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Background: Wildlife Reserves Singapore Conservation Fund (WRSCF) is a charity and an Institution of Public Character, established by Wildlife Reserves Singapore, the parent company of Jurong Bird Park, Night Safari and Singapore Zoo. The Fund was set up with the primary purpose of conserving endangered native wildlife. As an independent charity, it is supported by a team of specialists from various related organisations. The Fund's focus will be on native animal conservation efforts and the issue of climate change.

Objectives:

- To promote co-operation between zoological institutions, aquariums, bird parks, conservation organisations, education institutions and government agencies with regards to nature conservation
- To provide knowledge, skills, funding and resources to promote field conservation
- To offer environment and conservation education to enhance the public awareness and understanding of wildlife conservation
- To support disaster emergency relief and recovery with an aim to save people, their community and their wildlife.

Funding: An initial seed fund of S\$1 million was contributed by WRS. In addition, since April 2009, 20 cents from every entrance ticket sold to any of WRS' three parks (Jurong Bird Park, Night Safari and Singapore Zoo) has been channelled to WRSCF.

First Fund Recipient: National University of Singapore's Ah Meng Memorial Conservation Fund

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