To,
The Chief Engineer (WR),
Water Resources Department,
Sinchan Bhavan, Shivaji Nagar, Camp,
Amravati – 444 603.

Sub : Returning of Kotha (MI) Storage Tank &
Janori - 2 (MI) Storage Tank in Amravati
District under VIDV Nagpur.

Ref : 1) सूचना अभियंता, जलसंपत्ति विभाग, अमरावती याचे पत्र क्र.
धारा.क्र. 364/3228/2010 दिनांक 01/09/2010
2) सूचना अभियंता, जलसंपत्ति विभाग, अमरावती याचे पत्र क्र.
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1.00 The Projects at Sr. No. (a) and (b) in Purna sub basin of Tapi Basin were received for clearance by MWRRA under Section 11 (f) of the Act, vide above References.
(a) Kotha (MI) Storage Tank, Taluka Anjangaon, District Amravati
(b) Janori – 2 (MI) Storage Tank, Taluka Achalpur, District Amravati

2.00 These projects presently meet the required techno-economic norms relating to hydrology, B/C ratio & and are within cost per TCM of gross storage.
3.00 Vide Hon. Governor’s directives for FY 2010-11, there is irrigation backlog in Amravati & three other Districts. However vide Para 12 of these directives; no new irrigation project should be taken up in these four districts, as there are sufficient number of ongoing projects which will take care of the remaining backlog in these districts. Therefore there is no need to take up new irrigation projects in Amravati District.

4.00 As per Para – 22 and 28 of Hon. Governor’s directives for the FY 2010–11, clearance for keeping projects on shelf for obtaining statutory clearance can be accorded to projects in Vidarbha region in Godavari basin only. Though these projects are in Vidarbha region but are located in Tapi basin.

5.00 In view of Para 3 and 4 above, these 2 (MI) Storage Tank in Amravati District are therefore returned herewith.

6.00 District-wise backlog is due for review. On completion of this review, if the need for new irrigation projects in this district is established, these projects may be resubmitted to MWRRA with revised techno-economic viability with reference to updated cost for according clearance under Section 11 (f) of the MWRRA Act, 2005 before implementation of these projects.

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