

Decisions taken during the Meeting of Secretary (DWS) with Secretary (Water Resources) held on 19th September, 2007.

- ✚ A Nodal Officer from CGWB would be nominated to share the technical expertise with the Department of Drinking Water Supply and suggest various technologies for ensuring source sustainability on the basis of conjunctive use of surface water, ground water and rooftop water harvesting.
- ✚ CGWB to replicate the Yamuna Flood Plains artificial recharge project in water scarcity areas of Ganga basin in UP and Bihar
- ✚ CGWB would impart training to officers of the Department and local district panchayats on effective technologies for proper identification and prevention of pollution in the catchments of drinking water supply wells.
- ✚ Dug-well recharge scheme of MoWR to be converged with rural water supply programme for recharging ground water based drinking water sources
- ✚ Sharing of habitation-wise information possible after “Web enabled Ground Water Information System” is developed by CGWB
- ✚ MoWR to render technical support for implementation of roof-top rainwater harvesting schemes
- ✚ MoWR to consider giving weightage to drinking water security while selecting awardees for their Award schemes
- ✚ CGWB to be associated in evaluating proposals for hydrofracturing and well blasting methods of unconventional ground water recharge.
- ✚ The Co-ordination Committee on water related matters to be revived under the chairmanship of Additional Secretary(WR)