



Government of Jammu & Kashmir
Divisional Commissioner Kashmir

email: divcomk@gmail.com

Tele: 0194-2483718 Fax: 0194-2484444, 2477775

Subject: Minutes of the meeting regarding construction of Flyover from Jehangir Chowk to Rambagh and Grade Separator at TRC crossing.

To review the progress of work on construction of flyover from Jehangir Chowk to Rambagh and grade separator at TRC crossing and the issues impeding in the early completion of these Projects, a meeting was held under the Chairmanship of Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir on 22.09.2017.

The following officers attended the meeting:-

1. Director, Economic Reconstruction Agency, Kashmir, Srinagar
2. Representative of Simplex Infrastructure Private Limited.
3. Mr. Owais Shawl, Director, M.M. Shawl Constructions.

At the outset, the Chair informed that in view of huge traffic congestion, 1st Phase of flyover Project was to be completed by 30th September, 2017 which has not been achieved and stressed upon them to achieve the target at an earliest. The Chair sought from the participant's information vis-à-vis the issues impeding in early completion of the Projects.

Director, ERA, Kashmir apprised the Chair that Simplex Infrastructure Limited, the firm which has been allotted the work of construction of Flyover, is facing shortage of funds that has resulted in retrenching of labour which have been reduced from 850 to 300 per day. Further, the Chair was informed that Kralpora area, where Batching Plant of the firm is located, remains disturbed and if the Batching Plant is closed for two hours, it takes 02 days to re-start the Plant. It was also given to understand that a claim on account of flood damages amounting to Rs. 21.00 crores is pending release which has affected the cash flow. The Chair was apprised by Director, ERA that it is with his persuasion the number of labour has been increased from 300 to 450 per day and will be augmented to 600 within 04 days and to 800 in the next 12 days.

The Chair was apprised by the agencies that the Traffic personnel are not

allowing their vehicles carrying the construction material to move to the site during day time which is also hampering the work. The Chair was further apprised that some hooligans are intimidating and harassing the labourers thereby impeding the work.

After threadbare discussions, the following decisions were taken:-

1. Chief Executive Officer, ERA, J&K and Director, ERA, Kashmir will sort out the issue of releasing of funds in favour of the contractors so that the work does not suffer on this count.

(Action by: CEO, ERA/Dir., ERA)

2. Inspector General of Police, Traffic, J&K/ SSP, Traffic City, Srinagar will issue necessary instructions to its field staff to allow the vehicles of Simplex Infrastructure Limited and M.M. Shawl Constructions carrying construction material to move to the site round the clock except during peak morning and evening hours. SSP, Traffic, City will personally supervise the matter. However, vehicles carrying construction material should use canopy.

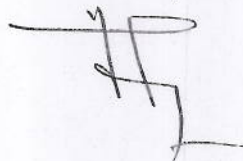
(Action by: IGP, Traffic/SSP, Traffic City)

3. Director, ERA, Kashmir shall ensure that the 1st Phase of flyover is completed by December, 2017 and 2nd Phase by June, 2018. Similarly, grade separator shall be completed by June, 2018. Director, ERA shall ensure that contractors shall carry the work in double shifts for completion of the work at Flyover and Grade Separator within the timeline as no further extension can be granted.

(Action by: Dir., ERA)

4. Chief Engineer, PHE, Kashmir shall resolve the issue of connecting of the pipeline inside the Park near Sher-i-Kashmir Cricket Stadium, Sonwar on priority.

(Action by: CE, PHE, Kmr)



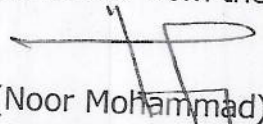
5. SSP, Srinagar/SHO concerned shall provide necessary assistance/ security to the contractors as and when reported to them by the contractors. Besides, they shall make efforts to identify the hooligans and take action against them under the relevant provisions of law so that work will not get hampered.

(Action by: SSP, Sgr/SHO concerned)

6. Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir will visit the site on Tuesday during night hours to assess the pace of work and availability of manpower on the Project.

(Action by: Div. Com (K)/Dir., ERA)

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to and from the Chair.


(Noor Mohammad)
Deputy Director
With Divisional Commissioner,
Kashmir
26/09 Dated:- 26/09/2017

No: DivCom/Dev/ 105 /2017 / 8065
Copy to the:-

1. Principal Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Civil Secretariat, Srinagar
2. All concerned for information and necessary action.
3. District Informatics Officer, NIC, Srinagar C/o D.C. Office, Srinagar for necessary action.