

Forest dept launches its training portal

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NEW DELHI: Delhi environment and forest minister Gopal Rai on Sunday launched a training portal, <https://training.eforest.delhi.gov.in>, for all stakeholders with an interest in forests and green areas.

The portal was launched during the fifth Van Mahotsav celebration on Utsav Ground.

Rai said: "The main objective of this portal is to train all stakeholders in various acts (Delhi Preservation of Trees Act, 1994; Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980; Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972; Indian Forest Act, 1927; National Biodiversity Act, 2005 and Mukhyamantri Shahri Bagwani Yojana) and schemes

implemented by the forest department. It will also impart training on plantation, transplantation and other activities of the department."

"Apart from this, the portal will also provide information regarding online submission of applications for the training of stakeholders and various departments/organisations in Delhi with the facility to choose topics as per requirements in each Act/Scheme, online tracking of applications, issue of schedule for training, viewing past training organised by the department and online generation of certificate to participants."

Many new portals were launched by the department in the Van Mahotsav programmes organised recently. An online portal was started by the department for the distribution of saplings from where Delhi residents can book free saplings.