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Government of India  
Ministry of Home Affairs  
(Police K9 Cell/PM Division)

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To,  
DGs of all CAPFs, NSG & AR

Sub:- Addendum to SOPs on 'Casting and Disposal of Old/Worn-Out/Unfit Animal's of CAPFs, NSG & Assam Rifles.

Please refer to the subject SOPs forwarded vide this Ministry's letter No. MHA/PM/Police K-9/2020/19 dated 08<sup>th</sup> Jan' 2020.

2. Following is added to the subject SOPs forwarded vide letter under reference:-

a. **Addendum to Para 11(c) as (ix)** of SOP for "Casting and disposal of Old/Worn out/Unfit Animals of CAPFs, NSG and Assam Rifles."

Retired large animals like Camel /Horse/Pony/Mule/Yak etc. may be available for adoption by Central/State Govt. Institutions/NGOs/Civilian in the same order of precedence. A bond will be signed by adopting recipient that proper care of the large animal including feeding/treatment etc. will be ensured and also avoid agony/pain and cruelty to the animal. The recipient would give an undertaking that the animals adopted will not be used for any freight & logistic duty/games/breeding etc. The final disposal of the animal will be intimated to the concerned Force. Every large animal will be inspected prior to adoption, by a Veterinary Officer, and if found unfit for adoption on Veterinary grounds, will not be given for adoption and intimation will be conveyed to all concerned. Sanction of Competent authority of the respective Force shall be obtained in every case of adoption.

b. **Addendum to Para 12 as 12(a) & 12(b)** of SOP for "Casting and disposal of Old/Worn out/Unfit Animals of CAPFs, NSG and Assam Rifles." The existing Para 12 has been revised as Para 12 (a) & 12(b).

(i) **12(a) will be remain as per existing SOP** i.e. for management of upto 06 such retired dogs-02 DH/ADH can be assigned from existing dog squad/ AT Dett/GD persons. For addition of every 04 dogs or part thereof, additional 01 person will be required.

(ii) **12(b) has been added as:** for management of up to 05 Retired large animals like Camel/Horse/Pony/Mule/Yak etc. 02 handlers can be assigned from existing Animal Transport (AT) /GD personnel. For addition of every 05 large animals, additional 01 person will be assigned. However, this has to be managed within the sanctioned strength, no additional manpower will be provided for this.



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