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## Maharashtra Water Resources Regulatory Authority (MWRRA)

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To,  
The Executive Director,  
Vidarbha Irrigation Development Corporation,  
Sinchan Seva Bhavan, Civil Lines,  
Nagpur - 440 001.

Sub : No objection for processing for environment & forest clearance and keeping on shelf by MWRRA to the Deori Navegaon Lift Irrigation Scheme (LIS) in District Gondia

Ref : का. सं., विपाविम, नागपूर यांचे पत्र क्र. १०२३३/विपाविम/का.तां.  
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- 1.00 The Deori Navegaon LIS, Taluka & District Gondia in Wainganga sub basin of Godavari basin has been received for clearance by MWRRA under Section 11 (f) of the Act, vide above reference.
- 2.00 This project has irrigation potential in Gondia district. As per Para 5 of Hon. Governor's directives for FY 2013-14, there is no irrigation backlog in Gondia District at present. Hence there is no need to take up new irrigation projects in this District, as irrigation backlog is removed.
- 3.00 This project will irrigate the existing tail portion command of Bagh Project through existing canal system of Pandharbodi distributory. The project presently meets the required techno-economic norms relating to hydrology and B/C ratio.
- 4.00 This project has been also cleared by the SLTAC on 30/09/2013 subject to condition that the State Government would approve the proposal of de-notifying 2,305 ha command of Bagh Project.

- 5.00 Environmental clearance is required for this project as per Notification of Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India, September 2006. The environmental clearance will have to be obtained from Competent Authority as stipulated by MoEF.
- 6.00 It is presumed that Deori Navegaon LIS does not involve diversion of forest land. A certificate to this effect needs to be furnished by concerned office.
- 7.00 The MWRRA is therefore pleased to convey its No objection to VIDC, Nagpur vide Para - 16 of Hon. Governor's directives for the annual plan 2013 - 14, for keeping this project on shelf and for giving Administrative Approval for limited purpose and the budget provision required for obtaining statutory clearance only i.e. environment & forest clearance. Thereafter the project should be kept on shelf till district-wise backlog comes up for review & no work should be started on this project till it is cleared by MWRRA under Section 11 (f) of the Act for construction.
- 8.00 If on completion of the review, the need for this project is reestablished, then the project may be resubmitted to MWRRA with revised techno-economic viability with reference to updated cost & compliance of condition mentioned in Para 4 to 6 above for according clearance under Section 11 (f) of the MWRRA Act, 2005 before implementation of this project.

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- 3) Superintending Engineer, Nagpur Irrigation Circle, Sinchan Seva Bhavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur - 440 001.

(S. V. Sodal)  
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MWRRA