

No. 5/11/2012-GW Desk
Government of India
Ministry of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation

Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg
New Delhi, Dated: 19th January, 2017

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Sub: Re-constitution of "National Inter-Departmental Steering Committee (NISC)" for monitoring "National Project on Aquifer Mapping & Management (NAQUIM)".

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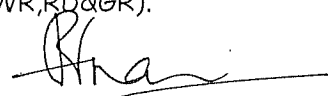
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2) All the other terms and conditions of this Ministry's Order of even number dated 28.04.2016 will remain unchanged.

3) This issues with the approval of the Hon'ble Minister (WR,RD&GR).



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To

- 1) Member concerned/All members of the Committee.
- 2) Member (SAM), CGWB and Member Secretary, NISC & National Coordinator, NAQUIM, Faridabad w.r.t. letter No. 10C/CGWB/MSAM/NISC/2016-9688 dated 28.12.2016

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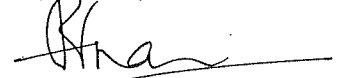
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National Water Mission, under National Action Plan on Climate Change, emphasizes conservation of water and ensuring its more equitable distribution across the whole country. There is an urgent need for an accurate and comprehensive picture of ground water through aquifer mapping in different hydro-geological settings which will enable preparation of robust groundwater management plans. Various stake holders need to play an active and supportive role for adequate and proper ground water management. Keeping into consideration that India is the largest user of ground water in the world, Government of India (MoWR, RD&GR) is taking up the "National Project on Aquifer Mapping & Management (NAQUIM)" under Ground Water Management & Regulation (GWM&R) Scheme during the 12th Plan through CGWB.

2) For providing guidance in the implementation of the Project of NAQUIM, an Inter-departmental Steering Committee (NISC) was constituted by the Ministry vide Order of even No. dated 25.07.2012 & 10.10.2013. The term of the NISC has expired on March, 2015.

3) Keeping in view of re-prioritised areas to be taken up in NAQUIM, in Telengana and Bundelkhand Region of Madhya Pradesh & Uttar Pradesh and other states carrying critical /water stressed blocks and for providing guidance & monitoring the Projects of 'NAQUIM' and 'Participatory Ground Water Management (PGWM)', to be implemented under GWM&R Scheme, during remaining part of 12th plan and next 13th plan, the MoWR, RD&GR hereby re-constitutes the NISC with the following composition:

1	Secretary (WR, RD&GR), Government of India	Chairman
2	Special/ Additional Secretary (WR, RD&GR), Government of India	Vice-Chairman
3	Mission Director, National Water Mission	Member
4	Secretary, Ministry of Drinking Water & Sanitation, Government of India, or his Representative	Member
5	Secretary, Ministry of Earth Sciences, Government of India, or his Representative	Member
6	Secretary, Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India, or his Representative	Member
7	Secretary, Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India, or his Representative	Member
8	Surveyor General of India, Ministry of Science & Technology, Government of India	Member
9	Chairman, Central Water Commission, Government of India	Member
10	Director General, Council for Scientific & Industrial Research, Government of India	Member
11	Principal Secretary, Minor Irrigation & Ground Water Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh	Member

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To

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