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D.O. No. 30/2/2012-GW (Pt.II) 368

27th August, 2018

Dear Smt Vaidyanathan,

Since some parts of India is becoming water stressed, it is imperative to generate awareness towards water conservation and preservation amongst citizens of the country. Water conservation is a habit which needs to be developed by the citizens of the nation. The Ministry is trying to sensitize the public on the issues of water conservation and management through various modes and mediums like print, electronic and social media. Hon'ble Prime Minister has also stressed on need to conserve water in this monsoon in a letter dated 29th April, 2018 to all Chief Ministers/ Administrators of States/ UTs.

In an attempt to further provide an impetus to Hon'ble Prime Minister's directions and Ministry's efforts of water conservation, it has now been decided to institute National Water Awards for various categories including Best State, Best Best Municipal Corporation/other Municipal bodies, District. Panchayat, Best Schools, Best TV Show, Best Newspaper etc. These awards will recognise the efforts of the participants in the field of water conservation and management. The recognition will not only motivate the participants to continue their work but also induce others to vigorously attempt/replicate the practices of water conservation and management.

You are requested to take personal interest in publicizing these awards so that no effort in the field of water conservation and management is left unrecognised. You are also requested to disseminate this letter down up to Panchayat level and give wider publicity to these awards. Central Ground Water Board (CGWB) has been made the nodal agency for submission of application forms etc. for awards. A detailed guideline including application form is enclosed for reference. General public may be asked to refer (www.mowr.gov.in) or (www.cgwb.gov.in) for further information.

Yours sincerely,

(U.P. Singh)

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SHRAM SHAKTI BHAWAN
RAFI MARG, NEW DELHI - 110001

Dated: December 10, 2018

D.O. No. 30/2/2012-GW(Pt.II)

Dear Collector

As you are aware, the Ministry of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation has nstituted National Water Awards for various categories including Best State, Best District, Best Village Panchayat, Best Municipal Corporation/other Municipal bodies, Best Schools, Best TV Show, Best Newspaper, etc. in the field of water conservation. The Award carries citation and recognition of your good work. The last date for submission of entries has been now extended upto 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2018. The twards will be given in a widely covered function at Delhi in the month of March, 2019.

Vide a D.O. letter No.30/02/2012-GW (Pt.II) dated 6<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 (copy attached), you as DC/DM/Collector were invited to join National Water Awards-2018 instituted by Ministry of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation by sharing the good work carried out in your listrict in the fields of water conservation, It was also requested to publicise National Water Awards-2018 own up to Panchayats/all municipal bodies and personally ensure entries from your district.

These awards will recognise the efforts of the participants in the field of water conservation and nanagement. The recognition will not only motivate the participants to continue their work but also induce there to vigorously attempt/replicate the practices of water conservation and management. You are again equested to join this competition by sharing the good work carried out in water conservation field and ublicize and disseminate this letter down up to Panchayats/all municipal bodies and other bodies.

Central Ground Water Board (CGWB) has been made nodal agency for submission of application orms etc. for awards. Shri G.C. Pati, Member (East), CGWB (Mob. No. 9674181991) and Shri S.K. aneja. Scientist 'D', CGWB (Mob. No. 9868823472) can be contacted for information on National Water awards. General public may be asked to refer to websites (www.mowr.gov.in) or (www.cgwb.gov.in) for uidelines, application form and further information.

with warm wishes

Yours sincerely.

(Nitishwar Kumar)

All District Magistrates/District Collectors/Deputy Commissioners



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Public Works Department Secretariat, Chennai-9.

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From
Thiru. M. Balaji, I.A.S.,
Additional Secretary to Government

To All District Collectors in Tamil Nadu (w.e)

Sir,

Sub: Water Conservation and Management – National Water Awards – to recognize the efforts of the participants in the field of Water Conservation and Management – Regarding.

Ref: From the Secretary, Ministry of Water Resources River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation, Government of India D.O. No.30/2/2012-GW (Pt.II)/368, dated 27.08.2018.

I am directed to enclose a copy of the reference cited for necessary action.

Yours faithfully

for Additional Secretary to Government

12.10.19.