

## **Environmental Management Regulatory Authority**

### **Minutes of the Meeting held on 29.11.2018 at 11.00 Am, Conference Hall, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, APCRDA, Vijayawada.**

The following members have attended the meeting.

1. Sri A. Sreenivasulu, Director, Landscape & Environment, APCRDA, Member Convener, EMRA
2. Sri JSRK Sastry, Director, Strategy, APCRDA
3. Sri NVRK Prasad, Additional Director, Infra, APCRDA
4. Smt. Naga Sundari, Director, Development & Promotion, APCRDA
5. Sri J Srinivasulu, Chief Engineer, Urban Services & Infrastructure, APCRDA
6. Sri P Suresh Babu, Head, Urban Planning & Architect, ADCL
7. Sri B Sreenivasulu, Deputy Director, Horticulture, ADCL
8. Sri R Nageswara Rao, Assistant Planner, Planning, APCRDA
9. Sri Y V Krishna, Senior Infra Planner, ADCL
10. Sri K Laxman Kumar, Senior Infra Planner, ADCL
11. Sri G Dileep Chakravarthy, TERI
12. Sri G Yashwanth Kumar, TERI

The Member convener of EMRA welcomed all the members and representatives of the departments and briefed about the purpose of the EMRA. During the meeting following environmental issues have been discussed:

1. Compliance status of Capital city EC conditions with respect to the ongoing developmental activities within the capital city
  - Regulatory and legal aspects pertaining to the Development of Public spaces along the Krishna River Front – It was decided to follow the EC conditions
  - Liquid and Solid waste management within the capital city, especially the waste from the existing educational institutions – the infra officials have instructed the environment team to go for a field inspection and check the compliance of the liquid and solid waste management at the private developments.
  - Flood mitigation works of Kondaveeti vagu and progress of Kondaveeti vagu and palavagu network – The concerned ADCL official told that the works will be called for the tenders.
  - Protection and management of existing water bodies within capital city area. – It was decided that the water bodies be protected as per the EC conditions.
  - The location for the installation of the online river water quality monitoring stations – It was decided to kondaveeti vagu pump station premises is suitable for the installation of the said station.
  - Status of the STPs and WTPs planned at LPS zone level – the Infra officials of the APCRDA have told that the STPs are part of the LPS zone works and so far around 6 LPS zonal works have been allotted and remaining are in tender stage.

2. Condition wise compliance status of the Hon'ble NGT conditions
  - Status of the river hydrology and bund strengthening study entrusted to WAPCOS – The concerned official told that the WAPCOS has submitted a draft report and discussions are going on to finalise the report.
  - Status of the comprehensive city specific action plan to mitigate impact of climate change with a view to achieve carbon neutrality – the TERI team has informed that their team has submitted two interim draft report and will submit the final climate change action plan after necessary studies are done.
3. Compliance status of the suggestions made by the Supervisory committee
  - Comprehensive study on palaeo flood analysis to be taken up by the NGRI. The concerned officials told that the NGRI has submitted a draft proposal and discussion happened between the NGRI and APCRDA and accordingly the NGRI was asked to submit revised proposal.
  - Single window system for building permissions and prior environment approvals from the State authorities.
4. Environmental safeguards being followed at the sites of the developmental works including safety of workers, EHS, etc
5. The respective department have updated status on the following
  - a. Integration of the environment norms with capital city building guidelines – the Development promotion team said that integration is under process.
  - b. Allotment of the waste management sites in the capital city – The infra team said that the suitable area is already allocated in the Master plan.
  - c. Waste management and disposal in the capital city interlinked projects, especially the wastes from the labour camps and the C & D wastes. – It was decided to adopt the standard procedure to dispose the waste as per the norms.
  - d. Installation of the roof top solar systems in all the applicable the capital city building developments- The infra team said that all the public buildings are proposed with roof top solar.
  - e. Display of the base map depicting the village wise, survey nos, water bodies and their boundaries, extents on the APCRDA website – the internal communication has been done for details of the water bodies base map.

The meeting was concluded with vote of thanks by the Director, LSE.

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**Member, Convenor (Director, LSE)**