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विषय: सूचना का अधिकार, 2005 के अंतर्गत श्री Onkar Arvind Chavan, A/P Mattiwade, Tal — Hukkeri, Dist—Belgaum, Karnataka, Pin-591225.email: onkarchavan28498@gmail.com का RTI क्र. CWCND/R/E/21/00265 दिनांक 10/12/2021 के आवेदन द्वारा मांगी गई सूचना के संबंध में।

(Information sought under RTI Act Shri Onkar Arvind Chavan, A/P Mattiwade, Tal — Hukkeri, Dist—Belgaum, Karnataka, Pin-591225.email: onkarchavan28498@gmail.com vide RTI application No CWCND/R/E/21/00265 Dated 10/12/2021 –reg)

With reference to above RTIs Application, which was received in this office upon transfer from Under Secretary & Nodal for RTI, CWC, New Delhi, vide letter No A-49012/8/2021/RTI/482 dated 10/12/2021 the point wise information as available in WP&P Wing of CWC, is as under:

Information Sought	Reply
Give me the current status of river inter linking project and provide me detail information of it	As per the information available in this office, information is attached as Annexure.

निदेशक Director 5/1/2022

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To,

- Shri Onkar Arvind Chavan, A/P Mattiwade, Tal — Hukkeri, Dist—Belgaum, Karnataka, Pin-591225.email: onkarchavan28498@gmail.com
- Under Secretary and Nodal Officer RTI with reference to letter NoA-49012/8/2021/RTI/482 dated 10/12/2021 for kind information and further necessary action please

(Applicant may find the RTI reply correspondence at <http://cwc.gov.in/rti-reply>)

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. **Name, designation & address of Appellate Authority for WP&P wing of CWC is Chief Engineer (PAO), Central Water Commission, 7th Floor (S), SewaBhawan, R. K. Puram, New Delhi – 110066. Phone No. 26103561 Fax No.26103561. email-cepriap@nic.in**



The water resources projects namely, Ken-Betwa Link Project (KBLP) & 2nd Ravi-Beas Link Project have been included under scheme of 16 declared National Projects. Recently, Kosi – Mechi Link Scheme of Bihar has been recommended by High Powered Steering Committee (HPSC) for implementation of the scheme of National Projects in its 12th meeting held on 24th Nov, 2020. The Status of above projects has been summarized below

Ken- Betwa Link Project (MP & UP): Ken Betwa Link Project (KBLP) is one of the project under the scheme of National Project in which a link between Ken and Betwa rivers is proposed. The KBLP will provide irrigation in CCA of more than 7.21 Lakh ha in the districts of Chhattarpur, Panna, Tikamgarh, Vidisha, Sagar, Shivpuri & Datia of Madhya Pradesh and Mahoba, Jhansi & Banda of Uttar Pradesh. Besides, the project will benefit Power generation (103 MW hydro & 27 MW Solar) and drinking water supply of 49 MCM to 13.42 Lakh Population.

The DPR of the KBLP has been received in two phases. The DPR of KBLP (Phase-I) was accepted for an estimated cost of Rs 18057.08 Cr. at 2015-16 price level in 129th meeting of Advisory Committee of MoWR, RD&GR on 08.07.2016. The DPRs of KBLP (Phase-II) comprising of the projects, namely, Lower Orr, Kotha Barrage & Bina Complex are in final stage of appraisal in CWC.

2nd Ravi-Beas Link Project (Punjab): 2nd Ravi Beas Link Project is in Pre Feasibility Report (PFR) stage. Feasibility is being explored to harness water flowing across border (about 0.58 MAF) in non-monsoon period through a link between Ravi and Beas/Sutlej.

Kosi – Mechi Link Scheme (Bihar): The DPR of the project was accepted by Advisory Committee of DoWR, RD & GR in its 129th TAC meeting held on 08.07.2016 for an estimated cost of Rs. 4900 Cr. at 2015-16 price level. The project will Irrigate additional CCA of 2,14,812 ha by surplus water of Kosi River diverted to Mahananda basin through existing Hanuman Nager Barrage. The Project will benefit 04 districts of the Bihar, namely Araria (69642 ha), Kishanganj (39548 ha), Purnia (69970 ha) & Katihar (35652 ha). The Project is yet to be approved by Union Cabinet before declaration as National Project

Further, in Par-Tapi-Narmada Link project is under examination CWC, the status of project is mentioned below

Par-Tapi-Narmada Link project:- The main objective of the Par-Tapi-Narmada Link project is to provide maximum irrigation facilities to Tribal areas enroute the link canal lying on Right side including drought prone Saurashtra region of Gujarat. This project envisages transfer of about 1330 MCM of water from west flowing river namely Par, Auranga, Ambika and Purna rivers of South Gujarat and Maharashtra to North Gujarat. The project comprises construction of 6 dams, 406 Km length of canal and 6 power houses. Irrigation facilities to a command of about 2.32 Lakh Ha can be provided out of which about 1.57 lakh ha benefits the Tribal Areas. The project will also provide 76 MCM of water for drinking purpose for about 27.50 Lakh population in addition to filling of about 2226 village tanks. The techno -

Annexure

economic appraisal of Par Tapi - Narmada Link Project is in advance stage. Further, a draft note for considerations of TAC has been prepared subject to proposed MoU between the states

Also, it is to mention that Damanganga-Pinjal Link Project and Ken Betwa Link Project (Phase-I) was accepted by the Advisory Committee of DoWR, RD & GR on Irrigation, Flood control and Multipurpose Projects. The details of the same is mentioned in the table below

Meeting No	Date of Meeting	Project Name	Name of The State	Category	Estimated cost in crore with the price level	Remarks
129th	08.07.2016	Damanganga-Pinjal Link Project	Maharashtra	Drinking water supply	3008.49 (PL 2015)	MoA between Govt. of Maharashtra and Govt. of Gujarat still awaited
129th	08.07.2016	Ken Betwa Link Project (Phase-I)	Madhya Pradesh & Uttar Pradesh	Major	18057.08 (PL 2015-16)	TAC of Ken Betwa Link Project (Phase-II) likely to be done in near future