# Ranger Perception Survey

## A. General Information

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<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Age</th>
<th>Sex</th>
<th>Job Status</th>
<th>Designation</th>
<th>Name of Protected Area/Non-PA</th>
<th>State/Province</th>
<th>Country</th>
<th>How Long You Have Been a Frontline Staff</th>
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<td>2019-2020</td>
<td>20-25</td>
<td>Male/Female</td>
<td>Temporary</td>
<td>Watcher</td>
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<td>26-30</td>
<td>30-35</td>
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<td>Permanent</td>
<td>Forest Guard</td>
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<td>36-40</td>
<td>40-45</td>
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<td>56-60</td>
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## B. Core Questions

1. What is your motivation for continuing as ranger?
   - *Rank from 1-10 (10 is highest & 1 is lowest)*
   - I enjoy being a ranger
   - I enjoy being close to nature
   - I believe it is an exciting job
   - I have a good promotion prospect
   - I am living my dream
   - I have no other job option
   - I am a respected member of the community because of this work
   - I like to implement the law
   - I like the power and authority this job gives me
   - Other

2. Have you been threatened by community members or other people because of your work?
   - Yes
   - No

3. Have you faced a life-threatening situation in your career?
   - Attacked by poachers
   - Yes/No
   - Threatened by poachers
   - Yes/No
   - Threatened by community
   - Yes/No
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<th>Dangerous encounter with wildlife</th>
<th>Yes/No</th>
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<td>Not applicable</td>
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4. What is the worst aspect of being a ranger? Rate from 1-10 (10 is highest & 1 is lowest)

- Boring work
- Poor treatment by public and government
- Poor facilities & infrastructure
- No reward for hard work
- Rarely see my family
- Low pay
- Irregular pay
- Inadequate leave
- No recognition as a professional
- Dangerous working condition
- Frequent transfer
- Not Applicable

5. How many days/night per month do you get to see your family? Please select one (v)

- > 5 days
- 5-10 days
- 10-15 days
- 15-20 days

6. Do you feel working conditions have become better or worse since you first became a ranger? (if less than 1 year in service, do not answer) Please select one (v)

- Better conditions
- Worse conditions
- Same/similar conditions

7. Do you feel conditions have worsened or improved over the last 3 years? (if you have worked less than 3 years, do not answer) Please select one (v)

- Better conditions
- Worse conditions
- Same/similar conditions

8. Do you feel you are provided with proper equipment and enough amenities (clothes, firearms, GPS, food, safe drinking water etc.) to ensure your health and safety in the field? Yes ☐ No ☐

9. Do you feel adequately trained to do your job? Yes ☐ No ☐
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<th>10. Would you want your children to become rangers?</th>
<th>Yes ☐ No ☐</th>
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<td>If Yes why?</td>
<td>If No why?</td>
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<td>☐ I am proud to be a ranger</td>
<td>☐ There is no reward for hard work</td>
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<td>☐ I want my children to serve nature</td>
<td>☐ It has a low salary</td>
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<td>☐ It is easy to get ranger job</td>
<td>☐ The pay is irregular</td>
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<td>☐ I want my children to serve their country</td>
<td>☐ They would have to stay apart from their family</td>
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<td>☐ To have power &amp; authority</td>
<td>☐ There is no potential for promotion</td>
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<td>☐ There is good Job security</td>
<td>☐ It is dangerous</td>
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