



State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA)

Telangana State

Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change

A-3, Industrial Estate, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad- 500 018.

Lr.No.4/TSPCB/EC/SEIAA/General/2015-

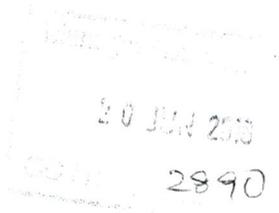
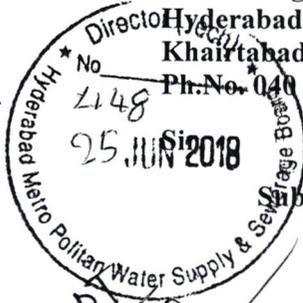
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To

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Sub: TSPCB - EC - Clarification on requirement of EC for Construction of 10 TMC Drinking Water Reservoir at Keshavapuram in Medchal District - Furnished - Reg.

Ref: Lr. No.MD/HMWSSB/10 TMC reservoir/NOC/2017/228, dt.05.06.2018, received from the Managing Director, HMWSSB.

With reference to the above, it is to inform that the Ministry of Environment & Forests, (MoE&F), GoI, issued Environment Impact Assessment (EIA) Notification, 2006 and its subsequent amendments. As per provisions laid under EIA Notification, 2006 and its subsequent amendments, all new projects or activities or the expansion or modernization of existing projects or activities listed in the Schedule of EIA Notification requires prior Environmental Clearance (EC). The criteria mentioned in the Schedule of EIA Notification w.r.t. River Valley projects / Irrigation projects which require EC is as following:

Project or Activity		Category with threshold limit		Conditions if any
1		Mining, extraction of natural resources and power generation (for a specified production capacity)		
1(c)	(i) River Valley projects	(i) ≥ 50 MW hydroelectric power generation;	(i) ≤ 50 MW ≥ 25 MW hydroelectric power generation;	General Condition shall apply. Note: - Category 'B' river valley projects falling in more than one state shall be appraised at the Central Government Level.
	(ii) Irrigation projects	(ii) ≥ 10,000 ha. of culturable command area.	(ii) < 10,000 ha. > 2000 ha. of culturable command area	

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It can be noted from the Schedule of EIA Notification that it only mentions about "River Valley projects" / "Irrigation projects" and does not mention about requirement of prior EC for "Construction of Drinking Water Reservoir".

This is for favour of information and necessary action.

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Yours faithfully,

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