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All the Chief Engineers;
Under I&PH Department HP.

All the Superintending Engineers
under I&PH Department, HP.

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MINUTES OF THE REVIEW MEETING OF IPH DEPARTMENT HELD ON
17.06.2011 UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF HON'BLE IPH MINISTER IN HP
SECRETARIAT, SHIMLA-171002.

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Superintending Engineer (W),
Engineer-in-Chief,
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Superintending Engineer (W)
Engineer-in-Chief,
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LIST OF PARTICIPANTS

1. Shri Narinder Chauhan, Pr. Secretary (IPH)
2. Er.R.K.Sharma, Engineer-in-Chief
3. Er.S.K.Vatsa Chief Engineer, (M/Z).
4. Er.M.S.Kanwar Chief Engineer, (D/Z)
5. Er.A.K.Walia Chief Engineer, (S/Z)
6. Er.V.K.Goel Chief Engineer, (D&M)
7. Er.Ashok Shreedhar Chief Engineer, (H/Z)
8. Er.R.K.Gupta S.E. (Works)
9. Er.Suman Vikrant S.E. IPH Circle, Shimla-9
10. Er.A.K.vaidya S.E. P&I-II
11. Er. A.K. Bahri S.E.(D) DZ Dharamshala
12. Er.R.P.Tandon S.E. IPH Circle, Dharamshala
13. Er.Rajesh Bakshi S.E. IPH Circle, Hamirpur
14. Er.L.K.Vaidya S.E. (D) Hamirpur
15. Er.K.C.Dhiman, S.E. WS&S Circle, Shimla-3.
16. Er.Bipan Samkaria, S.E. IPH Circle, Rohru
17. Er. K.K.Gupta, S.E. IPH Circle, Reckong Peo
18. Er.R.K.Kanwar, S.E. IPH Circle, Bilaspur
19. Er.Parvez Akhtar, S.E. IPH Circle, Una
20. Er.R.K.Jaryan, S.E. IPH SNP Circle, Fatehpur
21. Er.N.D.Vaidya S.E. IPH Circle, Chamba
22. Er.Raghubir Singh S.E. IPH Circle, Nurpur
23. Er.Rajesh Kamal Sharma, S.E. IPH Circle, Kullu
24. Er.Varinder Speya, S.E. (D) SZ, Shimla
25. Er.R.M.Mukul, S.E. IPH Circle, Nahan
26. Er.B.R.Sharma E.E. IPH Division, Shimla-9
27. Er.O.P.Bhatungru EE (D), I&PH Circle, Sundernagar

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MINUTES OF THE REVIEW MEETING OF IPH DEPARTMENT HELD ON 17.06.2011 UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF HON'BLE I&PH MINISTER IN H.P.SECRETARIAT, SHIMLA-171 002.

List of participants attached.

At the outset the Principal Secretary (IPH) to the Govt. of H.P. welcomed the Hon'ble Irrigation & Public Health Minister and all the Officers of the department attending the departmental review meeting. Thereafter, the agenda of the meeting was taken up and the discussions were held as under:-

1. Status of ongoing Major & Medium Irrigation Projects:-

Major Irrigation Project Shahnehar

The Hon'ble Minister reviewed the progress of the project which is targeted to be completed by March, 2012. Superintending Engineer, Shahnehar informed that the work of the project is in progress. However, forest clearance is required before commencement of work in about 5.00 Km. portion. The Hon'ble Minister directed the S.E. to take up the matter for forest clearance in a time bound manner so as to complete the project work within the stipulated period. S.E. Shahnehar was also directed to submit the revised D.P.R. of the project at the earliest.

Medium Irrigation Project Sidhatha

Superintending Engineer, Shahnehar informed that the work of the project is in progress. Work of 1435 Mtrs. tunnel out of 1776 Mtrs. has been completed and the monthly progress is 45 to 50 Mtrs. Hon'ble IPH Minister directed to take up the matter with the Railway authorities to get the land dispute settled at the earliest so that work of main canal may be completed well in time so as to commission the project by March, 2012.

Medium Irrigation Project Changer Area

The project has been commissioned and CAD work has also been completed according to the scope of work as per sanctioned estimate.

Medium Irrigation Project Balh Valley (LB)

C.E.(Mandi Zone) informed that there is provision for construction of 18 tube wells out of which 10 tube wells have been constructed/ commissioned. Out of remaining 8 tube wells 5 tube wells are targeted to be completed by the end of June, 2011, 2 tube wells by July, 2011 and one by the end of September, 2011. The Chairman stressed to accelerate the pace of work so as to complete the project by March, 2012 i.e. targeted date.

It was further desired to intimate the actual coverage under Balh Valley Medium Irrigation Project (Right Bank).

2. Minor Irrigation Schemes

The Chairman directed the concerned S.Es to complete the remaining schemes in the shelf of 116 Minor Irrigation schemes in a time bound manner. It was decided that HDP pipes may be used now in place of RCC pipes. It was also decided that the C.E (S/Z) may visit Paonta, Nahan & Jubbal to inspect the work of remaining schemes every month and ensure completion of all schemes by 30th September,2011.

3. Status of Flood Management Programme (FMP) ongoing as well as New Projects.

Swan River Flood Management Integrated Land Development Project Phase-II

The progress of work of this project was reviewed and desired to ensure completion of the project by the targeted date i.e. 31.3.2012.

Channelisation of Bata River from RD 10230 to 19700 Mtrs.

While reviewing the progress of Bata River channelization, the Chairman expressed his displeasure at the tardy progress and directed C.E.(S/Z) & S.E. Nahan to ensure completion by December, 2011. He also advised them not to leave gaps in the embankments otherwise the damages during ensuing rainy season would be aggravated.

Projects under Pipeline

The Chairman stressed the need to pursue the matter to get the projects under pipeline approved with the quarters concerned. He also exhorted the department to prepare new proposals under different Govt. of India schemes.

4. Status of schemes sent to Govt. of India for Artificial Recharge of Ground Water through CGWB Dharamshala.

Under Ground Water Management & Regulation programme, 15 Nos. DPRs of Artificial Recharge amounting to Rs.431.62 lakh have been sent to the MOUR Govt. of India for approval/funding vide CGWB Dharamshala letter dated 31.5.2010. The Chairman stressed the need to pursue the matter to get the projects approved with the quarter concerned.

5. Status of collection of Abiana Charges and Mechanism for the assessment & realization of Abiana charges.

Status of Abiana charges pending recovery as on 31.3.2011 is as under :-

Sr.No.	Zone/Circle	Amount pending for recovery
1.	Shimla Zone	
	IPH Circle, Shimla-9	119635
	IPH Circle, Reckong Peo	310125
	IPH Circle, Rohroo	67577
	IPH Circle, Nahan	1068885
	Total :-	1566222
2.	Dharamshala Zone	
	IPH Circle, Dharamshala	3518141
	IPH Circle, Nurpur	334909
	IPH Circle, Chamba	1666300
	IPH Circle, SNP Fatehpur	1268
	Total :-	5520618

3.	Hamirpur Zone	
	IPH Circle, Hamirpur	776592
	IPH Circle, Una	370657
	IPH Circle, Bilaspur	52677
	Total :-	1199926
4.	Mandi Zone	
	IPH Circle, Sundernagar	2502836
	IPH Circle, Kullu	343492
	Total :-	2846328
	Grand Total :-	1,11,33,04

The Chairman emphasised the need to take immediate necessary action to recover the outstanding amount on account of Abiana charges which is pending since long.

6. Irrigation schemes recorded in the revenue record.

All the S.Es were directed to get the irrigation schemes/ command area entered in the revenue record in a time bound manner by proper coordination with the Revenue Department at field level .

7. PIM Legislation

S.E. P&I-II will submit fresh draft PIM Legislation Bill to the Govt.

8. 13th Finance Commission, formulation of Water Regulatory Authority

It was decided in the meeting that a committee comprising of following Members may be constituted to examine the issues relating to formulation of Water Regulatory Authority and PIM Bill.

1. Er.Ashok Shreedhar, Chief Engineer (Hamirpur Zone)
2. Er.Rajesh Bakshi S.E, IPH Circle, Hamirpur
3. Er.Anil Kumar Bahri (Design), Dharamshala Zone.
4. Er. A.K.Vaidya, S.E. P&I-II Member Secretary.

9. Status of proposals on Repair, Renovation & Restoration of water bodies and new proposals.

S.E. P&I-II informed that 2 DPRs with an estimated cost of Rs.2745.12 lakh were sent to the Govt. of India for approval but the same were received back with some observations. These DPRs will be re-submitted after attending the observations shortly. All the CEs have also been requested to expedite the new proposals under the scheme for further submission to the Govt.

10. CADM Projects.

There are 2 CAD Projects namely Cluster of 40 MI schemes in Drang & Sadar block of Distt. Mandi and Cluster of 38 MI schemes in Pandonga Haroli Saloh area in Tehsil Una of Distt. Una which stand completed and require deletion from the CADWM programme but PCRs of these projects are still awaited. Engineer-in-Chief (IPH) requested the concerned C.Es to expedite the same at the earliest. The progress of other ongoing projects was also reviewed and the Chairman directed to complete these projects within the stipulated period. S.E. Shahnehar was further directed to submit CAD proposal for Shahnehar Project immediately so as to utilise the funds earmarked for this component during 2011-12 & achievement of physical targets.

11. Physical/Financial targets for the year 2011-12.

Targets for the year 2011-12 under various sectors have been conveyed to the field offices. The Hon'ble Minister directed all concerned officers to ensure proportionate physical & financial achievement.

12. Handing Over of Schemes to the PRIs and requirement of Jal Rakshak.

All the S.Es were asked to supply the Panchayat –wise list of schemes proposed to be handed over to the PRIs Jal Rakshaks required for operation & maintenance of these schemes by 21st June, 2011.

Meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

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