

## Standard Operating Procedure and Checklist

<b>Name of Department</b>	Water Resource Department
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### 1. Standard Operating Procedure for Applicant

<b>Application for</b>	NoC for Water Abstraction
<b>Type</b>	For Commercial Connection
<b>Mandatory supporting documents required for <u>Provisional Recognition</u></b>	For Provisional approval <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Land Details (Ownership document Sales deed, Lease deed, etc.)</li> <li>2. Route Sketch Map</li> <li>3. EPIC or Other Identification</li> </ol>
<b>Process description</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Step 1:</b> Submission of online application along with supporting documents.</li> <li>➤ <b>Step 2:</b> Review of application by Executive Engineer, Water Resource department</li> <li>➤ <b>Step 3:</b> Site inspection by SE, Public Health Engineering Department</li> <li>➤ <b>Step 4:</b> Approval by the District Level Committee on Ground Water Resources</li> <li>➤ <b>Step 5:</b> NOC for applying from CGWA</li> </ul> <p>Applicant then can proceed to apply of CGWA website <a href="http://cgwa-noc.gov.in/LandingPage/index.htm">http://cgwa-noc.gov.in/LandingPage/index.htm</a></p>
<b>Procedure for Fees payment</b>	No fees
<b>List of Reference Documents</b>	Guidelines/Criteria for evaluation of proposals/requests for ground water abstraction by Central Ground Water Authority
<b>Timeline for completing the process</b>	N. A
<b>Checking of Application Status</b>	Application status can be tracked through Single window portal
<b>Departmental Workflow</b>	Online Application > Verification by EE, WRD > Site Inspection by SE, PHE > Verification and Approval by the District Level Committee on Ground Water Resources > Issuance of NoC for applying from CGWA by the EE, WRD

### 2. Inspection Procedure:

#### A. Pre-Inspection

1. A quality check shall be done on the documents submitted by the applicant in terms of completeness and correctness of the information furnished by Executive Engineer, Water Resource Department
2. Verification of compliance of submitted document done by Superintending Engineer, PHE

#### B. Inspection

1. Inspection shall be made during regular working hours except when special circumstances indicate otherwise.
2. At the beginning of the inspection, the inspector shall locate the applicant and inform about the purpose of the proposed inspection.
3. The inspector shall inspect the following:
  - a. Name of the Applicant
  - b. Detail of land holding of the Applicant
  - c. Postal Address of the Applicant
  - d. Contact No. of the Applicant
  - e. Email ID of the Applicant
  - f. Presence of natural spring nearby
  - g. Presence of borewell Individual / Government nearby
  - h. Presence of Water Bodies like Dug well/Fishery pond / Jalkundsetc. nearby.
  - i. Proposed GPS reading (latitude/longitude) of borewell
  - j. Purpose for drilling
  - k. Quantum of water requirement (Litres)
  - l. Existing availability of water supply(State quantity supplied and the source of supply)
  - m. Quantum of shortage in water supply
  - n. Permission granted/ not granted
  - o. Justification for permission granted/ not granted
  - p. Propose ground water recharge system
  - q. Name of drilling agency
  - r. Drilling Agency Registered /Non-Registered with the DLGWR
  - s. Number of persons residing in the premises
  - t. Any other information
4. The SE, PHE should collect photographic evidence if any non-compliance has been observed.
5. The SE, PHE may seek information / clarifications or documentary evidence from the representative to ascertain the correctness of the application.
6. If applicant wilfully delays or obstructs the inspection, the same shall be recorded in the inspection report for taking further necessary action in the matter.
7. At the end of the inspection, the SE, PHE may inform the applicant about apparent non-compliance observed during inspection so that the applicant may initiate necessary corrective action wherever required.

#### **C. Post Inspection**

1. Inspection report should be submitted within 1 month of completion of the inspection and a copy of the same should be issued to the applicant.
2. All observations of the inspection along with photographic evidence of non-compliance should be included as part of the report.
3. Noncompliance areas should be listed in the report along with additional measures that need to be taken by the applicant to ensure compliance.

#### **C. Checklist of Documents for Inspection**

- Information provided in [Annexure A (Application form with Enclosures)]
- Inspection report format (Annexure B)