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To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests  
Department of Forests & Environment,  
Government of Orissa,  
Janpath, Shaheed Nagar  
Bubhaneswar – 751 007,  
Orissa

**Sub:- Nominations of IFS Officers promoted from SFS to the Indian Forest Service for the professional Skill Up-gradation course (PSUC) in 2016-17 scheduled from 07<sup>th</sup> November 2016 to 13<sup>th</sup> January 2017 at IGNFA regarding.**

Sir,

Indira Gandhi National Forest Academy, (IGNFA) is the training institute for Indian Forest Service Officers. The Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India, being the Cadre Controlling Authority for the Indian Forest Service, introduced Induction Training Programme of 10 weeks for the professional Skill Up-gradation Course (PSUC) of IFS officers who get inducted into the Indian Forest Service by promotion from state Forest Service. This training course is a compulsory programme for the eligible officers promoted to IFS who have not attained the age of 52 years on such appointment as per the rule 6 (3) of the IFS (Probation) Rules, 1968, on the pattern of Induction Training organized for the other two All India Services. Accordingly, IGNFA has been organizing this course since the year 1996.

In view of the above, it is requested to kindly send the details of eligible IFS officers promoted from SFS who have not undergone above mentioned course in the following format:

Sl .No.	Name of officer	Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	Date of appointment to IFS	Remarks, if any

You are requested to send the above information latest by 30<sup>th</sup> June 2016 so as to enable the IGNFA to finalize the list of officers to be trained in the PSUC to be conducted during 2016-17.

Yours faithfully

(Dr. Shashi Kumar)  
Director