



Benevolent and Welfare Trust

## INDIAN FOREST SERVICE BENEVOLENT AND WELFARE TRUST

*Standing for Green Warriors*

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**Dear PCCF (HoFF),**

As you are aware, the Indian Forest Service Benevolent and Welfare Trust (IFSWBT) has recently been revived with an amended mandate. The Trust now also primarily focuses on providing financial assistance to frontline forestry personnel— Watchers, Guards, Foresters, Deputy Rangers, Rangers and SFS officers apart from IFS officers — in the event of death or serious injury sustained in the line of duty.

2 The Trust has already provided assistance in two cases — one from Rajasthan and one from Madhya Pradesh.

3 In order to ensure deeper outreach across all States/UTs, the Governing Body of the IFSWBT has decided to appoint a State Coordinator and a Nodal Officer in the office of the PCCF (HoFF) in each State/UT.

4 The **State Coordinator** may be a serving or a retired officer who can devote time to the work of the Trust. He/she will act as the torchbearer of the Trust in the State/UT, responsible for spreading awareness about its objectives and activities among the forestry fraternity. The Coordinator will also be expected to facilitate expediting the submission of deserving cases to the Trust through the office of the PCCF for financial assistance and mobilize resources for the Trust's corpus through individual donations, CSR contributions, and other possible sources.

5 The **State Nodal Officer** should preferably be a serving officer of the rank of DCF or CF in your office. He/she will serve as the nodal point for the State Coordinator for obtaining necessary information and forwarding proposals (through the Google Form) to the IFSWBT for financial assistance.

6 Both the nominated officers are expected to keep regular contact with the activities of the Trust and participate in its meetings from time to time.

7 So far, the Trust has been able to appoint State/UT coordinators for Haryana, Kerala, Sikkim, Bihar, Jharkhand, Jammu and Kashmir, Dehradun Station and West Bengal.

8 Hence, you are requested to (i) suggest names of willing officers serving or retired for appointment as State/UT Coordinator (Except for the states

mentioned) by the Trust; **and** (ii) designate one officer as a Nodal Officer in your office.

An early action in the matter will be appreciated.

With the greetings and best wishes for the World Environment Day.

Regards,

Yours sincerely,



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