

From

To

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Please find enclosed three pro-formas of "CAPTIVE CROCODILE BREEDING RECORD INVESTIGATION PROFORMA". I request you to fill it up and return it in the above address at an early date.

I am investigating the ~~possibility~~ ^{as a part of my research program} about the captive breeding of crocodiles in captivity. ~~It is~~ ^{This may have been} successful in your zoo, as mentioned in the schedule I of 1972 Wild Life Act.

Thank you for your kind co-operation.
Yours sincerely,

Dear Sir,

As a part of my research work I am investigating about the breeding of crocodilians in captivity. I believe, your institution has also ~~achieved~~ ^{achieved} the rare distinction of breeding crocodilians in captivity.

~~For this purpose~~ I am therefore sending two copies of a pro-forma entitled "CAPTIVE CROCODILE BREEDING RECORD INVESTIGATION PROFORMA". I request you to fill in the same and ~~send~~ ^{return} me one copy.

Anticipating an early reply and thanking you for the co-operation, I remain.

Yours faithfully

CAPTIVE CROCODILE BREEDING RECORD PROFORMA INVESTIGATION FORM
PROFORMA

1 - Name and address of the zoo -

2 - What species of Indian crocodiles are in your zoo. (Please tick in the box if you have it in the zoo.)

NAME	SPECIES	TOTAL NUMBER IN THE ZOO	
		ADULT	JUVENILE
1 Gharial	(<i>Gavialis gangeticus</i>) <input type="checkbox"/>		
2 Salt water crocodile	(<i>Crocodylus porosus</i>) <input type="checkbox"/>		
3 Muggar crocodile	(<i>Crocodylus palustris</i>) <input type="checkbox"/>		
any other exotic crocodile -			
1			
2			
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3 - ~~WHETHER~~ ~~HAVE~~ ANY SPECIES OF CROCODILE HAS BREED IN YOUR ZOO - Yes/NO

4 - Name of the species that has bred -

5 - IF YES, PLEASE FILL IN THIS PROFORMA BELOW

YEAR	Number of clutches laid	Total eggs in each clutch	Date of hatching	Total hatched	Remarks

6. ARE YOU INITIATING ANY CAPTIVE BREEDING PROGRAMS - Yes / No

7. If yes, for which species of crocodile -

8. If you have any surplus crocodiles (of any species) in your zoo are you willing to exchange or donate / ~~sell~~ / loan them to other zoos for breeding purpose - Yes / No

9. If yes ~~what species / how many in number~~

a. ~~what~~ which species?

b. How many?

c. Conditions for exchange - (donation) / loan / sale?

10.

Do you need any assistance to start a ^{captive} breeding programme for crocodiles. If yes, of what sort?

We need ~~of~~: Male / Female Adults / Design of breeding pool / Sexing the available crocodiles in our zoo.

Date -

sd/-