

## **On The Right Track**

Eighteen Asian elephants were killed in accidents with trains on a railway line that crosses the Rajaji National Park in the northern Indian Uttarakhand state between 1987 and 2001. This line connects the holy city of Haridwar with the capital of this state, Dehradun, and is one of the busiest.

This film documents a Rapid Action Project undertaken by the Wildlife Trust of India which studied the problem and suggested solutions that ultimately led to steps that ensured no elephant deaths on this 14 km track since 2001. This project brought the Indian Railways and the Uttarakhand Forest Department closer and they have since worked in tandem to make the Rajaji effort a model for other areas to emulate.

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