

## **Submission of comments/objections regarding Proposed Amendments in Rain Water Harvesting (paragraph 2.7 of The Punjab Groundwater and Conservation Directions, 2023)**

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PWRDA invites comments/objections from the public regarding the proposed amendment by adding the following sub-paragraph before Note: 1 to paragraph 2.7 of the Punjab Groundwater and Conservation Directions, 2023:

*"All stadiums, cricket grounds and other sports grounds, sports courts and golf courses etc. shall construct/install an appropriate mechanism for rainwater harvesting i.e., Storage and reuse without artificial recharge"*

Written objections may be submitted by 08.04.2024.

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### **Procedure for submission of comments/objections**

RECEIPT OF OBJECTIONS WITH FEES (Rs 500)

Objections may be submitted as follows by any person:

**By email to:** [secretary.pwrda@punjab.gov.in](mailto:secretary.pwrda@punjab.gov.in) , or

**By post to:** Secretary, Punjab Water Regulation and Development Authority, SCO 149-152, Sector 17 C, Chandigarh 160017.

All Objections should be in the Format placed at Annexure 1 (attached below), and shall be accompanied with the receipt of the applicable Fees of Rs 500/- payable to the Authority in terms of Section 15(4) of the Act. The Fees may be paid as follows:

- I. by online transfer to HDFC Bank Account 50100071567691 of the Authority, IFSC Code: HDFC0001209 through Debit Card, Credit Card, or Net Banking or UPI or NEFT/RTGS, or
- II. by cash at any of Branch of HDFC Bank in Punjab or Chandigarh in Account of the Authority, or at Reception Counter of the Authority, or
- III. by Indian Postal Order, Pay Order or Demand Draft in favour of Secretary, Punjab Water Regulation and Development Authority, payable at Chandigarh.

## **Existing Directions regarding Rain Water Harvesting (paragraph 2.7 of Punjab Groundwater and Conservation Directions, 2023)**

### **2.7 RAIN WATER HARVESTING**

If a User intends to implement or has implemented a rainwater harvesting scheme in a Unit, then such User may submit the requisite details of such rainwater harvesting scheme to the Authority for its approval. In the event that the Authority approves such rainwater harvesting scheme, the User shall be eligible for water-conservation credits as per the conditions of the approval.

**Note 1:** A User shall ensure that it obtains prior approval of the Competent Authority as required under the law for its Rain Water Harvesting Scheme.

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**Annexure 1**

**OBJECTIONS REGARDING THE PUNJAB GROUNDWATER AND  
CONSERVATION DIRECTIONS, 2023**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mobile telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email address (if available): \_\_\_\_\_  
Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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To,  
Secretary, Punjab Water Regulation and Development Authority  
SCO 149-152, Sector 17 C, Chandigarh 160017.  
Email: [secretary.pwrda@punjab.gov.in](mailto:secretary.pwrda@punjab.gov.in)

**Objections regarding the proposed amendments in the paragraph 2.7 of Punjab  
Groundwater and Conservation Directions, 2023.**

Sir,  
I have deposited a Fee of Rs. 500/-, vide receipt No. \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_/\_\_/\_\_  
Please consider my Objections on the draft amendments, which are enclosed.

SIGNATURE

DATE:

NAME