

## **PALJOR JIGME DORJI**

Advisor, National Environment Commission, Govt. of Bhutan

Paljor Jigme Dorji of Bhutan, the Special Advisor to the National Environment Commission of Bhutan, served from 1966 and emerged from the ranks of the District Magistrate, Judge of the High court, Chief Justice, Deputy Minister and Ambassador to the United Nations in Geneva. Mr Dorji was awarded the UNEP global 500 Laureate in1988, Office of the order of the golden Ark (Netherlands). For work on conservation in general and establishment of the world's first environment trust fund. Mr Dorji founde the Bhutan's first and only environment NGO (Royal Society for the Protection of Nature in Bhutan).

Mr Dorji chairs the Bhutan ornithological society.