

NOTIFICATION
(Project Branch)

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Dated, Chandigarh the, 6-9-12

The Governor of Punjab is pleased to constitute the Expert Group on Ground Water Management of Punjab State for looking after the Problems of Punjab State regarding drinking water supply, treatment of waste water and management of ground water resources.

The Constitution of Expert Group is as under:-

1.	Principal Secretary, Irrigation	Chairman
2.	Principal Secretary , Power	Member
3.	Secretary, Department of Science & Technology	Member
4.	Secretary Water Supply & Sanitation	Member
5.	Principal Secretary Industrie & Commerce	Member
6.	Vice Chancellor, PAU, Ludhiana	Member
7.	Sh. D.K. Chadda, President Global Hydrology Solutions Formerly Chairman of Central Ground Water Authority	Member
8.	Dr. S.K. Gupta Director, Central Soil Salinity Research Institute, Karnal	Member
9.	Regional Director, Central Ground Water Authority , Chandigarh	Member
10.	Regional Director, Indian Remote Sensing Authority, Ludhiana	Member
11.	Dr. Brajesh Srivastava, Expert from Ministry of Drinking Water & Sanitation (Pertaining to Hydro-geological maps and solution)	Member
12.	Director , Agriculture Department Punjab, Chandigarh	Member
13.	Sh. S.K. Goyal, Consultant, Irrigation	Member
14.	Chairman, Punjab Pollution Control Board	Member
15.	Chief Engineer/Water Resources, I.W. Punjab, Chandigarh	Member
16.	Chief Engineer/Drainage, Irrigation Punjab, Chandigarh	Member
17.	Director, Water Resources I.W. Punjab, Chandigarh	Coordinator

II The Terms of Reference of the Expert Group on Ground Water Management will be:-

1. To determine the characteristics of underground water and aquifers in Punjab With the use of Modern Technologies such as Remote Sensing Satellite Imagery Hydro-Morphology and Sonographs etc.
2. To study changes in the ground water profile of the State and to build a forecast of expected changes in the ground water profile of the State.
3. To prepare and analyse data at the local level (block level) regarding various aspects of ground water availability and quality.
4. To recommend measures for better management of ground water resources of the State

5. To finalize an action plan for ground water management of the State and indicate the requirements of institutional reform and financial resources
- III. The Expert Group will be housed in the Department of Irrigation, Govt of Punjab which shall nominate a Nodal officer for the same.
- IV. The Group may devise its own procedure and may co-opt any other official/non-official members as required.
- V TA/DA for non-official members shall be paid by the Department of Irrigation as per application norms. As regards official/Govt. Members their TA/DA would be paid by their respective employer
- VI. The Expert Group will submit its report, including the action plan for Ground Water Management of the State, to Government of Punjab by 31st December, 2012.

Dated, Chandigarh the
4.9.2012



K.B.S. Sidhu
Principal Secretary to Govt of Punjab
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25/9/12

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