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To

Sir/Madam,  
(as per list)

**Sub: Brainstorming Session on "Integration of NBA Electronic Dashboard on BMCs and PBRs with NICs "Gram Manchitra" for Effective Conservation on 5<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 from 1500 to 1700 h – reg.**

I am pleased to inform you that the National Biodiversity Authority is in the process of developing an Electronic Dashboard on Biodiversity Management Committee (BMCs) and People's Biodiversity Registers (PBRs) pertaining to the entire country. Of the over 2,75,000 records to be entered for the country, 15000 records pertaining to the States of Tamil Nadu, Goa, Sikkim and Tripura have already been entered in this electronic dashboard, which currently has minimalistic 12 fields of information.

The National Informatics Centre (NIC) has already established a *state-of-the-art* spatial database "*Gram Manchitra*" for facilitating participatory governance at the grassroots level. There is a need to build synergies between the NBA and NIC databases so as to bring in convergence of the Gram Panchayat Development Plan (GPDP) and the biodiversity governance in the country.

In this context a brainstorming meeting will be held virtually on **Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> July from 1500 to 1700 h**. A draft programme is enclosed (**Annex-I**). The virtual meeting link will be sent separately.

Kindly convey your acceptance to participate and contribute in the meeting to the u/s with cc Dr. K. P. Raghuram, Technical Officer, NBA (Mob: 9884164904; [techbs@nba.nic.in](mailto:techbs@nba.nic.in)) at the earliest.

Thanking you,

Encl: as above

Yours faithfully,

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Chairperson