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**Government of Madhya Pradesh  
Rural Development Department  
Rajiv Gandhi Mission for Watershed Management  
IInd Floor, Vindhyachal Bhavan  
Bhopal - 462 004**

No. 9314/22/D-9/RGM/2003/M-116

Bhopal dated 26.8.2003

To,

1. Collector and Mission Leader,  
Rajiv Gandhi Mission for Watershed Management,  
District - All (M.P.)
2. Chief Executive Officer  
Zila Panchayat,  
District - All (M.P.)

**Sub.: Process of implementation of Watershed Management Projects sanctioned under Hariyali Guidelines.**

In the above order the provisions for Watershed Development Fund Account were made, as given below :-

1. The amount received as contribution against implementation of watershed development activities from village community will be deposited in a Watershed Development Fund Account opened and maintained separately at microwatershed level. The collection of user charges will also be deposited in Watershed Development Fund Account. The money deposited in Watershed Development Fund Account will be used for repair and maintenance of community assets generated through watershed development activities. The Watershed Development Fund Account will be operated jointly by Serpanch of Gram Panchayat and Chairman of Watershed Committee. In a financial year the maximum limit of withdrawal from Watershed Development Fund Account will be 25% of the deposited amount. In the next financial year the withdrawal will be permitted only after the refund of withdrawal of previous financial year. The refund amount will be collected through user charges and public contribution/donations.
2. For repair and maintenance of community assets a yearly action plan will be prepared, which shall be approved by Gram Panchayat.

3. The user charges will be collected for the benefits accrued through community assets. User charges will be decided by Gram Panchayat on the basis of advise of Watershed Committee. Gram Panchayat will establish a mechanism also for collection of user charges.
4. 50% of the user charges will be deposited in Watershed Development Fund Account and remaining 50% will be used by Gram Panchayat for other purposes.

**Sd/-  
(Pankaj Rag)**

Director  
Rajiv Gandhi Mission For  
Watershed Management  
M.P.Bhopal

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1. Principal Secretary, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Rural Development Department for information.
2. Principal Secretary, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Forest Department for information.
3. All Divisional Commissioner, Madhya Pradesh for information.
4. Coordinator, Rajiv Gandhi Missions and Secretary, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Mantralaya, Vallabh Bhavan, Bhopal for information.
5. Secretary, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Rural Development Department for information.

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