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7. Secretary, Irrigation Department, Government of Balochistan, Quetta.
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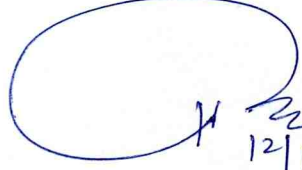
**Sub: MINUTES OF THE 4TH SCRUTINIZING COMMITTEE MEETING OF FLOOD
PROTECTION SECTOR PROJECT-III (FPSP-III) HELD ON 24TH SEPTEMBER 2026**

Kindly find enclosed herewith a copy of minutes of the subject meeting held on **24th September 2026 at 1030 hours**, in Committee Room of Office of CEA & CFFC, under the chairmanship of the CEA & CFFC.

All concerned organizations are advised to ensure complete and prompt compliance of the decisions reflected therein well within the given timeframe.

This issues with the approval of the CEA & CFFC.

Encl: As above


(Hussain Shigri)
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3. Chief Engineer (North), Irrigation Department Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.
4. Provincial Coordinator, Irrigation Department Government of Balochistan, Quetta
5. Director General, Irrigation and Small Dams, AJ&K, Muzaffarabad.
6. Director, Irrigation and Water Management, Gilgit.

Sub: MINUTES OF THE 4TH SCRUTINIZING COMMITTEE MEETING OF FLOOD PROTECTION SECTOR PROJECT-III (FPSP-III) HELD ON 24TH SEPTEMBER 2026.

A meeting of the 4th Scrutinizing Committee of Flood Protection Sector Project-III (FPSP-III) was held on 24th September 2026 at 10:30 AM in the Committee Room of Office of the Chief Engineering Adviser & Chairman, Federal Flood Commission, Islamabad, under the chairmanship of the Chief Engineering Adviser & Chairman, Federal Flood Commission (CEA & CFFC). List of participants is attached to **Annexure-I**.

2. The meeting started with the recitation of verses from the Holy Quran. Following a brief introduction of the participants, the Chair welcomed all representatives and stated that the umbrella PC-1 of the Flood Protection Sector Project-III (FPSP-III) was approved by the ECNEC in its meeting held on 27th June 2023. He informed the forum that, during the current financial year, the Federal Government has allocated Rs. 1,500 million under the PSDP for implementation of FPSP-III sub-projects.

3. The Chair highlighted that the major bottleneck in the implementation of the project remained non-availability of the 80% foreign financing envisaged in the approved PC-1. He further apprised the that during the 1st Project Steering Committee (PSC) meeting held on 17th April 2025 under the chairmanship of the Honourable Minister for Planning, it was decided that the priority sub projects of non-structural interventions of federal entities, as well as the structural sub-projects of AJK and Gilgit-Baltistan, would be implemented through PSDP funding until the availability of foreign financing. The Chair also emphasized that PC-Is of the respective sub-projects be prepared and submitted for approval.

4. The Chair requested all stakeholders to expedite preparation and submission of PC-Is of their respective priority sub-projects for further processing and approval. He continued that so far three (03) meetings of the Scrutinizing Committee of the Federal Flood Commission (FFC) had been convened, during which 13 sub-projects of FPSP-III had been considered. He then directed the Superintending Engineer (Floods-I) to take up the agenda items seriatim for consideration of the Committee.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 1 – PROGRESS REVIEW OF FPSP-III

a. Establishment / Activation of PCMU of FPSP-III

5. Superintending Engineer (Floods-I) O/o CEA/CFFC apprised the forum that the PC-I titled “Establishment of Project Coordination & Management Unit (PCMU) of FFC for Implementation of FPSP-III” had been approved by the DDWP of MOWR on 25th March 2025, at a total cost of Rs. 848.994 million, with the implementation period of five years. He informed the forum that the PCMU had been established within the Federal Flood Commission (FFC) and has become operational since 27th July 2025 by using services of the existing employee of the Office of CEA/ CFFC.

6. He further apprised the forum that seventeen (17) contractual staff out of the approved fifty-two (52) positions have so far been recruited at this stage keeping in view current workload. He also informed the forum that, besides other policy actions, establishment of the PCMU was one of the actions under the Asian Development Bank (ADB) Policy Base Lending (PBL) under CDREP being implemented by the Ministry of Finance.

7. The Chair advised all stakeholders to expedite preparation and submission of PC-Is of their respective priority sub-projects, as the PCMU was now operational and the scrutiny and processing of the submitted PC-Is would be completed expeditiously keeping in view the decision of the PSC meeting held on 17th April 2025 under the chairmanship of the Honourable Minister for Planning.

b. Review the Status of Implementation of Ongoing/ In-Hand Projects under FPSP-III

8. Superintending Engineer (Floods-I), O/o CEA/CFFC, apprised the forum that, up to the 3rd meeting of the Scrutinizing Committee (SC) of FPSP-III, a total of thirteen (13) sub-projects had been considered by the Committee. Those comprised of five (05) sub-projects of WAPDA, one (01) sub-project of PMD, four (04) sub-projects of Gilgit-Baltistan (GB), two (02) sub-projects of AJK, and one (01) sub-project of PID Sindh. He further informed that, out of the thirteen (13) sub-projects considered, ten (10) sub-projects had been cleared by the Scrutinizing Committee, comprising five (05) sub-projects of WAPDA, four (04) sub-projects of GB, and one (01) sub-project of PID Sindh. However, out of the cleared sub-projects, the PC-Is of only five (05) WAPDA sub-projects had so far been forwarded to the Ministry of Water Resources (MoWR) for further processing and approval. The modified PC-Is of the four (04) GB sub-projects and one (01) Sindh sub-project were still awaited and, upon receipt, would be forwarded to MoWR for further necessary processing. Status of all thirteen sub-projects considered upto 3rd Scrutinizing Committee meeting is attached as **Annexure-II**.

9. Regarding WAPDA's sub-projects forwarded to MoWR, the Chair apprised the forum that, so far, one (01) WAPDA sub-project titled "Improvement of High Frequency (HF) Radios Network of Water Resources Management Directorate (WRMD), WAPDA had been approved by the Central Development Working Party (CDWP), while another sub-project of WAPDA titled "National Master Plan for Flood Telemetry Network" had been considered in the Pre-CDWP meeting and cleared for further consideration by the CDWP, subject to submission of the amended PC-I. The Chair requested PMD, AJK and PID Sindh to expedite the submission of their respective modified PC-Is of sub project mentioned at **Annexure-II** to FFC for further processing.

10. Secretary, Irrigation and Water Management Department, GB, apprised the forum that the PC-Is of the four (04) GB sub-projects had already been submitted to FFC on the previous day for further processing. He further informed the forum that the remaining six (06) sub-projects would be submitted to FFC after their clearance by the GB Development Working Party (GBDWP), which was expected to take place during October 2026.

11. Director Planning, PMD, while responding to the Chair, informed that the PC-I of the PMD sub-project was being revised in light of the observations and decisions of the Scrutinizing Committee and would be finalized by the end of October 2026, would be submitted to FFC for consideration. The Chair, emphasized the importance of timely processing of FPSP-III sub-projects and to expedite preparation and submission of their respective PC-Is to FFC so that the same could be considered by the Scrutinizing Committee without further delay.

DECISIONS:

- a) Irrigation & Small Dams Department, AJK, PID Sindh and PMD shall submit the modified PC-Is of their respective sub-projects considered in the 3rd Scrutinizing Committee (SC) meeting of FPSP-III mentioned in the **Annexure-II** for further processing.
- b) PID Punjab, Sindh, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Balochistan, as well as GB and AJ&K shall submit the PC-Is of their priority sub-projects to FFC/PCMU for consideration in the forthcoming Scrutinizing Committee meeting of FPSP-III.
- c) FFC/PCMU shall process the PC-Is of the four (04) GB sub-projects already submitted by the concerned department and forward the same to the Ministry of Planning, Development & Special Initiatives (MoPD&SI) en-route Ministry of Water Resources (MoWR) for further processing and approval.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 2(1) – REVIEW OF COMPLIANCE WITH DECISIONS OF THE 1ST PROJECT STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING AND STATUS OF IDENTIFIED SUBPROJECTS

12. The Chair informed the meeting regarding the compliance status of the decisions of the 1st Project Steering Committee (PSC) meeting held on 17th April 2025 and stated that the decision regarding the inclusion of the Secretary, Economic Affairs Division (EAD), as a member of the FPSP-III Project Steering Committee had been duly complied with through issuance of the revised notification by the Ministry of Water Resources (MoWR). He further informed that the individual PC-Is of FPSP-III sub-projects from the respective provinces were still awaited, despite the decision of the PSC that urgent/short term structural subprojects of provinces were to be implemented on 50:50 cost-sharing through PSDP and the respective Provincial ADPs. Decisions of 1st PSC meeting and their compliance status is attached as **Annexure-III**.

13. The Chair emphasized that the non-availability of foreign financing should not result in undue or inordinate delay in the implementation of priority flood-protection schemes. He advised all concerned stakeholders to expedite the preparation and submission of their respective PC-Is so that such priority interventions could be processed for approval through the competent forums.

2 (2) Flood Protection Bund in front of Abadies Baqir Ky along Right Bank of Sutlej River in District Okara, Punjab

14. The Chair informed the forum that severe riverbank erosion reported along the Sutlej River during the floods of 2023 and 2025, particularly in the vicinity of BS-Link Outfall abadies, including Sabuky Mahar, Bakirky Mahar and adjoining settlements in District Okara. The erosion has progressively intensified, resulting in substantial loss of land and inundation of nearly 50% of the affected village area.

15. Representative of PID Punjab informed that the Executive Engineer, PID Punjab, Okara, had proposed provision of flood protection works containing stone-pitched protection bund along the Sutlej River, commencing from the BS-Link Bank for approximately 5,000 feet, to prevent further erosion and protect the remaining settlement and public infrastructure. The proposal will be shared with PDMA Punjab for consideration of emergency funding and appropriate disaster-risk reduction measures, in view of the imminent threat to the affected population and infrastructure.

16. The Deputy Chief (Water), Water Resources Section, Ministry of PD&SI, enquired whether the subject sub-project was included in FPSP-III or constituted a new scheme. The Chair clarified that the sub-project was not part of FPSP-III and expected to be implemented by PID Punjab preferably through the Annual Development Programme (ADP) of Punjab, with funding to be provided by the Government of Punjab.

DECISION:

- a) PDMA Punjab shall examine the matter on an urgent/emergency basis and consider provision of necessary funds for protection of the affected settlements and critical public infrastructure at Baqir Ky, along the Right Bank of the Sutlej River, District Okara.
- b) PID Punjab shall coordinate with PDMA Punjab for approval and provision of the required funds and ensure construction of the proposed flood protection bund at Baqir Ky along the Right Bank of the Sutlej River, District Okara, well before the onset of the 2027 monsoon season.

2(3) Construction and Rehabilitation of flood Mitigation structures along Lutko river, District Lower Chitral, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

17. Superintending Engineer (Floods-I), O/o CEA/CFFC, apprised the forum that, under the ECNEC-approved Umbrella PC-I of FPSP-III, 31 flood protection sub-projects in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa had been included, including the sub-project titled "Construction and Rehabilitation of Flood Mitigation Structures along Lutko River, District Lower Chitral." However, PC-I of the subject sub-project had not yet been submitted by the Irrigation Department, Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, to the Federal Flood Commission (FFC) for further processing.

18. He further apprised the forum that the matter had also been discussed in the Senate Functional Committee on Problems of Less Developed Areas held on 19th May 2026, wherein the need for undertaking flood protection and mitigation measures in District Chitral was highlighted, particularly in view of the area's vulnerability to GLOF and flash-flood events. The non-submission of the PC-I is consequently delaying the subsequent processes of scrutiny, approval, procurement and implementation of the proposed flood mitigation works.

19. Representative of PID Khyber Pakhtunkhwa stated that the PC-Is of all 31 sub-projects included in the Umbrella PC-I had been prepared following the studies conducted by NESPAK and submitted by the Irrigation Department to the Provincial Planning & Development Department. However, the Provincial P&D Department had not processed the PC-Is due to non-availability of firm commitment regarding the 80% foreign financing component of FPSP-III.

20. The Chair observed that the issue of non-availability of foreign financing had already been addressed in the 1st Project Steering Committee meeting held on 17th April 2025, wherein the decision had been taken for implementation of FPSP-III priority sub-projects.

DECISION

PID Khyber Pakhtunkhwa shall take up processing of PC-Is of sub Projects of FPSP-III with the Provincial P&D Department on an urgent basis and, in accordance with the decision of the 1st Project Steering Committee dated 17th April 2025, ensure early processing and submission of the priority PC-Is of FPSP-III sub-projects, particularly "Construction and Rehabilitation of Flood Mitigation Structures along Lutko River, District Lower Chitral" to FFC for further scrutiny and processing.

2(4) Flood Protection wall at Mounza West Bakhra downstream of Chashma Barrage, District Mianwali, Punjab

21. Superintending Engineer (Floods-I), Office of CEA/ CFFC informed the forum that the residents of Mouza West Bakhra, located downstream of Chashma Barrage in District Mianwali, Punjab, had approached the Minister for Water Resources with a request for construction of a flood protection wall along the vulnerable reach downstream of Chashma Barrage to safeguard their agricultural land, residential areas and other Government assets against flooding and riverbank erosion. The residents had also raised concerns regarding adverse impacts on the land and abadies in the area reportedly arising from the operation of the Chashma Powerhouse by WAPDA.

22. He further informed the forum that WAPDA was requested to examine the matter and take appropriate measures for protection of the affected land and abadies from RD 0+000 to RD 8+000. The concerned Irrigation Department, Government of Punjab, was also requested to assess the situation, prepare the requisite PC-I for construction of a flood protection bund for protection of Mouza West

Bakhra, District Mianwali from RD 7 +800 to RD 16+500 , and process the proposed flood protection works along the vulnerable reach.

23. Representative of PID Punjab informed the forum that the PC-I for construction of a flood protection bund for protection of Mouza West Bakhra, District Mianwali from RD 7 +800 to RD 16+500, was under preparation and would be shared with PDMA Punjab for consideration of funding. Representative of PDMA Punjab stated that, upon receipt of the PC-I from PID Punjab, the proposal would be examined and necessary financial assistance would be considered for protection of the land and abadies of Mouza West Bakhra, District Mianwali.

24. The Chair advised PID Punjab to expedite preparation and submission of the PC-I for construction of a flood protection bund for protection of Mouza West Bakhra, District Mianwali from RD 7 +800 to RD 16+500 to PDMA Punjab so that the required funding and implementation arrangements could be finalized well before the onset of the 2027 monsoon season.

DECISION

- a) PID Punjab shall expedite preparation and submission of the PC-I for construction of the proposed flood protection bund/wall at Mouza West Bakhra, downstream of Chashma Barrage, District Mianwali from RD 7 +800 to RD 16+500, to PDMA Punjab for examination and provision of necessary funding.
- b) PDMA Punjab shall examine the proposal on priority basis and, subject to fulfillment of the requisite requirements, facilitate provision of funding for implementation of the flood protection works well before the onset of the 2027 monsoon season.
- c) WAPDA shall expedite construction of the proposed flood protection bund/wall at Mouza West Bakhra, downstream of Chashma Barrage, District Mianwali from RD 0 +000 to RD 8+000 for its early completion before onset of Flood Season 2027.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 3

PC-II FOR THE FORMULATION OF NATIONAL FLOOD DRAINAGE MASTER PLAN FOR FLOOD MANAGEMENT IN PAKISTAN (ESTIMATED COST RS. 668.56 MILLION)

25. Superintending Engineer (Floods-II), O/o CEA/CFFC, apprised the forum that the severe flood of 2022 exposed significant deficiencies in the country's drainage system, particularly in Sindh and Baluchistan. The LBOD and RBOD systems, which are critical for disposal of agricultural drainage, saline groundwater and stormwater, have faced recurring breaches, reduced carrying capacity, sedimentation, encroachments and other operational and environmental challenges. These issues highlight the need for a comprehensive National Flood Drainage Master Plan integrating structural and non-structural measures and addressing emerging climate-related risks.

26. He further apprised the forum that, on the directions of the then Federal Minister for Water Resources, FFC initiated the process for formulation of a comprehensive Drainage Master Plan and conducted four stakeholder consultations on 11th July, 16th August, 15th September and 30th November 2023 and prepared PC-II which was circulated to the members of the FFC Scrutinizing Committee on 28th August 2026. Comments have so far been received from the Water Resources Section, Ministry of PD&SI, IRSA, Irrigation & Small Dams AJ&K and WAPDA, while comments from the

27. Irrigation Departments of the four provinces and Irrigation & Water Management Department GB are still awaited. The Chair emphasized the concerned stakeholders to furnish their comments by 10th October 2026. Thereafter FFC will finalize the PC-II for consideration by the 5th Scrutinizing Committee meeting.

28. WAPDA representative supported the proposed Drainage Master Plan and suggested that the timeline and cost of the PC-II needs to be reviewed to ensure quality and comprehensive outputs. Deputy Chief (Water), Ministry of PD&SI, emphasized obtaining comments from all stakeholders before finalization and enquired whether the study formed part of FPSP-III. SE (F-II) o/o CEA/CFFC clarified that several studies under FPSP-III are included under the FFC component and were to be undertaken through the PCMU of FPSP-III. Although the nomenclature of the proposed study differs somehow, however its objectives were broadly aligned with the drainage-related studies envisaged under FPSP-III.

DECISION

- a) PID Punjab, Sindh, KP and Balochistan and the Irrigation & Water Management Department GB shall furnish their views/comments on the PC-II to FFC by 15th October 2026.
- b) FFC shall incorporate the views/comments of all stakeholders and finalize the amended PC-II, which shall subsequently be placed before the 5th Scrutinizing Committee meeting for consideration and clearance.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 4

PC-II FOR COMPREHENSIVE HYDROLOGICAL AND HYDRAULIC MODEL STUDIES FOR REASSESSMENT OF LAG TIMES AND UP-DATION OF FEWS (ESTIMATED COST RS. 685 MILLION)

29. Superintending Engineer (Floods-II), O/o CEA/CFFC, apprised the forum that during the 2025 monsoon season high flood flows were observed in the Rivers Ravi, Chenab and Sutlej. Analysis of observed hydrographs revealed significant differences between the officially notified flood lag times and the actual travel times of flood peaks. These deviations indicate that the existing lag-time relationships no longer adequately represent prevailing river conditions, mainly due to river morphology changes, sediment deposition, altered channel geometry, reduced conveyance capacity, floodplain changes and backwater effect at the new bridges constructed across the rivers at various locations.

30. He highlighted that accurate flood lag times are essential for timely flood forecasting, warning dissemination, evacuation planning and emergency response. He, therefore, emphasized the need for comprehensive hydrological and hydraulic investigations to reassess river geometry, hydraulic capacities and flood-wave travel times and to recalibrate the flood forecasting models being used by PMD/FFD.

31. He continued that for comprehensive study of hydrological and hydraulic parameters, the PC-II prepared by FFC, had been circulated among the members of the FFC Scrutinizing Committee on 28th August 2026. He added that views/ comments had so far been received from the Water Resources Section, Ministry of PD&SI, IRSA, Irrigation & Small Dams AJ&K and WAPDA, while views/ comments from the Irrigation Departments of the four provinces, PMD and Irrigation & Water Management Department GB were awaited.

32. Deputy Chief (Water), Ministry of PD&SI enquired about the inclusion of the Indus River and major control structures in Sindh, particularly Guddu, Sukkur and Kotri Barrages. Senior Engineer (Floods), FFC, clarified that the PC-II was initially formulated for the eastern rivers, where significant deviations in flood lag times were observed during the 2025 floods. However, for comprehensive flood routing and modelling, all major rivers, including the Indus, Kabul and Swat, as well as all relevant hydraulic control structures, would be considered in the revised scope of the study. WAPDA representative supported the proposed study and suggested that the timeline and cost of the PC-II may be reviewed to ensure quality and comprehensive outputs.

33. The Chair directed that the PC-II be revised after obtaining and incorporating the views/comments of all stakeholders and subsequently placed before the 5th Scrutinizing Committee meeting of FFC. The Chair also requested the PMD/FFD to furnish its technical views and inputs, being the principal user of the study outputs for operational flood forecasting. The representative of PMD assured the forum that its comments/inputs would be furnished at the earliest.

DECISION:

- a) PMD, PID Punjab, Sindh, KP and Balochistan and the Irrigation & Water Management Department GB shall furnish their views/comments on the PC-II to FFC by 15th October 2026.
- b) FFC shall incorporate the views/comments of all stakeholders and finalize the amended PC-II, which shall subsequently be placed before the 5th Scrutinizing Committee meeting for consideration and clearance.

34. The Chair adjourned the meeting by expressing words of thanks to the participants.

**4TH SCRUTINIZING COMMITTEE MEETING OF FEDERAL FLOOD
COMMISSION HELD ON 24TH SEPTEMBER 2026**

LIST OF PARTICIPANTS

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Superintending Engineer (Floods-I) | |
| 3. Mr. Muhammad Hanif Chachar
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| 5. Mr. Hussain Shigri
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Junior Engineer (Civil)/PCMU | |
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Annexure-II**STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF ONGOING / IN-HAND PROJECTS UNDER
FPSP-III**

Sr. No	Project	Implementing Agency	Funding	Current Status / Progress
1.	National Master Plan for Flood Telemetry Network	WAPDA	ADB	• Cleared by the Scrutinizing Committee on 18 December 2023 • Pre-CDWP on 21 August 2025; modified PC-I was awaited. ADB has undertaken reconnaissance/project-preparation discussions. • Field validation, site rationalization and revision of PC-I are being pursued under the agreed roadmap.
2.	Strengthening / Upgrading Glacier Monitoring Research Centre of WAPDA	WAPDA	GoP / Donor Agency	• Cleared by the Scrutinizing Committee on 18 December 2023 • Returned to WAPDA for modification. Updated/modified PC-I is required for further processing.
3.	Improvement of High Frequency (HF) Radios Network of Water Resources Management Directorate (WRMD), WAPDA	WAPDA	GoP / Donor Agency	• Cleared by the Scrutinizing Committee on 18 December 2023 • Pre-CDWP on 28 April 2026. • The project was approved by CDWP on 09 September 2026. • Project Authorization and AA is awaited

Sr. No	Project	Implementing Agency	Funding	Current Status / Progress
4.	Strengthening SWHP Network of WAPDA	WAPDA	GoP	• Cleared by the Scrutinizing Committee on 18 December 2023 • Modified PC-I duly cleared by FFC stands submitted to MOWR
5.	Formulation of National Watershed Management Plan	WAPDA	GoP	• Submitted to MOWR further processing.
6.	Expansion of Meteorological Network by Installation of Automatic Weather Stations in Pakistan & Establishment of New Regional Flood Forecasting and Early Warning System of PMD	PMD	GoP / Donor Agency	• Cleared by the Scrutinizing Committee on 5 January 2026. • Modified PC-I is awaited from PMD.
7.	Restoration / Rehabilitation of Malir Weirs-I, II, III & Thado Dam (Modified / Corrected PC-I)	PID Sindh	GoP / Donor Agency	• Cleared by the Scrutinizing Committee on 18 December 2023. • Views/comments were conveyed to PID Sindh on 9 December 2025. • Modified PC-I is awaited from PID Sindh.
8.	Construction of Flood Protection Structure in District Diamer	Irrigation & Water Management Department, GB	GoP	• Cleared by the Scrutinizing Committee of FFC on 5 January 2026. • Modified PC-I is awaited by the Water Management & Irrigation Department, Gilgit-Baltistan.

Sr. No	Project	Implementing Agency	Funding	Current Status / Progress
9.	Construction of Flood Protection Structure in District Nagar	Irrigation & Water Management Department, GB	GoP	• Cleared by the Scrutinizing Committee of FFC on 5 January 2026. • Modified PC-I is awaited by the Water Management & Irrigation Department, Gilgit-Baltistan.
10.	Construction of Flood Protection Structure in District Hunza	Irrigation & Water Management Department, GB	GoP	• Cleared by the Scrutinizing Committee of FFC on 5 January 2026. • Modified PC-I is awaited by the Water Management & Irrigation Department, Gilgit-Baltistan.
11.	Construction of Flood Protection Structure in District Shigar	Irrigation & Water Management Department, GB	GoP	• Cleared by the Scrutinizing Committee of FFC on 5 January 2026. • Modified PC-I is awaited by the Water Management & Irrigation Department, Gilgit-Baltistan.
12.	Construction of Flood Protection Structure on right and left bank of River Neelum at Makri and Chila Bandi District Muzaffarabad.	Irrigation and Small Dams AJ&K	GoP	• Considered by the Scrutinizing Committee of FFC on 5 January 2026 and was deferred. • Revised submission is awaited from AJK
13.	Construction of Flood Protection Walls at Qadirabad, Chattar, Rehra, Dulli Bridge, Huda Bari Bridge, Munjari and Dhall in District Bagh	Irrigation and Small Dams AJ&K	GoP	• Considered by the Scrutinizing Committee of FFC on 5 January 2026 and was deferred. • Revised submission is awaited from AJK

**STATUS OF COMPLIANCE OF DECISIONS OF THE 1ST PROJECT STEERING
COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 17 APRIL 2025**

Sr. No	Decision of 1st PSC	Present Position / Compliance
i	MoWR to co-opt the Secretary, Economic Affairs Division (EAD), as a member of the FPSP-III Project Steering Committee to facilitate foreign financing arrangements and compliance with donor requirements.	Revised Notification issued dated 20 August 2025 by the MoWR including Secretary, Economic Affairs Division (EAD) as a member of the FPSP-III Project Steering Committee
ii	MoWR to process individual PC-Is of FPSP-III projects for approval by CDWP/ECNEC on the same pattern as the umbrella PC-I, based on indicative financing. Approved urgent/short-term structural subprojects of Provinces are to be implemented on 50:50 cost sharing through PSDP and respective Provincial ADPs.	MoWR Processed the PC-I of: - National Master Plan for Flood Telemetry”, costing Rs. 14,824.427 million - Improvement of High Frequency (HF) Radios Network of Water Resources Management Directorate (WRMD), WAPDA.
iii	Priority schemes of federal non-structural interventions and structural interventions in GB/AJK to be implemented through 100% local share under PSDP until foreign financing becomes available.	- Considering the provision FFC in its 3rd SC meeting cleared 4 No sub projects PC-1s of GB Water Management and Irrigation Department - Amended PC-1 from GB is still awaited despite repeated reminders. - Also in the 3rd SC meeting of FFC considered 2 Sub-projects PC-1s of AJK and deferred for revised submission. - Revised submission of PC-1s from AJK is still awaited despite repeated reminders.
iv	MoWR to pursue Finance Division and Government of Gilgit-Baltistan for pending comments on the draft Summary of Updated NFPP-IV.	Comments had already been received from the GB

Sr. No	Decision of 1st PSC	Present Position / Compliance
v	All executing agencies submit PC-Is of FPSP-III subprojects to PCMU on an immediate basis for further processing and approval from the respective forums without further delay.	• Despite several remaindered PC-1s of sub project is submitted by PMD, WAPDA, GB, PID Sindh and PCRWR. • PC-1s from PID Punjab, KPK and Baluchistan are still awaited.
vi	EAD to expedite arrangements for foreign financing of 80% for each FPSP-III subproject, based on the approved umbrella PC-I.	• Right now only ADB committed to finance the subproject "Formulation of National Master Plan for Flood Telemetry"