



ABSTRACT

Forest – Announcement for the year 2024-2025 – Administrative approval for constitution of “**Dr. A.J.T. Johnsingh Wildlife Conservation Award**” for exemplary contribution in the field of wildlife conservation – Constitution of Search cum Selection Committee for identification of deserving individuals and institutions for conferring the award – Orders - Issued.

Environment, Climate Change and Forests (FR.7) Department

G.O.(2D) No.155

Dated: 01.08.2025

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Read:

1. G.O.(Ms).No.157, Environment, Climate Change and Forests (FR.7) Department, Dated:16.09.2024.
2. G.O.(Ms).No.212, Environment, Climate Change and Forests (FR.7) Department, Dated:11.12.2024.
3. From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden Letter.No.WL6/19639/2024, Dated. 12.05.2025, 28.05.2025 and 04.07.2025.

ORDER:

In Government order first read above, the Government have accorded administrative approval to constitute “**Dr. A.J.T. Johnsingh Wildlife Conservation Award**” annually to an Indian Citizen / Institution for exemplary contributions in the field of wildlife conservation by a citation and prize money of Rs.25.00 lakh and also constitute a Preliminary Scrutiny Committee and Final Scrutiny Committee scrutinize the applications / nominations for “**Dr. A.J.T. Johnsingh Wildlife Conservation Award**” based on the announcement made by the Hon'ble Minister of Forests & Khadi for the year 2024-2025.

2. In the letters third read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Chief Wildlife Warden has requested to issue orders for constitution of a “Search cum Selection Committee” for identification of deserving individuals and Institutions for conferring “**Dr.A.J.T. Johnsingh Wildlife Conservation Award**” instead of Preliminary Scrutiny Committee” and “Final Scrutiny Committee”.

3. The Government, after careful examination have decided to accept the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Chief Wildlife Warden. Accordingly, in partial modification of the orders issued in the Government order first read above, the Government hereby constitute the Search cum Selection Committee, instead of “Preliminary Scrutiny

Committee" and "Final Scrutiny Committee", for identification of deserving individuals and institutions for conferring "Dr.A.J.T. Johnsingh Wildlife Conservation Award" as follows :-

Sl. No	Designation	Posts in the Search cum Selection Committee
1	Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Environment Climate Change and Forests Department, Secretariat, Chennai-9.	Chairperson
2	Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force) Chennai-32.	Member
3	Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Director Advanced Institute for Wildlife Conservation (Research, Training & Education), Vandalur Chennai-48.	Member
4	Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Chief Wildlife Warden, Chennai-32.	Member
5	Chairperson, Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board, Chennai – 32.	Member
6	Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife), Chennai-32.	Convener
7	Dr. K.Sankar, Former Director, SACON.	Non-official Member

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

SUPRIYA SAHU
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Principal Chief Conservator of
 Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai -32.

The Principal Chief Conservator of
 Forests & Chief Wildlife Warden, Chennai-32.

The Committee Members (Through the Principal Chief
 Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai – 32.

The Principal Accountant General, Chennai-18.

Copy to:-

The Senior PA to Hon'ble Minister (Forests & Khadi), Chennai-9.

The Senior PA to Hon'ble Minister (Finance & ECC), Chennai -9.

The Private Secretary to Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
 Environment, climate Change & Forest Department, Chennai-9.

G.O.(Ms).No.157, Environment, Climate Change and Forests (FR.7) Department,

Dated:16.09.2024.

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Section Officer

