



**One day training on
Biodiversity Act & Rules
and the role of Forest
Officers**



Programme Schedule

Venue: State Forest Training Institute, Arippa

Date: 05.08.2019

09.30 am – 10.00 am Registration

INAUGURAL SESSION

10.00 am - 10.30 am

Silent Prayer

Welcome Address:

Shri. K.R. Anoop IFS,
Conservator of Forests, ABP Circle

Inaugural address and lighting of lamp:

Shri. Surendrakumar IFS,
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (WL) &
Chief Wildlife Warden, Kerala

Address by Chief Guest:

Dr. S.C. Joshi IFS (Retd),
Chairman, Kerala State Biodiversity Board

Felicitation:

Shri. K. Vijayanandan IFS,
Chief Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle

Vote of Thanks:

Dr. V. Balakrishnan,
Member Secretary,
Kerala State Biodiversity Board

National Anthem

TRAINING SESSION

10.30 am – 11.15 am : Introduction. Biodiversity –An overview

Dr.S.C.Joshi IFS (Retd)
Chairman, KSBB

11.15 am 11.30 am : Tea

11.30 am -01.00 pm : **Session 1** Implementation of Biodiversity Act, Rules and Role of Range Forest Officers

Shri. Achalender Reddy IFS
Director, Centre for Innovations in Public Systems
Hyderabad

01.00 pm –02.00pm : **Session 2** Organizational structure of Biodiversity Conservation in the Country including state; issues negatively affecting Biodiversity Conservation and constraints in effectively using the institutional structure like working group, BMC and PBR.

Dr. Jacob Joseph
Assistant professor & Director in charge
Centre for Law and Agriculture, NUALS

02.00pm - 02.45 pm : Lunch

02.45 pm – 03.45pm : **Group discussion**
Panel:

Dr.S.C.Joshi IFS (Retd). Chairman, KSBB,
Dr.V. Balakrishnan. Member Secretary, KSBB
Shri.K.V Govindan, Dr.K Satheeshkumar, } Board Members,
Dr. K.T Chandramohan, Dr.T S Swapna } KSBB

Allocation of responsibilities & work plan on

- BD Act and enforcement
- Empowering BMC as Environmental watch groups
- Linkages between BMC/ VSS and industries for ABS
- Conservation of Biodiversity rich areas as BHS

03.45 pm-4.30 pm : Presentation of recommendation of each group.

