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

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**Four Minor Irrigation Project  
under Konkan Irrigation  
Development Corporation  
(KIDC), Thane, for clearance by  
MWRRA under Section 11 (f) of  
the Act.**

- Ref : 1) अ.अ. ठाणे पाटबंधारे मंडळ, ठाणे यांचे पत्र जा.क्र. ठापामं/  
प्रशा - ६ /६८१४/२००७ दिनांक ३०/०८/२००७
- 2) Secretary to Governor's Letter No.GS/DS/DB/  
IRG-DIR-23/2007/27 dated 05/09/2007
- 3) जलसंपदा विभागाचे पत्र क्र. लपायो २००७/११०९/(४५३/  
२००७)/खारभूमी दिनांक २७/०९/२००७

**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** 4 irrigation projects, Sr. No. (a) to (d) are in West flowing river basin in Konkan and were received for clearance by MWRRA under above mentioned Section of the Act, vide above Reference (i) & (iii).

- (a) Shreebhuvan Minor Irrigation Tank, Taluka Surgana, District Nasik
- (b) Waghdhond Minor Irrigation Tank, Taluka Surgana, District Nasik
- (c) Umbardahad Minor Irrigation Tank, Taluka Peth, District Nasik
- (d) Gadavane Minor Irrigation Tank, Taluka Peth, District Nasik

**3.00** (i) Projects at Sr. No. (a) to (d) of para 2.0 above have been cleared by CE, Hydrology Project, Nasik, for water availability.

(ii) The BC ratio is more than 1 and project are from Tribal area.

(iii) Irrigation Potential created in June 1994 in S.R.E. in Nasik was 3,00,840 ha i.e. 33.55% of net sown area which is less than 35.11% the State Average of 1994 and Potential created till June 2006 in S.R.E. was 3,83,420 ha in S.R.E. i.e. 42.75% of net sown area (Abstract showing these details are enclosed)

**4.00** As per Hon. Governor of Maharashtra Directives dated 6<sup>th</sup> March 2006 for Annual Plan 2006 – 07 vide clause 7.2, Backlog as on 1<sup>st</sup> 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.


**5.00** As Nasik District was in backlog as on June 1994 but it was removed upto June 2006. Also vide Ref 2; Nasik was not in list of backlog districts as mentioned in the issues at Sr. No. 6 (page No. 4 – 7). Hence these 4 projects if implemented add 1,729 ha in S.R.E. 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. These Projects can not be taken up as they do not satisfy the backlog criteria. These projects ~~are~~<sup>be</sup> 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. 6 dated 06/11/2007 and is registered under No. MWRRA / 2007 / PRCL / Nasik / 4MI / 940 dated 06/11/2007 in the office of the Authority.

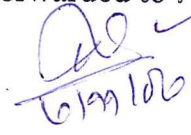
8.00 The Receipt of this Memorandum may please be acknowledged.

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(S.V. Sodal)  
Secretary, MWRRA

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**Clearance by MWRRA to the Irrigation Projects in KIDC, Thane  
for keeping on shelf only**

Sr No.	Name of Project/ Taluka/ District	Catchment Area Sq Km.	Basin/ Sub-basin	Annual Utilisation in Mm3						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	Shreebhuvan Minor Irrigation Tank, Taluka Surgana, District Nasik	7.50	West flowing/ Daman Ganga - Par	0.08	2.03	0.09	Nil	0.168	2.510	266	712.82	28,394	32,684	1.60	No	Water Clearance by C.E, NHP, Nasik
2	Waghdhond Minor Irrigation Tank, Taluka Surgana, District Nasik	3.60	West flowing/ Daman Ganga - Par	0.04	2.34	0.14	Nil	0.17	2.76	280	882.04	32,639	32,684	1.14	No	Water Clearance by C.E, NHP, Nasik
3	Umbaradahad Minor Irrigation Tank, Taluka Peth, District Nasik	7.60	West flowing/ Daman Ganga - Par	0.06	2.14	0.28	Nil	0.24	2.85	255	930.36	32,671	32,684	1.15	No	Water Clearance by C.E, NHP, Nasik
4	Gadavadane Minor Irrigation Tank, Taluka Peth, District Nasik	2.65	West flowing/ Daman Ganga - Par	0.057	2.053	0.199	Nil	0.133	2.493	253	801.90	32,160	32,684	1.33	No	Water Clearance by C.E, NHP, Nasik

Total 1054 ha ( 1729 ha in S.R.E.)