No.IPH-PH-Hand Pumps/2014- 1769- 1845
Himachal Pradesh
Irrigation & P.H. Department

To

All Chief Engineers, Under I&PH Department in H.P.

All Superintending Engineers, Under I&PH Department in H.P.

Dated Shimla-1 the

17th July, 2014.

Subject:-

Norms for installation of hand pumps.

A copy of Notification No.IPH-B (F)5-4 dated 14th July, 2014 received from the Additional Chief Secretary (IPH) to the Govt. of H.P. Shimla-2 on the subject cited above is sent herewith alongwith its enclosure for information and necessary action.

It is requested that these Norms be adhered strictly and also brought to the notice of all concerned for strict compliance.

Encl:-As above.

Superintending Engineer (Works),
For Engineer-in-Chief,
I&PH Deptt., Shimla-1.

Copy to the Additional Chief Secretary (IPH) to the Govt. of H.P. Shimla-2 for information please.

Copy alongwith copy of above is forwarded to the Superintending Engineer, P&I-I I&PH H.Q. Shimla-1 for information and necessary action.

Copy alongwith copy of above is forwarded to all the Executive Engineers, I&PH Department, H.P. for information and necessary action.

Copy alongwith copy of above is forwarded to the Joint Controller (F&A) I&PH H.Q. Shimla-1 for information and necessary action. Encl:- As above.

Superintending Engineer (Works),
For Engineer-in-Chief,
I&PH Deptt., Shimla-1.

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Government of Himachal Pradesh Department of Irrigation & Public Health

No. IPH-B(F)5-4/2012

Dated Shimla-2, 14 July,2014.

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NOTIFICATION

The Governor, Himachai Pradesh is pleased to notify the Norms for Installation of Hand Pumps by Irrigation & Public Health Department in Himachal Pradesh as per Annexure enclosed herewith.

By Order

Additional Chief Secretary (IPH) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh

Endst. No. IPH-B(F)5-4/2012

Dated Shimla-2, 14 July,2014.

Copy forwarded to following for information and further necessary action:-

- 1. The Engineer-in- Chief(IPH) U.S. Club, Shimla-1 with the request to upload the above on official website of IPH Department.
- 2. All the Deputy Commissioners, H.P.
- 3. All the Chief Engineers(IPH) H.P.
- 4. All the Superintending Engineer's (IPH), H.P.
- 5. PS to Hon'ble IPH Minister, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2.
- 6. Guard file.

(Dr. S.K. Kapta)

Special Secretary (IPH) to the Government of Himachai Pradesh

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NORMS FOR INSTALLATION OF HAND PUMPS BY IRRIGATION & PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT IN HIMACHAL PRADESH

All the census villages in the State have been provided with drinking water facilities in the mid-nineties. As per data realignment made on 1st April, 2013, out of 53604 habitations, 29911 habitations have been provided water facility at a rate of 70 Lpcd. During the year 2013-14, 2526 habitations have been covered against the target of 2500 habitations by the IPH Department. It is proposed to cover 2500 habitations during 2014-15. The hand pumps shall therefore be installed in Cort. schools/Govt. institutions/ religious places & tail end of the schemes having erratic water supply besides it also needs to be ensured that installation of Hand Pumps shall not disturb the local existing water sources & traditional water Bowaries, wells, spot sources & other traditional water sources etc.

The following Norms are hereby fixed for installation of hand pumps by the IPH Department in the state in a locations/habitations:-

- 1. Where there is no possible water source;
- Where potable water is not economically viable, to construct piped water supply scheme;
- 3. No hand pump shall be installed in such locations where it has already reached maximum saturation level:
- 4. Population to be served should not be less than 50 persons;
- 5. No hand pump shall be installed on the high ways and State Roads;
- 6. The habitations being provided connectivity during the last two years shall be given priority by promoting off road installation of hand pumps; and
- 7. The maximum distance between two manually operated hand pumps should not be less than 100 meters and 200 meters in case of energized hand pumps;
- 8. Hand pumps where discharge is less than 2LPS should not be energized and energization shall be restored to after ascertaining dependable discharge by 6-8 hours of continuous flushing;
- The user group shall undertake to bear energy charges for energizing the hand pumps including installation of electricity meter and tariff etc. which shall be decided by the User Group;
- 10. The following Committee will identify/select the sites for installation of hand pumps:-

1.Chief Engineer(IPH) concerned Zone	Chairman
2. Superintending Engineer(IPH) concerned Circle	Member
3.Executive Engineer(IPH) concerned Division	-do-
4. Senior Hydrologist GWO Una	-do-
5.Representative of DC for each Division	-do-
6. Representative of CMO for each Division	-do-

The—se Norms be strictly adhered to and brought to the notice of the all concerned in the IPH Department for strict adherence forth with.

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