

## **NOTE ON JUSTIFICATION FOR LOCATING THE PROJECT IN FOREST LAND**


### **The existing water supply scheme**

The existing water supply scheme to Karwar, Ankola towns and en route villages having Gangavali River source was commissioned in May 1975 with an installed capacity of 40.86 MLD was implemented. The source of water is river Gangavali with intake point near Honnalli village at a distance of 42 Kms from Karwar city. The Bulk water supply to Karwar, Ankola, Seabird, M/s. Aditya Birla Chemicals & 15 Enroute Gram Panchayath's scheme is being maintained by the Board.

### **Construction of 40.00 Lakh liter capacity GLSR at High church & 50.00 Lakh liter capacity GLSR at Navagadde under ADB Assistance scheme.**

The Project has been give the administratively approved by GOK vide letter No. UDD/31/UWS/2007, Bangalore Dtd: 28-02-2009 under ADB Assistance. Under this project the 40.00 Lakh liter capacity GLSR at High church & 50.00 Lakh liter capacity GLSR at Navagadde is constructed during the year 2010. The GLSR's are constructed at suitable land with required head for storage of drinking water. There is no alternatives for GLSR in non-forest land. So far public drinking purpose the project was most essential to be takenup at suitable land with required head which is identified in forest land.

Hence locating project in forest land is justified.

  
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