

INDIAN BUSTARD ON THE BRINK OF EXTINCTION

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The great Indian bustard, that narrowly missed being christened India's national bird, is now teetering on its last legs.

Several threats — including power lines — are decimating bustard populations. India, effectively the only home of the bustards, now harbours less than 150 individuals in five States.

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With the increase in anthropogenic activities like trade and transport, the biogeographical borders are broken down

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