

1.7 Boards, Councils, Committees and other Bodies constituted as part of the Public Authority [Section 4(1) (b) (viii)]

A statement of the boards, councils, committees and other bodies consisting of two or more persons constituted as its part or for the purpose of its advice, and as to whether meetings of those boards, councils, committees and other bodies are open to the public, or the minutes of such meetings are accessible for public.

A National Level Special Coordination Committee for Wildlife Crime Control Bureau has been constituted Vide Ministry of Environment and Forests, Gol OM No. 11-11/WCCB/2009(Pt2)/84415/07/2009 date....with the following members:

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| 1. Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forests | Chairman |
| 2. Director, Intelligence Bureau (or his representative) | Member |
| 3. Director General of Forest & Special Secretary, MoEF | Member |
| 4. Chairman (or his representative) Central Board of Exercise & Customs | Member |
| 5. Special Secretary M/o Home Affairs | Member |
| 6. Director (or his representative) Central Bureau of Investigation | Member |
| 7. Director General (or his representative) Directorate of Revenue Intelligence | Member |
| 8. Director General (or his representative) Border Security Force | Member |
| 9. Director General (or his representative) Indo Tibetan Border Police | Member |
| 10. Director General (or his representative) Sashastra Seema Bal | Member |
| 11. Director General (or his representative) CISF | Member |
| 12. Director General (or his representative) Narcotics Control Bureau | Member |
| 13. Commissioner of Police (or his representative) New Delhi | Member |
| 14. Commissioner of Security (or his representative)
Bureau of Civil Aviation Security | Member |
| 15. Secretary, Dept. of Posts (or his representative not
Below the rank of Jt. Secretary) | Member |
| 16. Representative of the Ministry of Defense
(Not below the rank of Jt. Secy.) | Member |
| 17. Director General or his representative
Railway Protection Force (Not below the rank of IGP) | Member |

18. Member Traffic, Railway Board (or his Representative)	Member
19. Director General, Coast Guard (or his Representative)	Member
20. Addl. Director General Forests (Wildlife) & Director (Wildlife Preservation) Ex-officio Director (WCCB)	Member
21. Addl. Director, Wildlife Crime Control Bureau (WCCB)	Member Secretary

The functions of the Special Coordination Committee are as under:

- 1) Promote effective inter-departmental coordination to control poaching and illegal trade in wildlife and wild life products in the country as well at various exit points;
- 2) To promote sharing of information and enforcement of provisions of Wildlife (Protection) Act and to Curb illegal trans-border trade; and
- 3) To promote capacity building and sensitization toward wildlife protection issues.