## PRESS NOTICE

APPOINTMENT OF THE CHAIRPERSON AND MEMBER (WATER RESOURCES ENGINEERING) AS PER THE MAHARASHTRA WATER RESOURCES RAGULATORY AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT), ACT, 2016. (MAHARASHTRA ACT NO. VIII OF 2017).

1. Government of Maharashtra (GoM) has enacted Maharashtra Water Resources Regulatory Authority (MWRRA) to regulate water resources within the State of Maharashtra, facilitate and ensure judicious, equitable and sustainable management, allocation and utilisation of water resources, fix the rates for use of water for agriculture, industrial, drinking and other purposes, and matters connected therewith or incidental thereto. MWRRA act has come into force since 8<sup>th</sup> June, 2005.

## 2. Composition and Appointments:-

GoM desires to appoint Chairperson and Member (Water Resources Engineering) of MWRRA as provided under section 4(1)(a)(b) of the Maharashtra Water Resources Regulatory Authority (Amendment) Act 2016 (Maharashtra Act No. VIII of 2017 dated, 12<sup>th</sup> January 2017). GoM has constituted a Selection Committee under Section 5(1) of MWRA (Amendment) Act 2016. The Chief Secretary of the State is the President and Principal Secretary, Water Resources Department is the Member secretary of the Selection Committee. Nominations are being invited by the undersigned on behalf of the Selection Committee for the post of Chairperson and Member (Water Resources Engineering) of MWRRA.

## 3. Terms of office and other conditions relating thereto:-

- 3.1 Headquarter of the Authority is in Mumbai, or otherwise it shall be at any other place as notified by the Government of Maharashtra.
- 3.2 The Chairperson and Member shall normally hold office for a term of three years.

The Chairperson and Member shall be entitled to dearness allowance at the same rate admissible to the officers of the corresponding grade of the Indian Administrative/Judicial Services or the State Government.

Provided that, when the Chairperson and Member is a member or past member of the Union Service or any State Service the sum total of his pay and allowances and the amount of pension due to him shall not exceed the amount of last pay drawn by him, while he was in service.

Provided further that, the Chairperson and Member drawing his service pension shall not be entitled to any temporary increase in the dearness allowance under these Rules.

- 3.3 The Chairperson and Member shall be entitled to compensatory local allowance at the same admissible to the officers of the corresponding grade of the Indian Administrative/Judicial Services or the State Government.
- 3.4 The Chairperson and Member shall be entitled to a rent free accommodation of the equal area admissible to officers of the corresponding grade of the Indian Administrative/Judicial Services or the State Government.

Provided that, in the event of such accommodation not being available for any reason, the State Government may take a suitable accommodation on lease for the Chairperson and four other Members.

Provided further that, if Chairperson and Member are staying in their own house, they shall be paid a house rent allowance at the same rate admissible to the officers of the corresponding grade of the Indian Judicial/Administrative Services or the State Government.

The other terms of service of the Chairperson and Member shall be as prescribed by the State Government under the Maharashtra Water Resources Regulatory Authority (Conditions of Service of Chairperson and Members) Rules, 2006, notification dated 21<sup>st</sup> August 2006.

## 4. Eligibility:--

Sr.No.	Maharashtra Water Resources Regulatory Authority (Amendment) Act, 2016 (Maharashtra Act No.VIII of 2017)	Eligibility criteria	Educational Qualification	Pay Scale
1	Chairperson	The Chairperson of the Authority shall be persons of ability, integrity and standing.  The Chairperson shall be a person who is or who was the Officer of the State Government of the Rank of Chief Secretary to the State Government or equivalent thereto, or Retired High Court Judge;		The Chairperson shall be paid a monthly salary in the pay scale of Rupees 80,000/-(fixed)* (*Subject to revision)

1	Member (Water resources engineering)	He shall be expert from the field of water resources engineering.  The Member of the Authority shall be person of ability, integrity and standing who have adequate knowledge of, experience in, and proven capacity in, dealing with problems relating to their respective field.  Provided that, the member and experts mentioned in clause (b) of sub-section (1) of section 4, shall have minimum educational qualification of bachelor's degree of any recognized university or institute and experience of not less than twenty years with proven	He/She has acquired a minimum educational qualification of bachelor's degree of any recognized university or institute and experience of not less than twenty years with proven track record in their respective fields.	The member shall be paid a monthly salary in the pay scale of Rupees 67,000/-* (HAG) (*Subject to revision)
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- 4.1 The serving officer of the above rank, if finally selected, will have to resign from the employment of the Government before taking oath of the office.
- 4.2 He/she is not more than 67 years of age as on 1st March, 2020.
- 5. (a) He/she will not accept any further employment under the government of Maharashtra for a period of two years from the date he/she ceases to hold such office.
  - (b) He/she will not accept any commercial employment for a period of two years from the date he/she ceases to hold such office.
- **6.** Application shall be addressed to the Chief Secretary, Government of Maharashtra and President of the Selection Committee along with bio-data. The bio-data shall contain following details.
  - 6.1 Name.
  - 6.2 Birth place, date and age as on 1st March, 2020.

- 6.3 Post presently held or last post held before retirement or otherwise.
- 6.4 Educational qualification.
- 6.5 Details of posts previously held.
- 6.6 Willingness letter to resign his/her present post to join in MWRRA, if Selected.
- 6.7 A letter intimating the details of office, employment of consultancy agreement or arrangement which he/she has in his/her name or in any relative, carrying any of the following business.
- (a) Construction of Water Resource Projects.
- (b) Manufacturing and supply of items related to agricultural and water supply industry viz. irrigation pumps, pipes, sprinklers etc.
- (c) Law firms.

Applications duly furnishing above details alongwith bio-data (as specified) are to be submitted with supportive documents to the Principal Secretary, Water Resources Department and Member Secretary, Selection Committee, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, Mantralaya, \_ Mumbai-400 032 on or before 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2020 upto 17.00 p.m.

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Principal Secretary, Water Resources Department, Government of Maharashtra and Member Secretary, Selection Committee. महाराष्ट्र जलसंपत्ती नियमन प्राधिकरण ( सुधारणा ) अधिनियम, २०१६ (सन २०१७ चा महाराष्ट्र अधिनियम क्रमांक ८) अंतर्गत महाराष्ट्र जलसंपत्ती नियमन प्राधिकरणाचे अध्यक्ष आणि सदस्य (जलसंपदा अभियांत्रिकी) या पदाच्या नियुक्तीसाठी जाहीर सूचना :-

महाराष्ट्र शासनाने राज्यामधील जलसंपत्तीचे विनियमन करण्याकरीता, जलसंपत्तीचे प्रमाणित, समन्याय व न्याय व्यवस्थापन, वाटप व वापर सुकर करण्याकरिता आणि कृषि, औद्योगिक, पिण्याच्या व इतर प्रयोजनांसाठी वापरावयाच्या पाण्याचे दर निश्चित करण्याकरिता महाराष्ट्र जलसंपत्ती नियमन प्राधिकरण अधिनियम, २००५ करण्यात आला आहे.

खालील सही करणा-यांकडून महाराष्ट्र जलसंपत्ती नियमन प्राधिकरण, मुंबई येथे अध्यक्ष आणि सदस्य (जलसंपदा अभियांत्रिकी) या पदावर नव्याने निवड करण्यासाठी निवड सिमतीच्या वतीने बुधवार, दि.१५ एप्रिल, २०२० रोजी सायंकाळी ५.०० वाजेपर्यंत किंवा त्यापूर्वी नामनिर्देशने मागविण्यात येत आहेत. याबाबत महाराष्ट्र जलसंपत्ती नियमन प्राधिकरण (सुधारणा) अधिनियम, २०१६ (सन २०१७ चा महाराष्ट्र अधिनियम क्रमांक ८) अंतर्गत सदर पदासाठी पात्रता, सेवाशर्ती इत्यादि नामनिर्देशनासोबत द्यावयाची माहिती पुढील संकेत स्थळावर उपलब्ध आहे.

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Fresh nominations are invited by undersigned on behalf of Selection Committee for the post of Chairperson and Member (Water Resources Engineering) of Maharashtra Water Resources Regulatory Authority on or before Wednesday, 15th April, 2020 upto 17.00 p.m. All the relevant details regarding eligibility criteria, service conditions, details to be furnished alongwith the nomination as per the Maharashtra Water Resources Regulatory Authority (Amendment) Act, 2016 (Maharashtra Act no. VIII of 2017.) are available on following web sites.

www.maharashtra.gov.in

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www.mwrra.org

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Principal Secretary Water Resources Department,

Government of Maharashtra.