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Dear

Madam,

Government of India has launched National Water Mission (NWM) under National Action Plan for Climate Change guided by Prime Minister's Council. The main objective of NWM is "conservation of water, minimizing wastage and ensuring its more equitable distribution both across and within States through integrated water resources development and management". Under the mission every State and Union Territory is being supported to formulate a State Specific Action Plan (SSAP) for Water for sustainable development and management of their water resources by linking with the respective State Action Plan for Climate Change and other sectoral plans. The SSAP includes preparation of State Water Budget.

The State Specific Action Plan on water is a multi-disciplinary activity requiring active participation of all Government Departments related to water from supply side, demand side, governance side, technology side and environment and climate change perspective and also that of non-government agencies and citizens. Thus, State/UT Governments need mentoring and guidance in the formulation of plans through convergence and synergy.

Forestry and Wildlife plays a pivotal role in water cycle. Thus hereby I earnestly request you to kindly designate a nodal officer for SSAP on water and request you to kindly depute him/her to attend a meeting on 11th September, 2017 at 11 AM at National Water Mission on the said subject.

. With warm regards

Earnestly seeking your kind help.

Yours truly,

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