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भारत सरकार  
जल शक्ति मंत्रालय  
जल संसाधन नदी विकास एवं गंगा संरक्षण विभाग  
केंद्रीय जल आयोग  
जल आयोजन एवं परियोजनासमन्वय निदेशालय



सत्यमेव जयते

Government of India  
Ministry of Jal Shakti  
Deptt. of Water Resources, RD&GR  
Central Water Commission  
WP&P Coordination Directorate

**विषय:** सूचना का अधिकार, 2005 के अंतर्गत Shri V Ramesh Chandra Varma, Flat 104 Aarifs Vinayagar East Avenue, Kirlampudi Layout opp Mangalgiri one Apt. Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, Pin: 530017. ☐: 9010466566 email: vrcvarma@gmail.com का RTI क्रं CWCND/R/E/23/00260 & CWCND/R/E/23/00261 दिनांक 08-09-2023 के आवेदन द्वारा मांगी गई सूचना के संबंध में।  
(Information sought under RTI Act by Shri V Ramesh Chandra Varma, Flat 104 Aarifs Vinayagar East Avenue, Kirlampudi Layout opp Mangalgiri one Apt. Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, Pin: 530017. ☐: 9010466566 email: vrcvarma@gmail.com vide RTI application No. CWCND/R/E/23/00260 & CWCND/R/E/23/00261 dated 08-09-2023 –reg)

इस कार्यालय में 12-09-2023 को केन्द्रीय जल आयोग के अवर सचिव एवं सूचना के अधिकार के नोडल अधिकारी के पत्रांक A-49012/8/2023/RTI/1426-27 दिनांक:11-09-2023 से प्राप्त Shri V Ramesh Chandra Varma का दिनांक 08-09-2023 आवेदन के संबंध में जल आयोजन एवं परियोजना स्कंध, केन्द्रीय जल आयोग में उपलब्ध जानकारी निम्नानुसार है:

[With reference to above RTIs Application, which was transferred to this office from Under Secretary & Nodal Officer, RTI cell, CWC, New Delhi on 12-09-2023, vide letter no. A-49012/8/2023/RTI/1426-27 Dated:11-09-2023. information available in WP&P Wing of CWC, is provided as below:]

Information with respect to: **CWCND/R/E/23/00260**

क्र.सं	वांछित सूचना/ information Requested	उपलब्ध सूचना/ Available information
The Kaleshwaram Irrigation Project of Telangana and the Upper Bhadra Irrigation project of Karnataka, both the projects have received clearances from various departments of the Central Government. However, the Upper Bhadra of Karnataka has been considered by the High Power Steering Committee (HPSC) for National Project Status and also obtained Invest Clearance from the Central Government for the Upper Bhadra Project.		
1.	In view of the facts, I request your good office to provide me with information regarding the reasons under Sec 4 (1)(C) and (d) of the RTI Act 2005 for not considering the Kaleshwaram irrigation Project of Telangana for National Project Status and only considering the Upper Bhadra Irrigation Project of Karnataka for	As per Guidelines of National Projects "New projects could be considered for inclusion as National Projects on receipt of proposal from State Governments in the prescribed format, clearance from Expenditure Finance Committee/Project Investment Board and on the recommendation there upon of a High Power Steering Committee (constituted for

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	National Project Status when both the projects are equal in all respects having equal clearances and both are recommended by the advisory Committee.	the purpose of overseeing the entire process of selection and implementation of National Projects) and the approval by the Union cabinet".  No proposal has been received from the State Government, in the prescribed format as per Guidelines of National Projects. for inclusion of Kaleshwaram Irrigation Project (Telangana) under the scheme of National Project.
2.	Please provide me with information on whether any Petition (PIL) filed and pending in the Honourable Supreme Court praying for granting National Project Status for Kaleshwaram Lift Irrigation Project or Palamuru Rangareddy Lift Irrigation Project of Telangana	Information not available in WP&P Wing of CWC

Information with respect to: **CWCND/R/E/23/00261**

क्र.सं	वांछित सूचना/ information Requested	उपलब्ध सूचना/ Available information
The Kaleshwaram Irrigation Project of Telangana and the Polavaram Irrigation Project of Andhra Pradesh, both the projects have received clearances from various departments of the Central Government. However, the Polavaram Irrigation Project of Andhra Pradesh has been considered for National. Project Status under Sec 90 of Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Act 2014.		
1.	In view of the facts, I request your good office to provide me with information regarding the reasons under Sec 4 (1)(c) and (d) of the RTI Act 2005 for not considering the Kaleshwaram. Irrigation Project of Telangana for National Project Status and only considering the Polavaram Irrigation Project of Andhra Pradesh for National Project Status when both the projects are equal in all respects having equal clearances and both are recommended by the Advisory Committee.	As per Guidelines of National Projects "New projects could be considered for inclusion as National Projects on receipt of proposal from State Governments in the prescribed format, clearance from Expenditure Finance Committee/Project Investment Board and on the recommendation there upon of a High Power Steering Committee (constituted for the purpose of overseeing the entire process of selection and implementation of National Projects) and the approval by the Union cabinet".  No proposal has been received from the State Government, in the prescribed format as per Guidelines of National Projects. for inclusion of Kaleshwaram Irrigation Project (Telangana) under the scheme of National Project.
2.	Please provide me with information on whether any Petition (PIL) filed and pending in the Honourable Supreme Court praying for granting Nation.al Project Status for Kaleshwaram Lift Irrigation Project or Palamuru Rangareddy Lift Irrigation Project	Information not available in WP&P Wing of CWC

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यदि आप इस कार्यालय द्वारा प्रदान की गई जानकारी/जवाब से संतुष्ट नहीं हैं, तो आप इस पत्र की प्राप्ति से 30 दिनों के भीतर सीधे प्रथम अपीलीय प्राधिकारी को अपील कर सकते हैं जिसका पता नीचे दिया गया है।

[In case you are not satisfied with the information/ reply provided by this office, you may directly prefer an appeal within 30 days from the receipt of this letter to the first appellate authority whose address is given as under.]

Designation & address of First Appellate Authority in respect of WP&P wing of CWC	Chief Engineer (PAO), Central Water Commission, 7th Floor (S), Sewa Bhawan, R. K. Puram, New Delhi 110066. ☎:011-26103561. ✉: ceprjap@nic.in
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To,

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2. Under Secretary and Nodal Officer, RTI Cell with reference to letter No A-49012/8/2023/RTI/1426-27 Dated:11-09-2023 for kind information and further necessary action please  
(Applicant may find the RTI reply correspondence at <http://cwc.gov.in/rti-reply> )

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