

Government of West Bengal

Department of Water Resources Investigation and Development
Khaddyo Bhavan, 5th Floor, Block-A

11A, Mirza Galib Street, Kolkata- 700087

NOTIFICATION

No.:12-ACS /WRIDD/2025

Date: 13 /06/2025

Whereas, West Bengal Fire and Emergency Services Department has approached to WRID Department to consider bringing all existing and upcoming and/ or proposed 'Fire Stations' under GoWB, which are extracting groundwater through Tube wells fitted with submersible pump to combat unfortunate fire incidence or emergency situation under exempted category and to ensure the uninterrupted supply of water for fire fighting purposes and related usage,

Whereas, the matter has been examined by SWID and recommended to WRID Department to consider bringing 'Fire Stations' under the WBF&ES Deptt., drawing Ground Water only for unfortunate fire incidence or emergency situation under exempted category,

And

Whereas, the competent authority in the State Government has accepted the recommendation in terms of earlier Memo 130-SWID dated 08.09/2011 of WRID&D in the public interest,

Now therefore, in exercise of power vested vide Section 7 (1) of WBGWR Act, 2005, the Governor is hereby pleased to exempt such category from the purview of Permit with intimation before boring of Tube-well, in each occasion.

Sd/-Additional Chief Secretary,

Water Resources Investigation and Development Department

Date: 13/06/2025

Copy forwarded for information to:

- P.S to Hon'ble Minister-of-State (IC), Fire and Emergency Services Department, Government of West Bengal. Newtown Fire Station Building (2nd & 3rd Floor) CF-7, Street Number 175, Action Area 1C, New Town, West Bengal - 700156
- 2. P.S to Hon'ble Minister-in-Charge, Water Resources Investigation & Development Department, Khadya Bhaban, 5th Floor, Block-A, Kolkata-700087.
- 3. P.S to Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Water Resources Investigation and Development, Khadya Bhaban, 5th Floor, Block-A, Kolkata-700087.
- 4. P.S to Engineer in Chief & E.O Secretary, WRID Department. Khadya Bhaban, 5th Floor, Block-A, Kolkata-700087.

Joint Secretary, WRI&DD

Date: 13/06/2025

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Copy forwarded for information to:

- 1. The Chief Secretary, West Bengal, NABANNA", 325, Sarat Chatterjee Road, Howrah-711102.
- 2. The Addl. Chief Secretary, Irrigation and Waterways Department, Jalsampad Bhavan, Bidhan Nagar, Kolkata-700091.
- 3. The Principal Secretary, West Bengal Fire and Emergency Services Department, Government of West Bengal, Newtown Fire Station Building (2nd & 3rd Floor) CF-7, Street Number 175, Action Area 1C, New Town, West Bengal 700156
- 4. The Director General, West Bengal Fire and Emergency Services Department, Government of West Bengal, 13D, Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata 700016
- 5. Additional Director General, West Bengal Fire & Emergency Services Department, Government of West Bengal.
- 6. The Senior Special Secretary, West Bengal Fire and Emergency Services Department, Government of West Bengal.
- Nodal Officer (Department), West Bengal Fire and Emergency Services Department, Government of West Bengal.
- 8. Nodal Officer (Directorate), West Bengal Fire and Emergency Services Department, Government of West Bengal.

Joint Secretary, WRI&DD

Date: 13/06/25

Copy forwarded for information to:

- 1. The Director, SWID, Nirman Bhavan, 3rd Floor, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091 with the request to circulate the concerned officers.
- 2. The project Director, WBADMIP Project.
- 3. & 4The Chief Engineer I/II, WRDD, Khadya Bhaban, Block-B, 6th Floor, Kolkata-700087
- 5 & 6. The Joint Secretary (MI)/ (Estab), WRDD.
- 7. The D.P. & Ex-Officio Chief Engineer, WRDD
- 8. The Superintendent of West Bengal Govt. Press, 38 Gopalnagar Road, Alipur, Kolkata-700027, with a request to arrange the publication of the Notification in the Official Gazette.

Joint Secretary, WRI&DD