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**Sub: Guidelines on Minimum Dimensions of Enclosures for Housing Exotic Animals of Different Species- reg.**

As decided in the 57<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Technical Committee of Central Zoo Authority held on 24<sup>th</sup> March 2011, a Sub-committee of Expert Group on Zoo Designing of the Central Zoo Authority was constituted to prepare Guidelines on Minimum Dimensions of Enclosures for Housing Exotic Animals of Different Species. The Sub-committee prepared the detailed guidelines and placed them before the 59<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Technical Committee held on 20<sup>th</sup> September 2011, wherein the guidelines were recommended for approval of Ministry of Environment and Forests. Therefore, comments and suggestions are invited from the Civil Society, scientists, stakeholders and public at large until 8<sup>th</sup> January 2012 to enable further necessary action.

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