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To

1. The Chief Secretary of Rajasthan,
Secretariat Office, Jaipur-302004, Email: cs-rajasthan@nic.in

1. The Director General of Police,
Office of the Director General of Police,
J-9, Jhalana Institutional Area, Jhalana Doongari,
Jaipur-302004, Email: dgp-ri@nic.in

Subject: Alleged complaint regarding the illegal transportation of Camels.

Ref: Email received dated 08.02.2021 from Shri Sumant Ojha

Sir,

With reference to the above cited subject, it is stated that the Board has received an email from Shri Sumant Ojha stated that the irregularities happening in Cattle (Camel) Mela held in Rajasthan. Where locals are allowed to buy and sell the camels to outsiders. Under section 7 and 8 of the Camels Act no outsiders is allowed to buy and export them outside Rajasthan. The illegal traders escape with large numbers of camels each month and sell them in the name of sacrifice by a particular community. A copy of the complaint is attached, which is self-explanatory.

Cruelty against the animals is an offense under Section 3 and 11 of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960, IPC 428 & 429 and Section 7 and 8 of Rajasthan Camel (Prohibition of Slaughter and Regulation of Temporary Migration or Export) Act, 2015.

The Hon'ble Supreme Court had directed to take action against the erring officials as per the Para 77 of the S.L.P.No.(C) 11686 of 2007, Animal Welfare Board of India Vs A.Nagaraja & Others and the department of Personnel and Training, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension had issued guidelines vide F.No.30/9/2006-Welfare dated 26.5.2006 to take action against such personnel violating the laws. The copies of the same is attached herewith for your information.

In view of the above, it is requested to direct the concerned authorities to investigate the matter and take necessary action against the offenders as per the law. A copy of the action taken report be forwarded to the Board at the earliest.

"Please treat this as most urgent".

Yours sincerely,

(Dr.S.K.Dutta)
Secretary

Copy to: for information and further appropriate action.

1. All the District Magistrate of Rajasthan,