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Government of India
Ministry of Environment & Forests

Paryavaran Bhavan,
C.G.O. Complex, Lodi Road,
New Delhi-110003.

Dated: 29th October, 2001

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Constitution of Monitoring Committee as per the provisions of Notification S.O.52(E) dated 17th January, 2001 (Mahabaleshwar-Panchgani Notification).

In pursuance of the Notification No. S.O.52(E) dated 17th January, 2001, Govt. of India in the Ministry of Environment & Forests hereby constitutes a Monitoring Committee comprising of the following:-

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| (i) Shri J.G. Kanga (IAS Retd.) | Chairman |
| (ii) Conservator of Forests,
Mahabaleshwar. | Member |
| (iii) Deputy Director,
Town Planning, Pune Division,
Government of Maharashtra | Member |
| (iv) Sr. Manager,
Maharashtra Tourism Development Corporation. | Member |
| (v) Shri Shyam Chainani,
9, James Court, Marine Drive,
Mumbai-400 020. | Member |
| (vi) Maj. Gen. Barucha | Member |
| (vii) Shri R. Anandakumar,
Director,
Ministry of Environment & Forests. | Member |

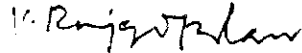
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- (viii) Representative of Central Pollution Control Board, Member
- (ix) District Collector, Member-Convenor
Satara, Maharashtra.

2. The terms of reference of the Committee are as follows:-

- (i) To ensure compliance of the provisions of the Mahabaleshwar-Panchgani Notification published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part II Section (3) Sub-Section (ii), S.O.52(E) dated 17th January, 2001.
- (ii) To regulate and control noise pollution within the eco-sensitive zone.
- (iii) To regulate traffic especially through traffic within the eco-sensitive zone till the Master Plan is approved by the Ministry of Environment and Forests in the Government of India and thereafter the regulations shall be in conformity with the provisions of the approved Master Plan.
- (iv) To consider proposals and take decisions for providing relaxation with regard to raising of larger dairy, poultry, mushroom rearing and other units in the nature of allied agricultural activities and structures connected therewith in the non municipal areas in excess of 1/8th built up area.
- (v) To regulate the use of plastics within the eco-sensitive zone.
- (vi) To consider and take decision on the proposals for sale of ground water.
- (vii) New tourism activities and developments for tourism or expansion of existing tourism activities shall be considered by the Monitoring Committee and decision taken based on detailed analysis and guidelines laid down by the Ministry of Environment & Forests.
- (viii) To consider proposals for limited quarrying of material required for the construction of local residential houses and traditional road maintenance work and take decision.

- (ix) To file complaints under section 19 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 if offences under the said Act come to the notice of the Committee.
- (x) The Monitoring Committee will discharge the functions specifically enumerated in the notification and do all things incidental thereto (except the functions as are required to be performed by the Central Government under the provisions of EIA Notification of 27th January, 1994 as amended from time to time).
3. The Committee or any officer or member of the Monitoring Committee authorised by the Committee shall be authorised to file complaints under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
4. The tenure of the Committee is for a period of two years and can be subsequently extended, necessary, by the Government of India.
5. The expenditure on the Monitoring Committee shall be met by the Government of Maharashtra.
6. The Monitoring Committee shall meet at least once in a month and dispose of its business within a period of 90 days.
7. The quorum for the Monitoring Committee shall not be less than five members including the Chairman.
8. TA/DA for the non-official members shall be met by the Government of Maharashtra as per the State Government rules.


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- (i) Chief Secretary, Government of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- (ii) Secretary, Department of Environment, Government of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- (iii) Chairman and the Members of the Monitoring Committee.
- (iv) Guard File.

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Sub: Constitution of the Monitoring Committee as per the provisions of Notification S.O. No.52 (E) dated 17th January, 2001 (Mahableshwar Panchgani Notification).

In continuation to the office memorandum dated 29th October, 2001, the Government of India, in the Ministry of Environment & Forests hereby extends the tenure of the Monitoring Committee upto 31st January, 2004.

2. The Terms of Reference of the Committee and other conditions remain unchanged.
3. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

R.R. Khan
(R.R. Khan) 17/12/03
Advisor

1. Chief Secretary, Government of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
2. Secretary, Department of Environment, Government of Maharashtra, Mumbai.
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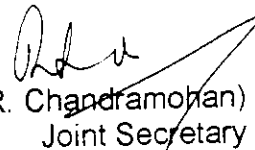
November 19, 2004.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: - Constitution of the Monitoring Committee as per the provisions of Notification S.O.No.52(E) dated 17th January, 2001(Mahableswar Panchgani Notification).

In continuation to the office memorandum dated 14th September, 2004 the Government of India, Ministry of Environment & Forests hereby extends the tenure of the Monitoring Committee upto 28th January, 2005

2. The terms of Reference of the Committee and other conditions remain unchanged.
3. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.


(R. Chandramohan)
Joint Secretary

1. Chief Secretary, Government of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
2. Secretary, Department of Environment, Govt. of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
3. Chairman and the Members of the Monitoring Committee.
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