



महाराष्ट्र जलसंपत्ती नियमन प्राधिकरण Maharashtra Water Resources Regulatory Authority

File No. MWRRA/2018/PRCL/VIDC/104/855

Sub: Clearance to Rajegaon Kati (Medium) Lift Irrigation Scheme under VIDC, Nagpur (which is undergoing scope change) under Section 11 (f) of the MWRRA Act, 2005

Ref : ED, VIDC Nagpur's Letter No. १०६८०/विपाविम/का.तां.२/ रजेगावकाटी/(धा. क्र. /१८)१८ dated 31/10/2018

This is to inform you that the MWRRA has accorded the clearance under Section 11(f) of MWRRA Act, 2005 to Rajegaon Kati (Medium) LIS, Taluka & District Gondia vide Authority's Resolution No. 25 dated November 27, 2018. The copy of the Resolution is enclosed herewith.

Encl: As Above

(Dr. Suresh Kulkarni) Secretary

Date: 28/11/2018

Copy to

- 1. Principal Secretary (WRP & D), Water Resource Department, Mantralaya, Madam Kama Marg, Mumbai 400 032.
- 2. Executive Director, Vidarbha Irrigation Development Corporation, Sinchan Seva Bhavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur 440 001.
- 3. Chief Engineer, Gosikhurd Project, Water Resources Department Sinchan Seva Bhavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur 440 001.
- 4. Superintending Engineer, Nagpur Irrigation Circle, Water Resources Department, Sinchan Seva Bhavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur 440 001.





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Maharashtra Water Resources Regulatory Authority

Resolution No. 25 Dated November 27, 2018

Coram: Shri. K. P. Bakshi, Chairman Shri. V. M. Kulkarni, Member (WRE) Shri. Vinod J. Tiwari, Member (Law) Dr. S. T. Sangle, Member (Economics)

WHEREAS, the State Government accorded Administrative Approval (AA) to the Rajegaon Kati (Medium) Lift Irrigation Scheme (LIS), Taluka & District Gondia on September 30, 1999 and subsequently, 1st RAA on March 31, 2008 & 2nd RAA on March 31, 2011;

AND WHEREAS, the Irrigable Command Area (ICA) of the said project has been changed from 3040 ha to 3735 ha;

AND WHEREAS, the said project undergoes change in scope as per the provision in the Government Resolution No. Misc/2015/(425/2015)/ Medium Project dated November 16, 2016;

AND WHEREAS, Government Resolution No. Misc/2015/(425/2015)/ Medium Project dated November 16, 2016 has mandated prior approval of the MWRRA under Section 11(f) of MWRRA Act 2005, if the project undergoes change in scope;

AND WHEREAS, the Executive Director, Vidarbha Irrigation Development Corporation (VIDC), Nagpur vide letter No. १०६८०/विपाविम/का.तां.२/रजेगावकाटी /(धा. क्र./18)18 dated 31/10/2018 has submitted the proposal for the clearance of Maharashtra Water Resources Regulatory Authority (MWRRA) alongwith the scrutiny note and comments of State Level Technical Advisory Committee for clearance under Section 11(f) of the MWRRA Act, 2005;

AND WHEREAS, the proposal was scrutinized in light of the provisions in Section 11(f) of the MWRRA Act, 2005 and the policy - "Policy for Clearance under Section 11(f) of MWRRA Act, 2005 to Water Resources Projects which undergo Change of Scope" dated September 12, 2017;

AND WHEREAS, the said project is included in the Integrated State Water Plan (ISWP) for Godavari basin which is approved in meeting dated November 30, 2017 of State Water Council;

AND WHEREAS, the total water utilisation mentioned in ISWP of Godavari basin for this project is 16.023 Million Cubic Meter (MCM);

AND WHEREAS, the total water utilisation proposed in the proposal is 19.698 MCM;

AND WHEREAS, the water balance of the Bagh sub-basin of the Godavari basin, the balance water available for utilisation is 209 MCM;

AND WHEREAS, the ISWP is yet to be approved by the State Water Council;

AND WHEREAS, the Authority has ensured that the proposal is hydrologically viable;

AND WHEREAS, the Authority has ensured that the proposal is economically viable;

AND WHEREAS, the Authority has ensured that the proposal is environmentally viable;

AND WHEREAS, the Authority has ensured that no interstate aspect are involved in the said proposal;

AND WHEREAS, the Authority has ensured that the directives issued by Hon. Governor from time to time are being observed in the said proposal;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED THAT as the proposal is in conformity with the provisions in Section 11(f) of the MWRRA Act, 2005, Clearance be given to the Rajegaon Kati (Medium) LIS, Taluka & District Gondia.

It is further resolved that the said clearance shall be effective from the date of approval of ISWP with provision of 19.698 MCM of water utilisation and 3735 ha ICA of this project.

It is further resolved that ED VIDC, Nagpur shall ensure necessary compliance of provisions in Environmental (Protection) Act 1986 and Notification issued by Ministry of Environment and Forest from time to time.

(K. P. Bakshi) Chairman, MWRRA