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ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION  
(FOREST DEPARTMENT)

NOTIFICATION

*Port Blair, the 3rd April, 1976/Chaitra 14, 1898.*

THE ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS WILD LIFE  
TRANSIT RULES, 1976

No.C F./WL/2.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (f) of sub-section (2) of section 64 of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 (53 of 1972) read with sub-section (29) of section 2 thereof, the Administrator (Chief Commissioner) Andaman and Nicobar Islands hereby makes the following rules, namely:—

1. *Short title, extent and commencement:*—(i) These rules may be called the Andaman & Nicobar Islands (Wild Life Transit) Rules, 1976.

(ii) They extend to the whole of the Union Territory of Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

(iii) They shall come into force on such date as the Chief Commissioner Andaman and Nicobar Islands may by Notification in the official Gazette, appoint.

2. *Definitions:*—In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires:—

(a) "Act" means the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 (53 of 1972)

(b) "Form" means a Form appended to these rules.

(c) "Licensee" means a holder of a licence granted under the Wild Life (Protection) (Andaman and Nicobar Islands) Rules, 1973.

(d) "Officer" means the Chief Wild Life Warden or Wild Life Warden.

(e) "Specified animal" means any animal which is specified in part I of Schedule II, Schedule III and Schedule IV to the Act and which is

(i) Captured or kept or bred in captivity or

(ii) found wild in nature

3. *Transport of Specified animal:*—(1) No person or licensee shall transport or cause to be transported any specified animal, animal article, trophy or incured trophy derived therefrom, (a) from one station to another within the Union Territory of the Andaman & Nicobar Islands and (b) from any place in the Union Territory of the A. & N. Islands to outside the said Union Territory, except under and in accordance with the previous permission of the officer in writing under the provisions of these rules. The right to grant permission under clause (a) & (b) of the rule is vested in the Wild Life Warden and the Chief Wild Life Warden respectively.



(2) Every application for permission for transport of any specified animal, animal article, trophy or uncured trophy derived therefrom from one station to another within the Union Territory of the A. & N. Islands shall be made in Form 'A' and from any place in the Union Territory of the A. & N. Islands to outside the said Union Territory in form 'B'.

(3) On receipt of an application made under sub-rule (2) the Officer may after making such inquiry as he may think fit, either grant or refuse to grant the permission.

Provided that no such permission shall be granted unless the Officer is satisfied that the specified animal article, trophy or uncured trophy referred to in (1) has been lawfully acquired and that there is no outstanding dues with respect thereto payable to the Govt.

(4) Where Officer refuses to grant the permission, he shall record the reasons for so doing and a copy of the reasons so recorded shall be communicated to the person or the licensee, as the case may be applying for the permission.

(5) Every permission granted under sub-rule (3) shall be in Form 'C'.

(6) The transport of the specified animal, animal article, trophy or uncured trophy for which permission has been granted under sub-rule (3) shall be duly accompanied and supported by the permission in form 'C' issued by the Officer.

4. *Appeal*:—Any person or licensee aggrieved by an order made by the Officer refusing the permission under sub-rule (4) of rule 3 may prefer an appeal.

2(i) If the order is made by an officer other than the Chief Wild Life Warden the appeal shall be to the Chief Wild Life Warden, and

(ii) If the order is made by the Chief Wild Life Warden the appeal shall lie to the Chief Commissioner, A. & N. Islands.

(2) No appeal shall be entertained unless it is preferred within 20 days from the date of the communication to the appellant of the order appealed against.

Provided that the appellate authority may admit any appeal after the expiry of the period aforesaid, if it is satisfied that the appellant had sufficient cause for not preferring the appeal in time.

5. Any person or licensee who violates any of the provisions of these rules shall be punishable under the provisions of Chapter VI of the Act.

#### FORM 'A'

[ See sub-rule (2) of rule (3). ]

Application for permission to transport specified animal etc. with the Union Territory of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands

To

The Wild Life Warden,

Sir,

I ..... Residing at .....  
Taluk ..... Dist. .... holding licence No. ....  
granted under section 44(1) of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 requested that, I may be granted permission to transport the following:—

1. Species of specified animal or from which the animal article/cured trophy/uncured trophy is derived.
2. Number.
3. Description (including sex if possible)
4. Identification mark, if any.
5. Source of procurement and the licence/permission Number.
6. Certificate of ownership, if any.
7. Mode of transport.
8. Route.
9. Period required for transport.
10. Destination.

I hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the information furnished herein is true and complete.

Place  
Date

*Signature of the applicant.*

[ Strike out whichever is not applicable ]



FORM 'B'

[ See sub-rule (2) of the rule (3) ]

Application for permission to transport specified animal etc outside the Union Territory of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

To  
The Chief Wild Life Warden,

I, ..... Resident at ..... Taluk .....  
District ..... and holding licence No. .... granted under section  
44(4) of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 (53 of 1973) requested that I may be  
granted permission to transport the following :

1. Species of specified animal or from which the animal  
article/cured trophy/uncured trophy is derived.
2. Number.
3. Description (including sex if possible).
4. Identification mark, if any.
5. Source of procurement and the licence/permission Number.
6. Certificate of ownership, if any.
7. Mode of Transport upto destination.
8. Route.
9. Period required for transport.
10. Destination.
11. Purpose of the transport.
12. If for sale : -  
(a) The licence No. or permit No. of the proposed purchaser.  
(b) Authority from whom the licence/permit obtained by the purchaser.  
(c) Approximate rate for each.

I hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the information  
furnished herewith is true and complete

Place  
Date

Signature of the applicant.

[ Strike out whichever is not applicable ]

FORM 'C'

[ See sub rule (3) of rule 3 ]

Permission to transport specified animal etc.

(P) Sri ..... holding licence No. .... granted  
under section 44(4) of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 (53 of 1973) is hereby per-  
mitted to transport in the manner prescribed below the following specified animal  
a article/cured trophy/uncured trophy derived from specified animal from .....  
..... to .....

1. Mode of transport.
2. Route.
3. Period allowed for transport.
4. Destination
5. Remarks.

Issued by me this ..... day of .....

Seal  
Place  
Date

Signature

Designation

Chief Wild Life Warden/Wild Life Warden  
Andaman & Nicobar Islands.