

Development of Emergency Landing Facility on National Highway No. 68 (Old no.15) from Km 109.740 to km 113.445 of Jaisalmer-Barmer Section in the state of Rajasthan © OF EX. CARRIAGE WAY © PROPOSED AIR STRIP CAMBER-1% CAMBER-1% PQC - 320MM - 400 MICRON PLOYTHENE FILM/ 10MM THK, FINE SAND EX. ROAD DBM PCC (OVERLAY) - DLC - 150MM 400 MICRON POLYTHENE FILM - WMM - 200MM PQC - 250MM (OVERLAY) - SUBGRADE - 500MM TYPICAL CROSS-SECTION AIR STRIP Project Director National Highways Authority of India P.I.U. BARMER (Raj.)

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## EMERGENCY LANDING FACILITIES OVER NH

- 1. Landing was successfully carried out on the newly constructed Agra-Lucknow expressway by fighter Aircrafts. Based on this, Air HQ has issued following guidelines: -
  - (a) 'Fencing' the landing strips should be between 15-30 mtrs from the landing strips proposal and preferably made of 'frangible' materials instead of 'metal'. The height of the fence should be not less than 5 ft (1.8m). This should be from the edge of the landing strip.
  - (b) The total length of the landing strips should be not less than 5000m, width not less than 23-48m, PCN not less than 50, gradient not less than 3.5% and orientation not less than +/-1 deg.
- 2. Kindly consider the above in design to make it operationally safe and viable.

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## MINUTES OF MEETING ON UTILISATION OF HIGHWAYS AS LANDING STRIPS ON 27 OCT 16

- 1. Further to the discussion and development on the subject wherein the two stretchesons highway namely at Uttarlai and Dwarka- Naliya were finalised to be developed to facilitate their utilisation by IAF Aircraft. A collegiate meeting as directed by the AOC-in-C and SASO with the NHAI official and consultants was conducted on 27 Oct 16 at 1030 Hrs at HQ SWAC.
- 2. The agenda for the conference was to provide the NHAI the desired specification and to discuss the same for clear understanding and the feasibility of adopting them by the NHAI at the referred stretches.
- 3. The following were present,

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Shri PK Jain	Deputy Gen Manager, Rajkot NHAI
Shri Virender Singh	Project Director, Barmer NHAI
Shri Vishu Kumar S	Addl Gen Manager, RITES
Shri JP Yadav	Manager, RITES
Shri BH Waghela	SDO, DEO Ahmedabad

4. The main agenda for the meeting was to finalise the specification. The points are largely agreed to by both the directors viz, Rajasthan and Gujarat. Remarks/ Suggestions for way forward are as follows:-

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SI	Item	Specification	Remarks / Decisions
01	Pavement type	Rigid pavement (Concrete)	Agreed upon
02	Length of Stretch	3500 mtrs	Length of 5000 Mtrs (Main landing strip length 3500 Mtr + undershoot and over shoot areas of 1500 Mtrs) Agreed upon in principle by RO, NHAI,
			Gadhinagar subject to formal approval of competetent Authority, NHAI New Delhi (HQ). To be obtained by NHAI Gandhinagar.
03	Width of Stretch	<ul> <li>Overall width of Paved carriageway – 33 m</li> <li>Width of high strength pavement – 27 m</li> </ul>	width of stretch 33m as per the suggested specifications. Agreed upon in principle by RO,
		<ul> <li>Width of paved shoulder -3 m on either side. It is recommended that paved shoulder of airstrip should also be of high strength pavement so that full 33 m is available for air operations.</li> </ul>	approval of competetent Authority, NHAI New Delhi (HQ). To be obtained by NHAI Gandhinagar.
04	Gradient Requirements	<ul> <li>Max change of gradient 1.5%</li> <li>Rate of change of longitudinal gradient 0.167% per 30 m for fighter ac.</li> <li>Transverse Gradient</li> <li>For pavement is 1 in 100</li> <li>For paved shoulders is 1 in 80</li> <li>For cleared zone after paved shoulders is 1 in 40.</li> <li>Vertical Curves</li> <li>Vertical Curves</li> <li>Length of Vertical curves- 180 m for every change of 1% gradient</li> <li>Distance between two points of intersection of successive vertical curves not less than 15000 m multiplied by sum percentage of two successive gradients.</li> </ul>	Gradient requirement. Agreed upon in principle by RO, NHAI,

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		PCN Value	Minimum 50 PCN	NHAI agreed to carry
	06	Pavement Crust	Concrete - 350 mm minimum PQC	out soil testing of both
		composition	(40M). The sub-grade should be 150	stretches and forward to
			MM DLC and two layers of granular sub-	HQ SWAC. Based on
	1		base	soil testing report CWE
	3		Soil testing needs to be carried out	Jodhpur to finalise the
			for adoption of above crust	design requirements and composition details and
	)		composition. The pavement crust composition to be designed from a	provide equivalent load
			designer based on the soil	bearing strength
			parameters and traffic loading with	requirements of carriage
ı			additional loading of ac type.	way to NHAI for a PCN
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	100	Maria State Vally North		has already been
		S - S Page 1 S	•	completed and the IAF
				may provide the
				specification on priority
				so that necessary
				additional layers can be
			·	planned to suit the IAF
	07	0:		specification.
	07	Size of Parking facility	Parking facility required at both ends of	NHAI official informed
a,			the strip. Recommended dimensions – 45m x 180 m (minimum 30 m x 120m for	that size of parkin space would be met
			04 ac parking).	space would be met however the width of the
			of ac parking).	parking to be restricted
				to 27 Mtrs. Since NHAI
			·	is empowered to acquire
			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	land only upto 60 mtrs of
				total carringway width.
				The length of the
				parking area could be
	1			increased to
				compensate for
			•	reduction in width (300M
				length). NHAI shall
		V · · ·	<i>∴</i>	undertakes the civil work
			}	activities on approval of
				Competent Authority, NHAI HQ inside their
				acquired ROW.
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08	R/W Lighting	Lighting not required	Not required
09			The DC/ State govt to notify and ensure that the vicinity of the strip is bereft of butcheries and tanneries to prevent Bird menance.
10	Obstructions	<ul> <li>Free from obstructions like medians, signboards, trees, fencings, sidewalls, high tension cables, poles and any other construction. There should be collapsible fencing.</li> <li>Approach and take off funnel should be devoid of obstructions.</li> </ul>	The DC/ State govt to notify and ensure that objections within the approach funnel and vicinity are adhered to.
11	Exit Taxiway	Not Applicable.	Not required
12	Specifications of Medians	<ul> <li>First option would be mechanical medians. In case not possible, medians/ fencing on rollers (towable) is acceptable.</li> <li>Line marking on the road will be done by State authorities and on parking area will be done by IAF.</li> </ul>	NHAI agreed that the considered stretches could be median frewith appropriate road marking as per their norms or within provision of movable new jersey type median barrier subject to formal approval of Competent Authority, NHAI, New Delhi (HQ).
13	Drainage specifications	If open drain is within 50 m of edge of landing strip, then drain is to be covered and cover should be capable of supporting 25 tons.  In case the ground water table is high or if it is higher during the monsoon season, proper sub surface drainage is to be planned.  Also, necessary precautions may be taken to prevent stagnation of water on the stretch. The drainage system should be constructed accordingly.	the drainage specification as mentioned. Agreed upon in principle by RO, NHAI, Gadhinagar subject to formal-approval ocompetetent Authority,

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	14	Distance to Go Markers	Three frangible distance to go markers with 9/0, M/M and 0/9 at least on one side of the	It was <b>agreed by the IAF</b> that portable DTGMs would be provided by the IAF.
	15	Other facilities	A set of four rooms of 15' x 12' dimensions with washroom facilities, two on ground floor	NHAI suggested that the ATC plinth of 50 m X 50m should not be proposed as ATC but
10.5			and two on first floor with ATC on top floor at the same location where plinth for ATC is proposed.  A link road of 6m width and 150 m is proposed between ATC plinth and airstrip. Dimensions of ATC Plinth would be 50 m x 50 m.	as a helipad for utilization by the state Govt. since the distance of the helipad is 150m away from the carriageway and is beyond the NHAI limits of land acquisition. Both the bases (Jamnagar and Uttarlai) are to take up formally with the DC for earmarking of the land for the
5				purpose and necessary
•				direction be obtained for the NHAI to follow up on
				NHAI to follow up on construction. Once the go-
				ahead from the DC is
				obtained, the required accommodation as specified can also come up.
	16	By pass/Diversion		It was decided that a joint on
				site review to be done to locate availability of any existing bypass road/ connecting road
- 2			e e	in the vicinity of the airstrip stretch. In case not available,
Las I				then diversion road to be constructed as a connecting
		·		road to the nearest road for facilitating a diversion.
9				Requirement of land to provide leveling beyond the R/W and
			· ;	paved shoulders to meet
				obstruction free area to be taken up by the stn with the DC.
	17	Misc Points		The Proposal of the Airstrip at both the stretches to be intimated to the State/ District administration on priority so
		1-		that the govt does not parallely a lot the land for installation of wind mills which are coming up at a fast pace especially for
				Gujarat.

There being no further points, the meeting concluded at 1245 Hrs.

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