

## Government of M.P., Forest Department Office of the Field Director, Bandhavgarh Tiger Reserve



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## Letter of Appreciation

Bandhavgarh Tiger Reserve, rated as one of the finest Tiger Reserve in India, envisioned to have its first official Coffee Table Book as a humble attempt to bring to light the mystic beauty of the majestic Tigers, splendor of nature with rich diverse species of wildlife, flora, and fauna. The book has to be a testament to what Bandhavgarh stands for, rich cultural & historical heritage.

Among the many options that we had, based on his previous experience in delivering masterpiece Coffee Table Book for Corbett Tiger Reserveand anationalaward-winning Coffee Table Book for Kanha Tiger Reserve, we choose Prof. Jitender Govindani to do a Coffee Table Book for Bandhavgarh. It gives me immense pleasure to say the book has some of the most amazing captures in this breathtakingly beautiful landscape along with vivid description in the form of the present Coffee Table Book before the readers. The book will not only showcase the beauty of this magical land but also spread awareness about nature and wildlife conservation among readers. The present Covid scenario has prevented many wildlife lovers from across the world to travel to their favored destinations, and this book, I am sure, will take them to a virtual journey of the park.

I express my heartfelt gratitude to Prof. Jitender Govindani & his team for working tirelessly around the clock for over a year in the entire process from conceptualization till giving the book a desired shape including compiling photographs, facilitating design & print and being on field to click some exclusive landscape pictures. His professional approach right from start to finish is un-paralleled, this book will not only bring lots of joy to the people who read it around the world but also help us in generating funds from the sale of this book, which were used for the noble cause of welfare of the foot soldiers & their family.

I wish him in loads of success in his future endeavors.

(Vincent Rahim) I.F.S.

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