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भारत सरकार  
Government of India  
मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्रालय  
Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying  
(पशुपालन और डेयरी विभाग)  
Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying

Chanderlok Building, Janpath,  
New Delhi-110001  
Dated- 26.04.2024.

To,

Sh. S.K. Singh,  
SPCA, Kushinagar,  
Camp Office Raghinath pur,  
Sirsiyan Khohiya,  
Dist. – Kushinagar,  
U.P. – 274408.

**Subject:** Information sought under RTI Act, 2005/Decision on hearing  
No.CIC/MOENF/A/2023/112482 dt. 11.03.24 – reg.

Sir,

Please refer to your RTI application dated 12.12.2022 seeking various information under RTI Act – 2005, first appeal dt. 19.01.23 and second appeal dt. 06.03.23 to Chief Information Commissioner, CIC and decision of CIC dt.22.03.24. Point-wise information is as follows: –

1. At present, work of Animal Welfare Board of India (AWBI) is additionally entrusted with National Livestock Mission (NLM) Division of Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying. There is no such division as 'Animal Welfare Division' under DAHD.
2. The NLM division of DAHD has entrusted with administrative works related to AWBI and providing grant to AWBI for various activities held in AWBI.

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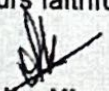
S.No.	Name & Designation	Additional Charge of AWBI
1.	Dr. O. P. Chaudhary, Joint Secretary, MoFAHD	Chairman, AWBI
2.	Dr. S. K. Dutta, Joint Commissioner, MoFAHD	Secretary, AWBI
3.	Ms. Anamika Nigam, Under Secretary, DAHD	looking after the work of AWBI
4.	Mr. Bharat Kumar, S.O., DaAHD	looking after the work of AWBI

The requisite information related to AWBI is available on the website of AWBI  
<https://awbi.gov.in>.

6. Matters related to constitution of SPCA are under the purview of State Governments. Therefore, it is requested to contact to States / UTs. It is informed that as per the SPCA Rules, 2021, the State Government is the competent authority to constitute and notify the SPCA. Thus, the applicant is requested to approach the concern States/UTs.

7. It is to inform that no such grant is provided by this department directly to any organisation. AWBI is the grantee body under this department which oversee the Central Sector Scheme and all the grants released to any organisation is made by AWBI.

Yours faithfully

  
(Anamika Nigam)

Under Secretary (Admn.VI) & CPIO

Copy to:-

1. Central Information Commission, Baba Gang Nath Marg, Munirka, New Delhi-110067.
2. RTI Cell, D/o AH&D, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. ✓ NIC, DAHD for uploading the reply on the website of the Department.