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PROGRESS REPORT ON BEHALF OF RESPONDENT NO. 6 (BWSSB)

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH:

1. The instant report is being filed pursuant to the order dated 02.05.2025 passed by this Hon'ble Tribunal in the present Original Application, wherein the following was directed by this Hon'ble Tribunal:


6. In view of the urgency to ensure that sewage is not let into the Puttenahalli Bird Conservation Reserve and Lake, during ensuing monsoon, the order passed by this Tribunal which stayed the construction of the sewer line in the impugned 600-meter stretch is modified and the authorities are permitted to construct sewer line in the 600- meter stretch.

2. With respect to the above, it is submitted that as per the order dated 02.05.2025, the work of laying the 700 mm dia Hume pipes along the Yelahanaka-Puttenahalli Lake walk way for a stretch of 600 meter had commenced. As on date, 317.5 meters of pipe laying work is completed and 4 out of 15 machine holes are cast and provided with the pressure machine hole covers. As on date 50% of work is completed. Balance pipeline remaining to be laid is 282.5 meters and 11 machine holes.
3. It is the endeavour of the answering Respondent to complete the remaining works by September 2025. The reasons for the delay in the laying of the pipeline is attributable to the following:


- a. Each day's rain causes at least four to five days delay for reverting to the work, due to slushy nature of the soil owing to which the movement of vehicles is not possible;
 - b. Since the pathway is very narrow, utmost care has to be taken so as to not disturb the lake bund area. Resultantly, the excavated earth is being carted and re-carted for back filling;
 - c. There are buildings adjacent to the excavation trench, which also hinders the progress of the laying of the pipeline.
4. Progress report with respect to laying of the pipeline is annexed herewith as **Annexure A-1**.
 5. With respect to the direction of this Tribunal to ensure that the network of sewer lines proposed in the residential area is also completed, the said proposed sewer network will be taken up under World Bank funds. It is submitted that, presently the tenders are under evaluation.
 6. The above information is thus placed on record for the consideration of this Hon'ble Tribunal.

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Annexure A-1

Progress of the pipeline laying in the Yelahanka Puttenahalli Lake Bund as per the kind direction of Ho'ble NGT IN Q.A No 191/2024								
Sl No	Date	No. of machineries employed	Labours	Pipe line Qty to be laid (Rmt)	Daily progress	Balance pipe line to be laid (Rmt)	Machine holes	Remarks
1	5/4/2025	Sunday - no work						
2	5/5/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	570	7.5	562.5	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
3	5/6/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	562.5	10	552.5	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
4	5/7/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	552.5	7.5	545	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
5	5/8/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	545	10	535	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
6	5/9/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	535	7.5	527.5	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
7	5/10/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	527.5	7.5	520	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
8	5/11/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	520	7.5	512.5	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
9	5/12/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	512.5	7.5	505	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
10	5/13/2025	No work due to rain						
11	5/14/2025	No work due to rain						
12	5/15/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi & 1	8	505	7.5	497.5	-	Pipe laying work
13	5/16/2025	No work due to rain						
14	5/17/2025	No work due to rain						
15	5/18/2025	No work due to rain						
16	5/19/2025	No work due to rain						
17	5/20/2025	No work due to rain						
18	5/21/2025	No work due to rain						

19	5/22/2025	No work due to rain						
20	5/23/2025	No work due to slushy condition, unable to do the vehicle movement						
21	5/24/2025	No work due to slushy condition, unable to do the vehicle movement						
22	5/25/2025	No work due to rain						
23	5/26/2025	No work due to rain						
24	5/27/2025	No work due to slushy condition, unable to do the vehicle movement						
25	5/28/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	497.5	5	492.5	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
26	5/29/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	492.5	7.5	485	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
27	5/30/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	485	7.5	477.5	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
28	5/31/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	477.5	7.5	470	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
29	6/1/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	470	5	465	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
30	6/2/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	465	7.5	457.5	MH-10 excavation work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
31	6/3/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	457.5	7.5	450	MH-10 excavation work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
32	6/4/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	450	7.5	442.5	MH-10 raft rebar work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
33	6/5/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	442.5	7.5	435	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
34	6/6/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	435	7.5	427.5	Material shifting for machine hole construction	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
35	6/7/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	427.5	5	422.5	-	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
36	6/8/2025	Sunday - no work						
37	6/9/2025	No work due to rain						
38	6/10/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi & 1 Tractor	6	422.5	2.5	420	MH -10 raft casting work	Pipe laying & slush removing work

39	6/11/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	420	5	415	MH -10 wall rebar & shuttering work	Pipe laying, Joint encasing & slush removing work
40	6/12/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	415	2.5	412.5	MH -10 wall casting work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
41	6/13/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	7	412.5	2.5	410	MH -10 wall casting work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
42	6/14/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	7	410	2.5	407.5	1 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
43	6/15/2025	Sunday - no work						
44	6/16/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	407.5	5	402.5	MH -09 raft rebar work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
45	6/17/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	402.5	2.5	400	MH -09 wall rebar & shuttering work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
46	6/18/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	400	5	395	MH -09 wall casting work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
47	6/19/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	395	5	390	MH -09 wall casting work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
48	6/20/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	390	5	385	MH -09 top slab casting work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
49	6/21/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	385	5	380	MH -12 raft rebar work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
50	6/22/2025	Sunday - no work						
51	6/23/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	380	5	375	MH -12 wall casting work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
52	6/24/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	375	7.5	367.5	3 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
53	6/25/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	367.5	5	362.5	MH -11 excavation work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
54	6/26/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	8	362.5	7.5	355	MH -11 raft casting work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
55	6/27/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	355	5	350	MH -11 wall casting work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
56	6/28/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	350	7.5	342.5	MH -11 wall casting work	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work

57	6/29/2025	Sunday - no work						
58	6/30/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	342.5	5	337.5	4 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
59	7/1/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	337.5	7.5	330	4 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
60	7/2/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	330	5	325	4 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
61	7/3/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	325	10	315	4 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
62	7/4/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	315	5	310	4 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
63	7/5/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	310	5	305	4 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
64	7/6/2025	Sunday - no work						
65	7/7/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	305	5	300	4 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
66	7/8/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	300	5	295	4 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
67	7/9/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	295	5	290	4 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work
68	7/10/2025	1 JCB, 1 Hitachi, 1 Tractor & 1 Tipper	6	290	7.5	282.5	4 casted out of 15	Pipe laying & Joint encasing work