector to the Gross Domestic Product (GDP)
- Convergence of Gram Sabha and Joint Forest Management Institute for Sustainable Forest Management
- Conventions on Climate Change, Forestry and Wildlife
- Creating a Sustainable & Motivated Organization
- Documentation, Access & Benefit Sharing of Traditional Knowledge – Role of the State Forest Departments
- Eco development for Biodiversity Conservation: Assessment and Way Forward
- Ecological and Environment Awareness – Content Development and Management of Awareness Programmes
- Economic analysis and funding for forestry projects
- Economic Valuation and Accounting of Forest Resources
- Eco-System Services-Valuation and Policy Issues
- EDM- Effective Decision Making.
- Effect of weeds on productivity of forest plantations and natural forests and different cost-effective methods for their control
- EI- Emotional Intelligence and Social Intelligence
- Emotional Intelligence for greater workplace effectiveness
- Emotional Intelligence (EI) for Effective Workplace Excellence
- Environmental impact assessment: Need and methods for assessment
- Extension of forestry activities - ways to be effective
- Field Applicability of Forestry and Wildlife Research Outputs – Issues and Strategies
- Financial Constraints in Efficient Conservation and Management of Forests- Need for Payment for Ecological Services by the People
- Financial crunch in sustaining activities of the SFDs – option for future
- Forest Certification: A Marketing Tool for Sustainable Forest Management
- Forest Certification in Indian context
- Forest Fire Monitoring and Damage Assessment
- Forest Governance, Livelihoods and Sustainable Development
- Forest Protection – Monitoring, Reporting, Response and Evaluation Systems – Current Status and Future Strategies
- Forestland and other Related Rights of Tribals – Adequacy of Provisions of National in the Forest Policy
- Forestry Scenario vis-à-vis - The Scheduled Tribes & Other Traditional Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006
- GIS Based Monitoring of CAMPA Activities
- History of Forestry in India
- How to be effective in cadre management of forestry services?
- Integrating Conservation versus Development
- Intellectual Property Rights and WTO Accountability - Scope of Patenting
- Interventions required in Sustainable Management of Non-Timber Forest Products (NTFPS) and Benefit Sharing by the Local Communities
- Inventory Methods for Assessing the NTFP resource of India's Forests
- Issues involved in man animal conflict - strategies for mitigation
- Landscape Approach to Conservation and Livelihoods
- Linking Knowledge with Action for Sustainability
- Man animal Conflict-Strategies for Mitigation with Special Reference to Asiatic Lion

- Mainstreaming Biodiversity in Impact Assessment
- Management Effectiveness Evaluation of Protected Areas
- Management of Forest Genetic Resources
- Managing Landscapes, Corridors and Connectivity for Effective Biodiversity Conservation-Challenges and Way Forward
- Mass Communication and Media Management for Forests & Wildlife
- Media Management by Forest Officers: Issues and Ways Forward
- Medicinal Plants – Role of State Forest Departments in Conservation, Cultivation, Harvesting, Marketing and Benefit Sharing by the Communities
- Methods for Economic Evaluation of Services provided by the Forests (economic, social and ecological)
- Monitoring and Management of Wetland
- Need for increasing efficiency in working – role of information technology and e-governance
- Need for Institutionalization of Sustainable Forest Management in India
- Need for Survey, Demarcation and Consolidation of Forestlands and Strategies for Achieving the objectives
- Operationalizing Role of Forests in Ecological and Economic Security of the Country- Current Status and Future Strategies
- Optimum Forest Cover-Strategies for Achieving the National Goal
- Options for Improving Conservation of Wild Animals in their Natural Habitats
- Personal and Employee Job Satisfaction.
- Prevention, Control and Management of Forest Invasive Species- Strategies
- Public Private Partnership- Scope in Forestry
- Raising Stakes of Local Communities in Conservation of Forests and wildlife: institutionalization of Eco-tourism involving Local Communities
- Rational Decision Making: Strategies & Techniques
- Recognition of Traditional Rights of Forest Dwellers – Issues and Challenges
- REDD Plus in India-Issues and Challenges
- Renewable Energy Management
- Reorientation of working plan as “Integrated Resources Management Plan” encompassing timber and NTFPs, and wildlife at landscape level
- Reorienting national forest policy to address twin objectives of “poverty alleviation and conservation and developments of forests
- Rights to Information (RTI) and Forest Department
- Role of Forestry in Sustainable Development of People
- Role of Forests in Conservation and Regulation of Water – Contribution of Forest in providing Sustained Supply of Water to the People – Strategies for Strengthening the Efforts Further
- RS, GIS & GPS in Preparation of Working Plan – Strategy for Implementation
- Scope of eco-tourism and ways to sustain it without affecting ecology of the area
- Scope of forestry projects in clean development management under climate change
- Scope of Fund Flow through CDM in Forestry Sector
- Scope of Landscape Planning in Forest Management
- Strategies for Development of Knowledge Management in Forestry Sector
- Strategies for Increasing Forest/Tree Cover Outside Notified/Recorded Forests-Case for Agro-Forestry
- Strengthening GIS implementation in Indian forestry
- Survey and Demarcation of Forest Boundaries using Geomatics.
- Sustainable Forest Management and Forest Certification: Criteria and Indicators
- The Motivation Mantras
- The Significance and scope of REDD (Reducing Emissions from Deforestation and Forest Degradation)/REDD+ for India's Forests
- Tiger Reserves and Ecotourism
- Trade in forestry products and their contribution towards Gross Domestic Product
- Trade in Forestry Products and their Contribution towards Gross Domestic Product Advances in Wood Production and Utilization.
- Training needs assessment at various levels of forestry services
- Valuation of conservation areas
- Wildlife Crime: Strategies to prevent organized poaching