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

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No: MWRRA/2007/PRCL/OSBD/3ST/ 931

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**3 Minor Irrigation Storage
Tank Project under
Maharashtra Krishna Valley
Development Corporation
(MKVDC), Pune, for
clearance by MWRRA under
Section 11 (f) of Act.**

- Ref : 1) E.D., MKVDC Pune letter No. जा.क्र./मकुखोविम/(७०७)/
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- 2) E.D., MKVDC Pune Email No. MKVDC/(707)/
(759/2007)/MI - 2/8441 dated 24/09/2007.

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 Tribunals, 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 These 3 irrigation projects are in Krishna basin in Osmanabad district were received for clearance by MWRRRA under above mentioned Section of the Act, vide Ref. 1) above.

- (a) Kasagiwadi Storage Tank, Taluka Omerga, District Osmanabad
- (b) Dalimb Tanda Storage Tank, Taluka Omerga, District Osmanabad
- (c) Kesarjawalga Storage Tank, Taluka Omerga, District Osmanabad

3.00 (i) Projects at Sr. No. (a) to (c) have been cleared by CE, Hydrology Project, Nashik, for water availability.

(ii) The BC ratio is more than 1.

(iii) Irrigation Potential created in June 1994 in S.R.E. in Osmanabad was 95,550 ha i.e. 17.82% of net sown area which is less than the State Average of June 1994 35.11% and Potential created till June 2006 was 2,36,790 ha in S.R.E. i.e. 44.17% of net sown area. (Abstract showing these details are enclosed)

4.00 As per Hon. Governor of Maharashtra Directives dated 6th March 2006 for Annual Plan 2006 – 07 vide clause 7.2, Backlog as on 1st April 1994 is being considered for allocation under backlog removal and vide 7.9, new projects may be taken up if they are really necessary for removal of backlog.

5.0 ED, MKVDC vide Ref. No. 2 informed the Authority regarding on-going projects in Osmanabad District under MKVDC dated 24/09/2007. The abstract of this is as below,

Type of Project	Nos.	Balance cost (Cr)	Balance Potential (ha)
Major	1	197.17	12,100
Medium	2	60.59	2,850
Minor	51	95.43	8,735
Total	54	353.19	23,685

Osmanabad District was in backlog in June 1994 but it was removed upto June 2006 and 54 on-going projects will create additional 23,690 ha potential (38,607 ha in S.R.E) these 3 projects if implemented add to the existing created potential which in any case is more than what is required to qualify the district as backlog.

6.00 In view of above, taking up new project is not necessary for removal of backlog of June 1994 as per Hon. Governor of Maharashtra Directives. The MWRRA therefore advises that these three projects may not be taken up for construction at this stage but kept in the shelf of new techno – economically viable projects for consideration for possible taking up after April 2010 if still viable, when district wise backlog will be reviewed.

7.00 This memorandum is issued under reference No. 2 dated 05/11/2007 and is registered under No. MWRRA / 2007 / PRCL / OSBD / 3ST / 931 dated 05/11/2007 in the office of the Authority.

8.00 The Receipt of this Memorandum may please be acknowledged.

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**Clearance by MWRRRA to the Irrigation Projects in MKVDC, Pune
for keeping on shelf only**

Sr No.	Name of Project/ Taluka/ District	Catchment Area Sq Km.	Basin/ Sub-basin	Annual Utilisation in Mm ³						I.C.A. Ha	Cost in Lakh	Cost / T.C.M	Govt. yardstick Cost / T.C.M.	B/C Ratio	Whether Project lies in Backlog District	Remarks
				Kharib	Rabbi	Drinking	Industry	Evapo ration	Total							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
1	Kasagiwadi Storage Tank, Taluka Omerga, District Osmanabad	85.99	Krishna/ Remaining Bhima	0.22	3.58	Nil	Nil	1.09	4.89	992	1,677.67	26,094	26,147	1.11	No	Water Clearance by C.E, HP, Nasik
2	Dalimb Tanda Storage Tank, Taluka Omerga, District Osmanabad	7.82	Krishna/ Remaining Bhima	0.0541	0.885	Nil	Nil	0.3701	1.3087	257	346.53	26,113	26,147	1.64	No	Water Clearance by C.E, HP, Nasik
3	Kesarjawaiga Storage Tank, Taluka Omerga, District Osmanabad	11.72	Krishna/ Remaining Bhima	0.063	0.990	Nil	Nil	0.343	1.396	291	310.82	22,361	26,147	1.35	No	Water Clearance by C.E, HP, Nasik