Minutes of the Meeting held on 20.6.2016 at 11:00 AM at Conference Hall, Office of Deputy Magistrate (South West), Old Terminal Tax Building, Kapashera, New Delhi – 110037 regarding water bodies of District South West & New Delhi. The meeting was attended by Officers/officials from various Departments/ Agencies.

After lengthy, clarification, it was agreed upon between the concerned agencies that in order to resolve the issue regarding over flooding and logging water on the main National Highway 8 and Village Mahipal Pur and other nearby villages and of roads, the major drain from Mahipal Pur to Najafgarh will be cleaned by PWD immediately and within a maximum period of 3 weeks.

The representative of PWD indicated that part of the aforesaid drain is not with them and in under the jurisdiction of NHAI and part of it is under DIAL/AAI.

As rains are overhead and exigencies demands that the work should be completed at rampant speed. No authority will stop PWD from completing the job. It will be the responsibility of DIAL/AAI as well as NHAI to grant all permissions required by PWD for executing the work. As regards expenditure is concerned regarding the work to be carried out under the jurisdiction of DIAL/AAI and NHAI with regard to the aforesaid drain that will be decided later on the basis of documents of the concerned agencies.

Engineer in Chief cum Secretary, PWD will personally ensure that the compliance should be done war footing as it concerns the safety of more than 5 Lakhs people of the area.

As regards, drain under 4 crossing points near Mahipal Pur the cleaning of blockages at the said drain as well as installing of strain (grating/Jali) within NHAI-ROW/PWD area, will be done at present by NHAI. The expenditure part, as who has to bear regarding present as well as for the future will be determined after going through the documents. This work will be done within maximum period of 10 days.

Today in the meeting neither DJB nor DDA is present. Further, neither any report as indicated/requested during the survey carried out on 9^{th} & 10^{th} of June' 2016 has been received. The direction of duties is quite apparent. In these circumstances, I&FC, who is present in the meeting is directed to clean all the water bodies as well as storm drain water lines so that no water during this Monsoon goes waste.

The estimate of the same would be sent by I&FC to BDO (South West) within 2 days. BDO (South West) would appropriate action within 2 days.

Sd/-(Arvind Sah) Court Commissioner Sd/-(Vivek Kumar Tandon) Court Commissioner