

**Minutes of the PMG Meeting held under chairmanship of  
Chief Secretary, Uttarakhand  
(26-02-2018)**

The 12<sup>th</sup> PMG Meeting for Uttarakhand was held on February 26, 2018 in Chief Secretary Conference Hall, Dehradun. The team of State level officers of concerned departments led by Chief Secretary, Uttarakhand, officers from concerned project offices were present in the Meeting Hall. The officers from PMG, PMO, the Officers of concerned Central Ministries also participated in the meeting through video conferencing. Names of the officers who attended the meeting are as per Annexure-1.

Project wise major points discussed in the meeting and the decisions/directions of the PMG are as follows:

**I- Issues of Project on Central PMG**

**1- Tapovan-Vishnugad HEP (4x130 MW) (Rs. 3846 Crore)**

Issue	Issue raised by	Decision taken/Status Updated in the meeting	Action to be taken by
Permission for mining lease of 7,00,000 MT at Soraihotia area. Support of Government of Uttarakhand in allocation of mining lease to NTPC Ltd. for lifting the 7,00,000 Mt quantity of stone boulders or part from Soraihotia or any other nearby location.	NTPC	Allotment has already been done by State Government on 29-12-2017. EIA study to be carried out by NTPC.	NTPC

**2- Kitcha-Khatima new Railway line project (Rs. 208 Crore)**

Issue	Issue raised by	Decision taken/Status Updated in the meeting	Action to be taken by
Survey for new alignment needed.	Railway	Joint meetings of District Administration & Railway for this purpose were organized but due to unavoidable circumstances the representative from Railway could not participated in the meeting. In the PMG meeting State Government requested to Government of India to direct railway officers to attend next meeting and carry out the study of the alternative alignment.	Railway

Land cost sharing is to be decided	PMO	The view of State Government on cost sharing may be decided after finalization of DPR.	GoI/GoU
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### 3- Deoband-Roorkee New Railway Line Project: 27 KM (Rs. 105 Crore)

Issue	Issue raised by	Decision taken in the meeting	Action to be taken by
Uttarakhand needs to expeditiously acquire the land required for the project	Railway/ PMO	Out of 9 villages the land acquisition process has been completed in 8 villages. The land will be handed over to Railway by 28 February, 2017.	District Magistrate, Haridwar/ Revenue Department
Cost Sharing	GoU	Hon'ble Minister, Railway has agreed in-principle for cost sharing on 50:50 basis. The representative from Railway was requested in the meeting to clarify the funding pattern.	Railway

### 4- Kashipur- Sitarganj Road Widening (Rs. 605.84 Crore)

Issue	Status/Comments
Utility Shifting	Completed
Possession of 50 villages to be handed over	Physical possession process is complete (Mutation is under progress)
Compensation	All amount has been distributed. Only the amount regarding disputed land is pending.

### 5- Char Dham Road Connectivity Improvement (889 Km.) (Rs.11679 Crore)

Issue	Status/Comments
State Government to provide all estimates and under take required works for utilities shifting.	Estimates costing Rs 74.06 Cr, as submitted by the departments, have been sanctioned by MoRTH for utility shifting in whole project length. Rs 65.00 Cr. has been released by Chief Engineer-Regional Officer, MoRTH to the concerned departments (Jal Sansthan and Power Corporation) for utility shifting. Tender process and procurement of materials has been completed by both departments. Shifting of utility wherever required has already been completed. In other stretches, it will be done alongwith the widening the road.
Forest clearance proposals are to be formulated, processed and forwarded to MoEF.	Total 52 forest proposals were required to be uploaded for forest affected length of 841 Km in the project. As of now 45 forest proposals covering 730 km length have been uploaded online. In remaining 7

	<p>proposals of 111.30 km length, 5 proposals fall in Eco-sensitive zone of length 88.25 km. Balance 2 proposals are of Bypasses of length 23.05 km for which alignments and other formalities are being conducted. For bypasses uploading will be done by 31.03.2018 and for Eco-sensitive zone, efforts are being made to get the approval from NGT.</p> <p>The current status of forest clearance for the proposals uploaded online is as below:-</p> <p><b>Stage-I (In principle sanction obtained)</b> No. of proposal = 23 Nos Length = 478.81 km</p> <p><b>Stage-II (In principle sanction obtained)</b> No. of proposal = 15 Nos Length = 204.41 km</p> <p>Thus total 38 proposals covering km 683.22 length have been cleared by forest department. Overall 81% progress has been achieved in forest land clearance. Chief Secretary and Additional Chief Secretary, Uttarakhand is continuously reviewing the status of forest fortnightly.</p>
Tree enumeration and cutting also will be required	Tree cutting has been completed in overall 590 km length of all packages.
LA for the project to be expedite to ensure 90% land availability to be ensured in a time bound matter.	<p>Affected length of project for land acquisition is 856.00 km in which process of Government and Private land acquisition in area 535 Hect. is in progress. The progress is as under:-</p> <p>(A) Length in which 3(A) is completed = 710 Km (B) Length in which 3(D) is completed = 666 Km (C) Length in which 3(G) is completed = 626 Km</p> <p>The award of compensation has been declared by CALA in 73 % of project length and in balance length the process of 3G award is in progress. However in the sanctioned length of works, the 3(G) award in 100 % length has been completed. Land acquisition in balance length is targeted to be completed upto 31.03.2018. The progress of LA is being regularly reviewed by Chief Secretary &amp; Additional Chief Secretary, Uttarakhand on fortnightly basis with all District Magistrates.</p>

**6- Four Laning of Nagina Kashipur section of National Highway 74 in Uttarakhand (#1592) (Rs. 2535.54 Crore)**

Issue	Status/Comments
Disbursement of balance compensation (CALA/SLAO,	It was apprised by District Magistrate that now only Rs. 21.9 crore is to be distributed. Third

Udham Singh Nagar, UK) to be expedited.

notice is being served. The Joint Secretary, PMO agreed that issues related to this project is resolved so it will be removed from the list of pending projects.

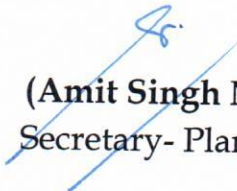
## **II- Action Plan for Expeditious Approval of Pending 133 FC cases in the State of Uttarakhand**

It was apprised by Department of Forest that out of 133 Forest cases 75 cases have been fully resolved, 37 cases have been forwarded to Government of India after removing the objection. 10 cases will be submitted in forthcoming meetings of REC. A few cases are related to Eco-Sensitive Zone. Monitoring of pending cases is regularly done at Chief Secretary and Additional Chief Secretary level. User Departments are now quite familiar about on-line system and on an average the normal cases are being resolved in 2-3 months.

## **III- Review and Up-dation of Action Taken Reports in Respect of Decision Taken in the PRAGATI/ e-Samiksha.**

The progress status of all projects of Uttarakhand shown in the PRAGATI & e-Samiksha Portal were found updated. The Joint Secretary felt satisfaction on prompt updation work.

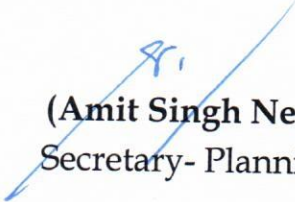
The Meeting ended with vote of thanks to the chair.

  
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4. Additional Chief Secretary, PWD, Government of Uttarakhand.
5. Additional Chief Secretary, Forest & Environment, GoU.
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1. Shri Arjun Singh, Additional Secretary, Payjal, GoU.
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