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Dated: 23/11/2016

Sub: Minutes of Meeting of Committee constituted under the judgment of Hon'ble NGT in the matter of "Diwan Singh Vs. Union of India & Ors." in OA No. 299 of 2016 held on 18.11.2016 at 3:00 PM in the chamber of CEO, DPGS.

Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith copy of minutes of Committee constituted under the judgment of Hon'ble NGT in the matter of "Diwan Singh Vs. Union of India & Ors." in OA No. 299 of 2016 held on 18.11.2016 at 3:00 PM in the chamber of CEO, DPGS.

Encl: As above

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MINUTES OF MEETING

Minutes of Meeting of Committee constituted in compliance to judgment of Hon'ble NGT in the matter of "Diwan Singh Vs. Union of India & Ors." in OA No. 299 of 2016 held on 18.11.2016 at 3:00 PM in the chamber of CEO, DPGS.

The following attended the meeting:-

- 1. Dr. Arun Kumar, Assistant Professor, Civil Engg., IIT Delhi (M) 8527843076
- 2. Sh. Anil Kumar Sharma, EE (C), Dwarka, DJB (M) 9650291103
- 3. Sh. D.P. Singh, Chief Engineer (Dwarka), DDA (M) 9810212084
- 4. Sh. Satish Kumar Rawat, Tehsildar (Dwarka), Revenue (M) 9810063743

CEO (DPGS) apprised the members present in the meeting about OA No. 299 of 2016 "Diwan Singh Vs. Union of India & Ors." alongwith its judgment dated 01.11.2016 wherein Hon'ble National Green Tribunal constituted a team consisting of the following, to monitor the progress of identification, documentation, revival and monitoring of water bodies in Dwarka:-

- a) Chief Executive Officer of Parks and Garden Society, incharge of water bodies in NCT Delhi;
- b) An officer of the level of Chief Engineer of Delhi Jal Board;
- c) Chief Engineer in-charge of Dwarka, Delhi Development Authority;
- d) A Professor / Associate Professor nominated by the Director IIT, Delhi;
- e) A Senior Officer (of the rank of Director) of the Central Ground Water Board, New Delhi; and
- f) Dr. A.B. Akolkar, Member Secretary, Central Pollution Control Board, New Delhi.

The Chief Executive Officer of Delhi Parks and Garden Society (DPGS) shall be nodal officer of the Committee. The Committee shall monitor the progress of implementation of the Plan prepared by DDA, besides monitoring the implementation of CGWB recommendations of 2016.

The following decisions were taken after discussion:-

- DDA shall inventorize all the water bodies and prepare in a month time, a comprehensive management plan for water bodies for their sustainable revival in Dwarka.
- A joint inspection of water bodies in Dwarka shall be conducted on 29.11.2016 and 30.11.2016 by the Committee constituted by Hon'ble NGT including CEO (DPGS), DJB, DDA, IIT, CGWB and CPCB alongwith Tehsidar of revenue deptt.
- 3. The DDA being land owning agency, shall take all steps for removal of the illegal encroachments on water bodies, their catchments, removal of unauthorisedly dumped municipal waste including construction and demolition waste / malba. This shall be done within a period of three months.
- 4. Central Ground Water Board (CGWB) to provide list of water bodies as already identified in the report of CGWB positively within a weeks time to DDA as well as other members of the Committee.
- 5. Revenue Department shall take steps to include identified water bodies by CGWB in the revenue record. Each of the water bodies so identified, shall have zone of influence/catchments clearly stated/demarcated.
- DDA shall submit brief document about the identified water bodies in Dwarka area i.e. 20 out of 33 water bodies in the above mentioned OA to Govt. of NCT of Delhi in order to dispatch to Central Wetland Regulatory Authority of MoEF&CC for consideration as Wetlands under Wetland (Conservation and Management) Rules, 2010 within a period of one month time. After receiving documents from DDA, GNCT of Delhi will comment and forward to Central Wetland Regulatory Authority (CWRA) for necessary action. Wetland Rules, 2010 alongwith performa for making brief document were provided to DDA during the meeting.

- 7. DDA shall also survey and map all the primary, secondary, tertiary drains leading to the water bodies and also make provision to divert flow from drains into the water bodies within 2 months time. IIT Delhi and IFCD will provide necessary data and other assistance to DDA on this issue.
- 8. No domestic sewage / industrial effluent should be permitted to flow into the water bodies and any domestic sewage which is flowing into the water bodies should either be diverted into sewerage network in the area or trapped by constructing individual septic tanks by house holds. This shall be enforced in consultation with DJB. DJB shall submit its report within one month time.
- 9. The Government of NCT Delhi shall take all steps within their power in accordance with law and constitute State Wetland Authority as expeditiously as possible and in any case not later than three (3) months from the date of pronouncement of this judgment.
- 10. The Committee constituted shall file a periodic report every 6 months before the Tribunal on the progress achieved towards implementation of the above directions.
- 11. The Central/NCT Government and other Authorities shall comply with the directions contained in the judgment of Hon'ble NGT. In the event of default, they shall be liable to be proceeded against immediately in accordance with provisions of law.
- 12. The action taken in the above mentioned issues will be reviewed in a month time.

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