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**Sub: Clearance of "Song Dam Drinking Water Project", Uttarakhand from International/JRC Angle- reg.**

**Ref: CWC ID No. 2/297/2018-PA(N)/1388-89 dated 10.10.2019**

Kind reference is invited to PA(N), Directorate, Central Water Commission ID No 2/297/2018-PA(N)/1388-89 dated 10.10.2019 vide which the 'Check List' in respect of 'Song Dam Drinking Water Project' of Uttarakhand has been furnished duly vetted by Chief Engineer (PAO), CWC for clearance from International/ JRC angle.

It is observed from the 'Check List' which duly vetted by CWC that *"the total water utilization through the said dam is about 10.05 MCM only in the non monsoon period which will be available from the stored water in reservoir from monsoon flow. The site being situated far upstream of Ganga Basin, Project has negligible effect on water availability at Farakka Barrage"*. Further, Project Authority has certified in the DPR that the purpose of this project is to store the water from inflow in rainy season only for drinking water purposes, no water shall be diverted in lean season.

In view of the above, the undersigned is directed to convey 'No Objection' from International /JRC angle in respect of Ganga Water Sharing Treaty-1996 to "Song Dam Drinking Water Project", Uttarakhand subject to following conditions:

1. Government of Uttarakhand shall ensure that storage provided in the reservoir of this dam is sufficient to meet the envisaged water requirement of the project during lean season (1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> May).
2. Necessary provisions will be made by Government of Uttarakhand / Project Authority during and post execution of this project to ensure continuous unaffected lean season flow (1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> May) in Ganga River.
3. All conditions as imposed by National Mission for Clean Ganga shall be duly complied with by the Project Authority.

  
(R.R. Sambharia)

Sr. Joint Commissioner-I (FM)

Director, PA(N), Central Water Commission, Sewa Bhawan, R.K Puram, New Delhi  
Z-23011/1/2019-O/o SJC-I (FM) 4105-06 dated /9 December, 2019

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