



भारत सरकार  
केन्द्रीय भूमि जल प्राधिकरण  
जल संसाधन, नदी विकास  
और गंगा संरक्षण मंत्रालय

Government of India  
Central Ground Water Authority  
Ministry of Water Resources,  
River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation

File No. 25-23/CGWA/NOCAP/2018

**NOTICE**

**Date: 01.03.2019**

**Sub: Grant of No Objection Certificate (NOC) for ground water withdrawal in Over-exploited, Critical and Semi-critical (OCS) Assessment Units**

Pursuant to the Order of the Hon'ble National Green Tribunal (NGT) dated 03.01.2019 in O.A No. 176/2015 (Shailesh Singh Vs. Hotel Holiday Regency, Moradabad &Ors.) and other related matters, expressing concern over the unregulated withdrawal of ground water from Over-exploited, Critical and Semi-critical (OCS) Assessment Units in the country and emphasizing the need for strict regulatory regime by not permitting use of ground water except for drinking purposes where supply of drinking water is not otherwise available, NOCs for fresh ground water withdrawal shall not be granted to industries, infrastructure units and mining projects located in such areas, except for drinking, domestic uses and for green belts till further orders.

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