



GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

RESOLUTION

No. WR-LI-SCH-0011-2023 11365 W/R, Dated 26/4/2023

Subject: Assessment of annual ground water recharge – constitution of State Level Committee for re-assessment of ground water resources of Odisha for each Water Year.

The Ground Water Resources Assessment in the State of Odisha was last carried out in the year 2022 jointly by the Central Ground Water Board, South Eastern Region, Bhubaneswar and Directorate of Ground Water Development, Govt. of Odisha. Keeping in view the importance of periodic assessment of dynamic ground water resource in the State and steps taken Ministry of Jal Shakti, Gol for this purpose, it has been decided to carry out Ground water resources assessment in the State for each water year. In this context, the State Government have been pleased to constitute State Level Committee(SLC) as per following composition, to assess ground water resources of Odisha for each water year. The Department of Water Resources, Govt. of Odisha is declared as Nodal Department for this purpose.

1. Composition:-

1.	Additional Chief Secretary/ Principal Secretary, Department of Water Resources	---	Chairperson
2.	Managing Director, Odisha Lift Irrigation Corporation, Ltd.	---	Member
3.	Director, Industries	---	Member
4.	Director, Soil Conservation & Watershed Development	---	Member
5.	Director, Agriculture & Food Production	---	Member
6.	Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources	---	Member
7.	Engineer-in-Chief, Public Health	---	Member
8.	Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation	---	Member
9.	Chief Engineer, Minor Irrigation	---	Member
10.	General Manager, NABARD	---	Member
11.	Director, Fisheries	---	Member
12.	CE & Director, Ground Water Development	---	Member Co-convener
13.	Regional Director, CGWB, SER, Bhubaneswar	---	Member Co-convener

The Committee may co-opt any other Member(s) / special invitee(s), if necessary.

2. Terms of Reference: The broad terms of reference of the Committee would be as follows:-

(i) To re-assess annual ground water recharge of the state in accordance with the Ground Water Resources Estimation Methodology-2015.

(ii) To estimate the status of utilization of the annual extractable ground water resource.

3. Time frame: The Committee will submit its report on or before 31st of August in respect of each water year.

4. Expenditure: Expenditure on account of TA/DA to official Members will be met from the source from which they draw their salaries and that of non-official Members' will be borne by the Directorate of Ground Water Development, Odisha.

This supersedes the earlier Resolution No.2756 dated 07.02.2022 and No. 3411 dt. 14.2.2022 of Department of Water Resources.

By Order of Governor,


25/4/23
Additional Chief Secretary to Government

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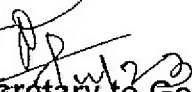
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