

Government of Pakistan
Ministry of Water Resources
**Office of the Chief Engineering Adviser/
Chairman Federal Flood Commission**

No. FC-I (23)/ 2024

6-Attaturk Avenue, G-5/1,
Islamabad, July 23 2024

Member (Water), WAPDA,
WAPDA House,
Lahore.

**Sub: 2ND MONSOON 2024 REVIEW MEETING OF FEDERAL FLOOD COMMISSION,
HELD ON 15TH JULY 2024 IN THE OFFICE OF CEA/ CFFC, ISLAMABAD**


I have been directed to refer to the subject cited above and to say that in the subject captioned meeting, besides others, the issue of RBOD-I&III was also discussed. The representative of WAPDA (G.M South WAPDA) was asked about the Contingency Plan for protection of RBOD-I&III from any further damage(s) due to any anticipated potential floods during the current Monsoon Season-2024. He responded that they lacked the necessary staff, machinery, and resources to handle any flood emergency that may occur during the on-going 2024 -Monsoon Season.

2. It is added that WAPDA completed the RBOD-I and RBOD-III projects in 2021 and projects Handing over/ Taking over was in process. However, the 2022 floods caused damage to the drains at several locations. The PC-I for restoration is currently under review with the relevant authorities, and its approval and subsequent implementation is expected to take time. Furthermore, the Sindh Government is not inclined to take over the management and ownership of these drains due to the damages and lack of restoration. With the Monsoon 2024 already underway, it is crucial that WAPDA make efforts to provide the necessary funds and resources to the concerned parties to manage RBOD-I and RBOD-III and protect them from potential floods this season.

3. In view of the gravity of the situation, WAPDA is requested to kindly develop a well thoughtout Contingency Plan is consultation with PID Sindh for protection of RBOD-I&III from any further damage(s) due to any anticipated potential floods during the current Monsoon Season-2024. On this issue FFC's directions earlier communicated based on March 04, 2024, April 26, 2024, June 10, 2024, July 04, 2024 and July 15, 2024 meetings are also referred.

4. Matter may kindly be accorded "TOP PRIORITY".

5. This issues with the approval of Chief Engineering Adviser/ Chairman Federal Flood Commission, Islamabad.


(Dr. M. Ejaz Tanveer)
Chief Engineer (Floods) 23/07/2024

Copy to:

1. Chairman (WAPDA), WAPDA House, Lahore.
2. Secretary, Irrigation Department, Government of Sindh, Karachi.
3. General Manager (C&M), Water Projects Directorate, WAPDA, WAPDA House, Lahore.
4. General Manager (Projects) South, WAPDA, Hyderabad for similar action.
5. Chief Engineer (Water) WAPDA, Sukkur.
6. Chief Enginer Irrigation Development Region-I, Hyderabad.
7. Chief Engineer Sukkur Barrage, Right Bank Region, Irrigation Depart., Govt. of Sindh, Larkana.
8. Chief Engineer Kotri Barrage Region, Irrigation Department, Govt. of Sindh, Hyderabad.
9. Managing Director Sindh Irrigation & Development Authority (SIDA), Hyderabad.
10. Director General (WRD), Ministry of Water Resources, Islamabad.
11. Director to Federal Minister for Water Resources, Ministry of Water Resources, Islamabad.
12. P.S to Chairman NDMA, Islamabad.
13. P.S to Secretary, Ministry of Water Resources, Islamabad.
14. P.S to Chief Secretary, Government of Sindh, Karachi.
15. PS to CEA/CFFC, Islamabad.