

**BEFORE THE HON'BLE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL,
WESTERN ZONE BENCH, PUNE
ORIGINAL APPLICATION NO.154 OF 2024 (WZ) & 91 of 2024 (WZ)**

Krunnal Narayan Gharre

... Applicant

Versus

Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation & Ors.

... Respondents

Report on behalf of the River Rejuvenation Committee.

In compliance of the Order dated 02/04/2025 passed by the Hon'ble NGT in OA No. 154/2024 and 91/2024, a report on behalf of the River Rejuvenation Committee (RRC) is enclosed for kind perusal.

 16/06/2025

(Ravindra B. Andhale)

Member Secretary M.P.C.Board
Member & Convener of RRC

Report of River Rejuvenation Committee (RRC) Regarding Pawana River

This report is regarding compliance of the Hon'ble NGT order dated 02.04.2025 in OA No.91 of 2024 and OA. No 154 of 2024 in the Suo Moto Matter: News item appearing in The Hindustan Times dated 26.02.2024 Titled "Pavana River enters 'priority 1' category due to increase in the pollution" is as bellow:-

As per Hon'ble NGT order dated 02.04.2025, RRC has to submit its own report as to whether the steps are being taken at the end of PMRDA do show any sincerity in execution of setting up of STP's, which essential to take care of pollution of river Pavana.

In this regard a meeting was convened through hybrid mode (Both physical presence and through video conferencing) on 02.06.2025 of River Rejuvenation Committee along with the officials of Pune Metropolitan Region Development Authority (PMRDA).

Length of Pavana river is 60 k.m. out of which 35 k.m. is in the area of PMRDA and remaining 25 k.m. is in the jurisdiction of PCMC. In this 35 k.m. area there are 54 villages. PMRDA has studied this area and found 15 no. of nalas leading to Pavana river. PMRDA has proposed 15 no. of STP's having total capacity of 3.52 MLD.

Tabular chart of 15 proposed STP by PMRDA:-

Sr. no	New STP Location	Capacity of Proposed STP Cum/Day	Technology
01	Urse-1	110	SIBF
02	Urse-2	200	SIBF
03	Parandvadi-3	240	SIBF
04	Somatane-4	830	MMBR
05	Shirgoan-5	90	SIBF
06	Gahunje-6	130	SIBF
07	Gahunje-7	500	MMBR
08	Shivane-1	60	SIBF
09	Shivane-2	50	SIBF
10	Bebadohol-3	55	SIBF
11	Bebadohol-4	300	MMBR
12	Dhamane-5	95	SIBF
13	Godumbare-6	65	SIBF
14	Salumbare-7	130	SIBF
15	Sagavade-8	670	MMBR

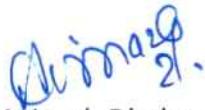
DPR of these projects is 218 Cr. PMRDA has submitted this DPR to Environment Department, GOM on 4/2/2025. DPR is prepared by M/s. En-Struct Consulting Engineers. This DPR will be approved by Environment Department, Govt. of Maharashtra. This proposal will

be vetted by an Expert Agency IIT Powai/Rurkee/NEERI. Thereafter Proposal vetted by an Expert Agency will be submitted to "National river Conservation Department". Then said DPR will be submitted to Urban Development Department for necessary approval & issuance of GR. After issuance of said GR, tender process will be initiated. Work order will be issued and work will be executed. 60 % of the funding will be done by NRCD Central Government and 40 % of the funding will be done by GoM.

RRC committee proposed to follow the below schedule:-

Sr no	Activity	Proposed date of completion
01	Submission of DPR of 218 Cr of Pawna River to Env Dept, GoM.	Completed on 04/02/2025
02	Sanction of DPR of Pawna River by Env Dept, GoM.	30/06/2025
03	Proposal shall be vetted by an expert agency like IIT Powai/ Rurkee / NEERI , as may be approved by the PMRDA.	30/09/2025
04	Vetted proposal by expert agency shall be submitted to NRCD, MoJ, GoI, New Delhi.	01/10/2025
05	Sanction of this proposal by NRCD	01/10/2026
06	PMRDA shall submit sanctioned proposal to Urban Development for approval and Issuance of GR.	30/11/2026
07	GR will be sent PMRDA. PMRDA shall issue work order to agency by following the Tender procedure.	31/12/2026
08	Construction & commissioning of STP by contractor of PMRDA.	31/12/2029

By considering above schedule, all necessary work will be completed by the year 2029.



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(Jayashree Bhoj, IAS)
Secretary, Env and CC, GoM
Chairperson - RRC