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To, The Chief Engineer (WR), Water Resources Dept, Sinchan Bhavan, Jalna Road, Aurangabad – 431 005.

Sub: Returning of Kavitkheda (MI) Storage Tank in Aurangabad District under GMIDC, Aurangabad.

Ref: मु.अ.(जसं) जलसंपदा विभाग, औरंगाबाद यांचे पत्र क्र. तांशा-८/ धा८३/४९१९ दिनांक २४/०५/२०१०

- 1.00 The Kavitkheda (MI) Storage Tank, Taluka Kannad, District Aurangabad, Project in Upper Godavari sub basin of Godavari Basin was received for clearance by MWRRA under Section 11 (f) of the Act, vide above Reference.
- 2.00 Although this project presently satisfies the criteria of water availability, the B/C ratio is less than one and also the cost per TCM of gross storage is not within the prescribed norm.
- 3.00 Further vide Hon. Governor's directives for FY 2010-11, as there is no irrigation backlog in Aurangabad District. Hence there is no need to take up new irrigation projects in this District, as irrigation backlog is removed.
- 4.00 As per Para 22 and 28 of Hon. Governor's directives for the FY 2010–11, statutory clearance for keeping on shelf can be accorded

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to the project in Vidarbha region in Godavari basin. Since this project is in Marathawada region in Godavari basin, this project is therefore returned herewith.

5.00 District-wise backlog is due for review in 2010. On completion of this review, if the need for new irrigation project in this district is established, this project 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 this project.

Encl: 1 - Project Report

OK (S.V. Sodal)
Secretary

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