No. S-21017/4/2015-EA (M-76019/1/2015-ENDWMJ9/198) Government of India

Ministry of Water Resources, River Development & GR

1, B Wing, Shastri Bhawan, Dr. RP Road, New Delhi-110001, 24th October, 2015.

ORDER

Subject: Visit of Indian delegation to Austria and Spain during 26th -30th October, 2015.

Sanction of the Competent Authority is hereby accorded to visit of the following officers of Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation and two State Governments Shri Nikhilesh Jha, Addl Secretary & Mission Director, National Water Mission, MoWR,RD&GR and Dr M Satyanaryana, Adviser, National Water Mission, MoWR,RD&GR to Austria and Spain during 26th - 30th October, 2015 (excluding travel time) to study Integrated Water Resources Management:

- (i) Shri Nikhilesh Jha, Addl Secretary & Mission Director, National Water Mission, MoWR,RD&GR
- (ii) Shri Naveen Prakash, Principal Secretary (Irrigation & WR), Government of West Bengal
- (iii) Shri S K Joshi, Principal Secretary (WR), Government of Telangana
- (iv) Dr M Satyanarayana, Adviser (C&M), National Water Mission, MoWR,RD&GR
- 2. The visit is being organized by the World Bank and the organizers will bear the cost of participation including air travel, accommodation, misc travel expenses, etc. in respect of all the above mentioned officers and there will be no expenditure on part of Government of India.
- 3. The period of absence from the post in India and grant of pay and allowances and counting of increment for the officers will be regulated in accordance with the provisions of Para 13-15 of the Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure O.M. No.19036/7/75-E.IV (B) dated 5.8.1976.
- 4. The resignation or request for voluntary retirement from service while abroad will not be entertained under any circumstances. The officers will not stay abroad under any circumstances beyond the approved period without the prior sanction of Government of India.
- 5. The officers shall travel on official passports.
- 6. The officers will submit a report of the visit to Ministry of External Affairs (Coord Division) and Ministry of Water Resources (EA Division) within one month of their return to India
- 7. This sanction issues with the approval of the Screening Committee of Secretaries *vide* Ministry of Finance (Exp) ID Note No. DC-220485/E.Coord/2015 dated 24.10.2015 and with the concurrence of IFD of Ministry of Water Resources, RD & GR *vide* their Diary No. 121-FD/2015 dated 24.10.2015.

(V.K. Baljan) Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Pay and Accounts Officer, Ministry of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation, B Wing, Shastri Bhawan, Dr. Rajendra Prasad Road, New Delhi -110001.

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- ti: Att. Av. 32. ZIndian Embassy in Spain, Avenida Pio XII, 30-32 28016, Madrid, Spain, email-hoc@embassyindia.es, sspic@embassyindia.es.
- Marador & Embassy of India in Vienna, Austria, Karntner Ring 2, zur Ziet Opernring 1 austria bezontze Stiege R, 6. Stock, 1015, Vienna [E-mail: indemb@eoivien.vienna.at].
- 4. Ministry of External Affairs (Kind Attn: Sh SNV Raman Rao, Director (Coord))
 New Delhi, Tel 23014754, w.r.t. their OM No. AA/122/04/2015 dated 20.10.2015.
 - 5. DDO, Cash Section, Ministry of Water Resources, RD&GR, New Delhi (2 copies).
 - 6. Officers concerned.
 - 7. State Governments of West Bengal and Telangana.
 - 8. Joint Secretary (A&GW) and Director (Admn), MoWR, RD&GR.
 - 9. Budget Section/Finance Desk, MoWR, New Delhi.
 - 10. NIC Cell/e-Gov. for uploading the Order on website of the Ministry.

11. Sanction folder.

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