

HYDERABAD METROPOLITAN WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE BOARD

Lr.No.GM(E)/SWC/RTI/2016-17/2852

Dt. 28.10.2016

To,

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Sir,

Sub:-HMWSSB – RTI Act-2005 – Furnishing of information – Reg.

Ref:-Your representation under RTI Act transmitted to this office vide Memo No.PIO/DOP/RTI Act/2016-17/2542 of PIO/Dy.Chief Engineer, O/o Director (Operations), HMWSSB, Khairathabad, Hyd. on 18-10-2016.

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With reference to your letter cited seeking information under RTI Act, the following is furnished:

1. Since 2005, the total number of the customers who have approached Rain Water Harvesting Cell for the construction of the Rain Water Harvesting Pits?
Ans: HMWSSB insists to construct Rainwater Harvesting Structures in the respective premises of the applicants who wants Water Supply Connection. If there is no Structure, HMWSSB was collected amount from them to construct Rainwater Harvesting Structure from the year 2005 to 2012. Likewise HMWSSB collected amounts from 23404 applicants. At present Board is not collecting the amounts for construction of Rainwater Harvesting Structures.
2. Since 2005 the total number of the Rain Water Harvesting Pits constructed?
Ans: Total Rainwater Harvesting Structures constructed by the Board are about 4147, out of which about 2338 Rainwater Harvesting Structures constructed in the feasible areas in the respective premises of the applicants from 2005 to 2016 and about 1809 structures were constructed in Public open spaces in the colonies, parks, playgrounds, office complexes etc., in the year 2016 during the 100 days program of Government of Telangana.
3. The total amount collected from customers who approached Rain Water Harvesting Cell and Board since 2005?
Ans: Rs.2363.50lakhs which includes Construction and for Technical Consultancy.
4. How many Rain Water Harvesting Pits yet to be constructed?
Ans: Feasibility survey is under progress.
5. The total number of the pending applications for construction of Rain Water Harvesting Pits since 2005?
Ans: There is no request from the consumers, however a feasibility survey is under progress.
6. The total number of the customers who have been refunded till date?

Ans: About 873 applicants.

7. The fixed charges for construction of Rain Water Harvesting Pits?

Ans: Charges will be varied time to time and are based on Volume of the Structures to be constructed and based on current SSR.

8. The reason as per the records for not constructing rain water harvesting pits for all the customers who approached Rain Water Harvesting Cell from 2005?

Ans: Not feasible due to lack of space in the respective premises and due to soil conditions not suitable due to shallow basement, BC soils and alkaline soils etc, for construction of Rainwater Harvesting Structures.

9. The present Director for Rain Water Harvesting Cell. For how long the cell has been inactive (without director)?

Ans: The Rainwater Harvesting cell is functioning under the control of Director Revenue.

10. Details of customers awaiting for rain water harvesting pits to be constructed from 2005?

Ans: So far as per feasibility survey, there is no pendency, however feasibility survey is under progress.

Yours faithfully



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