

**Maharashtra Water Resources  
Regulatory Authority  
( MWRRA )**

**महाराष्ट्र जलसंपत्ती नियमन प्राधिकरण**

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File No: MWRRA/2008/PRCL/VIDC/IWIA/1514

Date : 12/08/2008

**Clearance to the Raperi Storage  
Tank under Vidarbha Irrigation  
Development Corporation (VIDC),  
Nagpur, by MWRRA under Sec.11  
(f) of the Act.**

Ref : १) का.सं.विपाविम, नागपूर यांचे पत्र क्र. ३२४२/विपाविम/का.तां ५/  
(२१/२००७)/ २००८ दिनांक १९/०७/२००८

**AUTHORITY MEMORANDUM**

**1.00** Section 11 (f) of the MWRRA Act (Act No.XVIII of 2005) reads as below:

“To review and clear water resources projects proposed at the sub-basin and river basin level to ensure that a proposal is in conformity with Integrated State Water Plan and also with regard to the economic, hydrologic and environmental viability and where relevant, on the State's obligations under Tribunal, Agreements, or Decrees involving interstate Entitlements:

Provided that, while clearing the new water resources projects by the concerned for construction proposed by River Basin Agencies, the Authority shall ensure that Governor's Directives issued from time to time, relating to investment priority for removal of regional imbalance are strictly observed;

Provided further that, in respect of the projects situated in Marathwada and Vidarbha Regions, the powers to accord administrative approval or revised administrative approval, under this clause, shall in accordance with the Governor's directives, be exercised by the concerned River Basin Agency”.

**2.00** Raperi Storage Tank, Taluka Karanja, District Washim in Godavari basin in Amravati Division was received for clearance by MWRRA under above mentioned Section of the Act, vide above Reference.

P.T.O.

- 3.00 (i) Project has been cleared by CE, WRD, Nagpur for water availability.  
(ii) The BC ratio is more than 1 and project is in backlog area.  
(iii) This Project is within prescribed cost norms in terms of Rs / 1000 cu.m. of Gross Storage.  
(iv) This Project is in Washim District, which is a back log district and the irrigation back log in Akola District (including Washim District) as on June 1994 is 1,77,280 ha in SRE and balance backlog of June 1994 as on June 2006 is 1,16,950 ha in SRE. This Project has a total potential in SRE of 575 ha.

4.00 This Project involves diversion of 8.75 ha forest land. A certificate of Forest Clearance from MoEF needs to be furnished. Environmental clearance is required for this Project as per Notification of Ministry of Environment & Forests, Government of India, September 2006 even these projects are categorised under minor irrigation project. The environmental angle clearance may be obtained from State Level Committee as per the stipulation in the MoEF's Notification as above.

5.00 The MWRRA is, therefore, pleased to accord clearance to this project under Sec.11 (f) of the MWRRA Act as per salient features appended herewith.

6.00 This clearance is issued under reference No. 30 dated 12/08/2008 and is registered under No. MWRRA / 2008 / PRCL / VIDC / 1W1A / 1514. dated 12/08/2008 in the office of the Authority.

7.00 The Receipt of this Memorandum may please be acknowledged.

Encl : Abstract Sheet

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(S.V. Sodal)  
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Secretary, MWRRA

- Copy forwarded to :
- 1) Secretary (WR), WRD, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
  - 2) Executive Director, Vidarbha Irrigation Development Corporation (VIDC), Sinchan Seva Bhavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur - 440 001.
  - 3) Chief Engineer (Special Project), Water Resources Department, Sinchan Bhavan, Shivaji Nagar, Camp, Amravati - 444 603.

**Clearance by MWRRRA to Raperi Storage Tank in VIDC, Nagpur**

Sr. No.	Name of Project/ Taluka/ District	Catchment Area Sq Km.	Basin/ Sub-basin	Annual Utilisation in Mm <sup>3</sup>				I.C.A. Ha	Cost in Lakh	Cost / T.C.M	Govt. yard-stick Cost / T.C.M.	B/C Ratio	Whether Project lies in Backlog District or otherwise	Remarks	
				Irrigation	Drinking	Industry	Evaporation								Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	Raperi Storage Tank Taluka Karanja, District Washim	13.455	Goda vari / Wardha	1.3918	0.22	Nil	0.3499	1.9617	366	667.69	29,013	29,023	1.07	Yes	Water Clearance by C.E, WRD, Nagpur