



ANIMAL WELFARE BOARD OF INDIA

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To,

The Director General of Police of all the State Governments/UTs

Subject: One day training program for Police Officials / Traffic Police Officials on "Animal Welfare Laws" – regarding.

Sir/Madam,

The Animal Welfare Board of India (AWBI) is a statutory body established under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960 and is an Apex Body with the mandate to promote animal welfare in the Country and safeguard the rights of the animals as well as to ensure that the five freedoms of the animals are upheld and no animals are subjected to any unnecessary pain or suffering.

In this regard, it is proposed that the training programme on Animal Welfare Laws in the respective States and UTs to be conducted for the Police Officials. So far, the AWBI has conducted a Police training program at Bengaluru. With the mandate of effective implementation of the provisions of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960 and Rules made thereunder, the Board would like to conduct such training programs in all the States and UTs. The brief of the training programme are as below:-

1. Introduction of the Animal Welfare Laws.
2. The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960.
3. Regulations on Slaughter of animals and Transportation of Animals
4. Care and maintenance of Case Property Animals
5. Practical Training and case studies.

The training programme will surely create awareness and sensitize the officials in implementation of the animals welfare laws in the State and also to implement the provisions of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960 and its Rules effectively to prevent unnecessary pain or suffering to animals.

In view of the above, it is requested to give your consent and a suitable date(s) for conducting the training programme for police / traffic officials in your State at the earliest for taking further necessary action.

Yours Sincerely,

(Dr. S.K. Dutta)
 Secretary

Copy to: **The Member Secretary, State Animal Welfare Boards of all the State and UTs** - to co-ordinate with the concerned Police Department for fixing the date and venue for

organizing the training programme along with the AWBI and intimate the same to the Board.