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पोर्ट ब्लेयर / Port Blair दिनाक / dated 28/08/2018

То

The Manager Govt. Press Port Blair

Sub: Publishing of Press Note reg.

Sir,

Kindly find enclosed herewith the Press Note on "*Crocodile Capturing, Rescue and Release Techniques for field staff, members of Joint Patrolling Team and Quick Response Team*" along with the photos, with the request to publish in your tomorrow edition of "The Daily Telegram" i.e. on 29.08.2018 conveniently.

Yours sincerely

Encl: Hard copy & soft copy

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PRESS NOTE

A two days Capacity Building training on "*Crocodile Capturing, Rescue and Release Techniques for field staff, members of Joint Patrolling Team and Quick Response Team*" of the Department of Environment and Forests was organized at Mini zoo, Haddo. At the outset Shri Naveen Kumar P, DCF(WL) welcomed all the participants from various divisions viz Campbell Bay, Little Andaman, North and Middle Andaman, South Andaman, Baratang, while emphasizing requirement of such training programme. The Chief Guest of the occasion Dr Trinath Kumar, Conservator of Forests(WL) while addressing the gathering stressed upon the requirement of skilled manpower in dealing with man crocodile conflict in the Island and implored upon trainees to take part in the exercise with utmost zeal to safe guard precious life of human and crocodile. Subsequently, the ACF(WL) Shri Rajendra Verma, proposed vote of thanks. The Sr. Veterinary Officer, Dr Sam Varghese briefed about the anatomy, behaviour and other characteristics features of crocodile. The staff and workers were imparted practical training on capturing and release of crocodile by Range Officer (Protection), Wildlife Division, Shri Suresh Vengappan and team. The programme concluded with distribution of certificates to the participants by DCF(WL).

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