## GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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From

Sri Nihar Ranjan Swain,

F.A-cum- Joint Secretary to Government

To

The EIC, Water Resources/

EIC, Planning & Design/

All Chief Engineers/

Chief Engineer, Minor Irrigation/

All Chief Engineer & Basin Managers/

All Chief Construction Engineers.

Sub: Guidelines for execution of urgent nature of works like breach closing, repair & restoration of Canals etc. up to Rs.5.00 lakh.

Sir,

In adherence to Appendix-VII of OPWD Code, Vol-II and Works Department O.M. No.10147, dated 31.8.2015, the Executive Engineers of the Department of Water Resources can execute works costing up to Rs.5.00 lakh under Establishment, Operations & Maintenance (EOM) expenditure (Annual Maintenance Grant) of River Embankment and Canal System following the codal provisions.

The works which are of urgent in nature like breach closing / repair and restoration of Canals for achieving smooth water supply to ayacuts and also breach closing / emergent works on river embankments required to keep it safe, for passage of flood water may be executed under this head, subject to conditions mentioned below:

The total value of such works executed in a Division shall be limited to 25% of the available EOM funds not exceeding Rs.50.00 lakh in a year. After award of such works to different agencies in a month, the concerned Executive Engineer shall have to submit the list of such works to the Superintending Engineer and Chief Engineer by 10<sup>th</sup> of next month positively. Non-submission of such report to the SE and CE will be treated as negligence in duty and the concerned Executive Engineer will be held solely responsible for that.

Yours faithfully,

F.A-cum- Joint Secretary to Government

Memo No. 24670/WR,

Dated 23/10/2017

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