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National Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management and Planning Authority Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

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NOTIFICATION

Whereas, the Central Government has notified the "National Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management and Planning Authority" in exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1) of section 8 of the Compensatory Afforestation Fund Act, 2016 (38 of 2016) (CAF Act, 2016) on the 30th day of September, 2018, vide gazette notification **S.O.** 4855(E) dated the 14th September, 2018.

2. Further, the Competent Authority has approved non-official expert members of Executive Committee of National Authority, CAMPA, for a period of two years as per the provisions under Section-9(2) of Compensatory Afforestation Fund Act, 2016 issued vide notification dated 06.09.2022. Accordingly, the Executive Committee of the National Authority is notified as hereunder:

S.No	Designation and Address of the office	
i.	Director General of Forests and Special Secretary, Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India	Chairperson,ex officio
ii.	Additional Director General of Forests (Forest Conservation), Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India	Member, ex officio
iii.	Additional Director General of Forests (Wildlife), Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India	Member, ex officio
iv.	Mission Director, National Mission for a Green India, Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India	Member, ex officio;
v.	Financial Adviser, Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India	Member, ex officio;
vi.	Head of all regional offices of Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India	Members, ex officio;
vii.	Inspector General of Forests (Forest Conservation), Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India	Member, ex officio;
viii.	Dr. Kailash Chandra Sharma- Professional Ecologist	Expert Member*
ix.	 Shri Anil Kumar Ganeriwala, IFS (Retd.)- Forestry, Shri Girish Kuber - Tribal Development, Shri Ashwani Kumar - Forest Economy Development 	Expert Members**
х.	Chief Executive Officer of the National Authority	Member-Secretary

^{*}One professional ecologist will be appointed by the Ministry for a period of two years.

^{**}Three experts one each in the fields of forestry, tribal development, forest economy development for a period of two years.

- 3. The functions of the Executive Committee of the National Authority are defined in section 15(1) of the Act and are as under:
 - Approval of annual plan of operations of State/UT Authorities;
 - Formulate proposals and execute schemes/ pilot projects as per CAF Act,2016; ii.
 - To present its decisions to the Governing Body of the National Authority for iii. information.
 - Formulate proposals for schemes specified in sub-clause (iii) of clause (b) of section 5; iv.
 - Execute schemes specified in sub-clause (iii) of clause (b) of section 5;
 - Deploy staff on contract or on deputation basis to the posts in the National Authority; vi.
- Formulate proposals for creation of posts in the National Authority at the level of vii. Assistant Inspector General of Forests and other officers;
- Invest surplus amounts available in the National Fund; viii.
- Execute other day-to-day work in respect of receipt of amounts in the National Fund; ix.
- Maintain books of account and such other records; facilitate scientific, X.
- Technological and other assistance that may be required by State Authorities; xi.
- Present its decisions to the governing body of the National Authority for information; xii.
- Maintain and update a public information system on the National Authority xiii.
- Present all information on its transaction in the public domain; undertake any other xiv. work as may be assigned by the Governing Body of the National Authority or the Central Government, from time to time.

Chief Executive Officer, National Authority

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- 1. PS to Hon'ble Minister Environment, Forest and Climate Change, New Delhi
- 2. The Director General of Forests & Special Secretary, MoEF&CC, New Delhi
- 3. The Chief Secretary, all States/UTs
- 4. The PCCF & HoFF, all States/UTs
- 5. Additional Director General of Forests (Forest Conservation), Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, GOI, New Delhi.
- 6. Additional Director General of Forests (Wildlife), Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, GOI, New Delhi.
- 7. Mission Director, National Mission for a Green India, Ministry of Environment Forest & Climate Change, GOI, New Delhi.
- 8. Financial Adviser, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, New Delhi.
- 9. Head of all regional offices of Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, GoI, New Delhi.
- 10. Inspector General of Forests (Forest Conservation), Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, GoI, New Delhi.
- 11. Dr. Kailash Chandra Sharma, Professor(Retd.), Department of Botany, University of Rajasthan, kailashcsg@gmail.com
- 12. Expert Members of Executive Committee-
 - Shri. Anil Kumar Ganeriwala, IFS (Retd), anilganeriwala86@gmail.com i.
 - Shri. Girish Kuber, Vanvasi Kalyan Ashram, Maharshtra. ii.
 - Shri. Ashwani Kumar, 22B Turf View Motilal Gi Sanghi Marg, Worli. iii. ashwani.ashwani282@gmail.com
- 13. The CEO, State Authority, all States/UTs
- 14. NIC Cell with a request for displaying this order on the MoEF&CC website.