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To

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Sub:- Updated Status of the "Monitoring the progress on implementation of Cabinet Decisions" on e-Samiksha web Portal on weekly basis -reg.

Ref: MoWR,RD &GR letter F.No. 12011/18/2016-Coord(Vol. III).Dated 27.09. 2016

Sir,

With reference to the letter cited above please find enclosed updated status of the "Monitoring the progress on implementation of Cabinet Decisions" on e-Samiksha web Portal in respect of Sl. No. (1,2,5,7,12) of Annexure I and Sl. No. (9) of Annex- II for further necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

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1. Deputy Secretary(Coord) to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Water Resources, RD &GR, Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi . (e-mail: uscoord-mowr@nic.in) with reference to Letter No. F.No. 12011/18/2016-Coord(Vol. III).Dated- 27.09. 2016.
2. Director(MDU), NWDA, Saket New Delhi.

Sub: Updated Status of various action points of Ministry on e-Samiksha Portal of Cabinet Secretariat -

ATR ON CABINET DECISION(s)					(Weekly Basis) Annexure-I
S.N.	**Observation(s)**	**Comments of the Ministry**	**Remarks**	**Last Updated**	**Latest Status**
1	Ministers may write minimum 3-4 letters every month to States regarding the pending matters/issues of the Ministers and MPs with concerned States. When the States approach the Ministers for sorting out their issues, the Ministers may also press the States for the Ministry's issues to be sorted out.	Projects identified under 'Namami Gange' programme are implemented through State Level Program Management Groups (SPMGs) as per NGRBA framework. As part of this, NMCG continuously interacts with the State SPMGs for expeditious execution of the project. The Pending issues about flood management. Minor Irrigation (Stat.), CADWM and States Specific Action for Water Sector are being regularly pursued with States. Zonal meeting are being conducted for expediting issues and ensuing better coordination.		**30.09.2016**	**Does not pertain to NWDA.**
2	Examination of notes considered by the Cabinet/ CCEA in January, 2016 with reference to time taken by consulted Ministers/ Departments in furnishing comments to the Sponsoring Ministry / Department shows that few Ministries/ Departments have furnished their comments to the sponsoring Ministries / Departments on the draft Cabinet / CCEA notes beyond the prescribed time limit. In order to cut the delays, the Ministries / Departments are requested to take following steps and other remedial	Directions have been noted for compliance in respect of Cabinet Notes / CCEA Notes to be received in future. The pendency of CCEA notes was reviewed in the weekly review meeting held on 27.07.2016 under the Chairpersonship of Honourable Minister of WR,RD & GR. All concerned were instructed to furnish comments / views on the cabinet note of the other Ministries within the prescribed timeline. The pendency was again reviewed during the review meeting held on 10.08.2016.		30.09.2016	---do---

	measures as are considered necessary: (i) Status of preparation and pendency of Cabinets / CCEA Notes be regularly reviewed in the Senior Officers' Meeting (SOM) of Ministry / Department . The SOM may not only review the Cabinet /CCEA Notes circulated for IMC by them but also the draft Cabinet / CCEA Notes received from other Ministries/ Departments. (ii) Ministry / Department may not put in place measures to streamline and expedite the process of finalisation of Cabinet / CCEA Notes. (Life Cycle Analysis).				
5	Major and path breaking decisions taken by the Ministers in the past two years should be compiled	The Ministry has taken major and path breaking decisions in the last two years		12.09.2016	
		1 NAMAMI GANGE Operationalized.			
		2. Completion of ongoing AIBP Projects through innovative funding mechanisms.			The Agreement among NABARD, NWDA, and MoWR, RD & GR for providing Central Share Funds has been signed on 06.09.2016 Zero balance account has been opened in SBBJ Saket New Delhi. Letter from Commissioner(PR) to States has been issued for providing the bank account

					details of State Government. Rs. 1500 Crore was distributed to the NWRWS&K Deptt. Govt. of Gujarat, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Govt. of Odisha, Govt. of Telangana, Govt. of Manipur, Govt. of Maharashtra, Govt. of Punjab, Govt. of Karnataka and Govt. of Rajasthan under PMKSY fund upto October, 2016.
		3. National Hydrology Project.			
		4. Community Participation and engagement of people through schemes			
		5. NAQUIM Project			
		6. Special Committee for ILR- fast tracking of ILR Project.			The Special Committee for the Interlinking of Rivers has been constituted by the Ministry of WR, RD & GR vide Gazette notification dated 23.09.2014 under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Union Minister of WR, RD & GR and DG, NWDA as its Member Secretary. The first meeting of the Special Committee was held on 17.10.2014. Special Committee for the Interlinking of Rivers has held eleven meetings so far. The Last Meeting was held on 09.11.2016.

		7. Jal Kranti Abhiyan			
		8. Jal Manthan			Organized a three days' conference on 'Jal Manthan' during 20-22 November, 2014 at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi, a major event of MoWR, RD & GR. A meeting to discuss the (i) Actionable points emerging from deliberations of "Jal manthan" (ii) Ganga Rejuvenation programme was taken by Shri B.N.Navalawala on 09.12.2014 at MoWR,RD & GR, New Delhi. One day Workshop on the recommendation came out of the three days Jal Manthan programme on 23.12.2014 at MoWR,RD & GR, New Delhi. **Jal Manthan-2** A two days conference 'Jal Manthan-2' was organized at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi from 22 – 23 February, 2016. The consultation and discussion was held on first day on River Basin Approach for Sustainable Development, Ground Water Management, Water Security, interlinking of rivers etc. whereas, discussions on the second day was focused on Water Management, Coordination between Centre

					and States, Water Conservation, Innovations in Water Governance and Interlinking of Rivers etc.
		9. Flood forcasting project initiated.			
		10 WB assistance for restructuring GW Programme			
		11. Online Inssuance of NOC to abstract ground water			
		12.River Basin Studies			
		13.Setting up of North East Brahmaputra River Rejuvenation Authority(NEBRRA)			
		14.Dam Safety			
7	Ministry/Department wise action plans emerging from the Group of Sscretaries Report on eight thematic areas should be implemented on priority in a time-bound manner.	Action Plan of the Ministry emerged from the Group of Secretaries Report had been prepared and was sent to NITI Ayog. Further progress report on departmental action plan is also being sent to NITI Aayog. Major Action Points selected from the Action plan of the Ministry which are to be monitored by NITI Aayog and at the highest level have been forwarded to NITI Aayog on 24.08.2016.		12.09.2016	Pertain to MoWR,RD&GR.
12	Ministries / Departments to compress the time –frame for completion of various projects / works by December, 2018 in cases where the time – frame of completion for such projects / works is in FY 2019-20.	The proposal to complete 99 projects under PMKSY is now compressed to December, 2019 as suggested by PMO.		30.09.2016	The Agreement among NABARD, NWDA, and MoWR, RD & GR for providing Central Share Funds has been signed on 06.09.2016 . Zero balance account has been opened in SBBJ Saket New Delhi. Letter from Commissioner(PR) to States has been issued for

					providing the details of State Government account. Rs. 1500 Crore was distributed to the NWRWS&K Deptt. Govt. of Gujarat, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Govt. of Odisha, Govt. of Telangana, Govt. of Manipur, Govt. of Maharashtra, Govt. of Punjab, Govt. of Karnataka and Govt. of Rajasthan under PMKSY fund upto October, 2016.

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Annexure-II

SL. No.	Observation(s)	Comments of the Ministry	Beneficiary State(s)	Last updated	Conceren Wing/Organisation	Latest Status
9	Action Taken Report on "STATUS-CUM-PROGRESS REPORT AND CONSTITUTION OF "SPECIAL COMMITTEE FOR INTER-LINKING OF RIVERS" IN COMPLIANCE OF HON'BLE SUPREME COURT JUDGMENT DATED 27.02.2012 IN THE MATTER OF WRIT PETITION (CIVIL)-512 OF 2002: NETWORKING OF RIVERS ALONG WITH WRIT PETITION NO. 668 OF 2002." Item No. 15 of Cabinet, Meeting dated 18/11/2015	Cabinet has noted the content. So far nine meetings of the Special Committee have been held to fast tract the inter-linking of river projects. The DPRs of these ILR projects-Ken-Betwa link Project-Par-Tapi-Narmada and Daman-Ganga-Pinjal Projects have been finalised and in principle clearance has been received from the National Wild Life Board for Ken-Betwa Project.	Whole country	27.06.2016	Sr.JC(BM)	The Techno economical clearance has been accorded for two links namely Ken-Betwa link Project and Daman-Ganga-Pinjal Projects. The Special Committee for the Interlinking of Rivers has been constituted by the Ministry of WR, RD & GR vide Gazette notification dated 23.09.2014 under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Union Minister of WR, RD & GR and DG, NWDA as its Member Secretary. The first meeting of the Special Committee was held on 17.10.2014. In the first meeting of the Special Committee for Interlinking of Rivers (ILR) it was decided to constitute four specific sub-committees 1.Sub-committee for comprehensive evaluation of various studies/reports (Sub-Committee - I) 2.Sub-Committee for system studies for identifications of most appropriate alternate plan (Sub-Committee - II) 3. Sub-Committee for Restructuring of

						National Water Development Agency. (Sub-committee – III) 4. Sub-committee for consensus building through negotiations and arriving at agreement between concerned States (Sub-committee – IV) Subsequently ten more meetings of the Special Committee have been held on 06.01.2015, 19.03.2015, 14.05.2015, 13.07.2015, 15.09.2015, 18.11.2015, 08.02.2016, 29.04.2016, 26.07.2016 & 09.11.2016 respectively. Seven meetings of Sub-committee-I have been held so far. The last meeting was held on 26.07.2016. Nine meetings of Sub-committee-II have been held so far. The last meeting of Sub-committee – II was held on 30.08.2016. Sub-committee – III has completed the assigned task and submitted its report to the Ministry of Water Resources, RD&GR on 21.09.2015. Special Committee during its 6th meeting decided that the recommendations of the Subcommittee on Restructuring of NWDA may be examined by the Ministry of WR, RD&GR. A Presentation on Restructuring of NWDA was made to (i) Hon'ble Minister (WR,RD&GR) on 30.05.2016 and (ii) Secretary(WR,RD&GR) on 08.12.2016. Two meetings of Sub-committee – IV have been held so far and the last

						meeting was held on 30.10.2015. Five meetings of the Task Force have been held on 23.04.2015, 05.11.2015, 28.04.2016, 15.06.2016 and 25.10.2016. Five Meetings of the Group on legal aspects under Task Force for ILR have been held so far, the last meeting was held on 02.12.2016.