

Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai

(Hydraulic Engineer's Department)

Public Notification

Conservation of freshwater resources and optimal / judicious use of available fresh water is the need of the hour. MCGM has decided to join this national / global initiative and promote use of treated wastewater, bore well water and rain water harvesting for secondary purposes in Mumbai.

For the promotion of treated wastewater and bore well water usages, MCGM has framed new policy for providing municipal water to existing and new developments in Mumbai. For the strict implementation of new policy guidelines mentioned below will be followed. All connection holders / consumers are requested to co-operate and help MCGM in this noble initiative.

1. For residential buildings / consumers- domestic requirements will be considered @ 90 lpcd and flushing requirement @ 45 lpcd.
2. For commercial buildings / consumers- domestic requirements will be considered @ 20 lpcd and flushing requirement @ 25 lpcd.
3. Water connection to the residential and commercial properties where STPs are non-functional will be redesigned and resized to meet the domestic requirements only.
4. In municipal limit resizing of water connections will be carried out at MCGM cost.
5. Irrespective of building permission issuing authority, with immediate effect, water connections for all new developments wherever use of Bore Well, Rain Water and STP Effluent is stipulated for non domestic purposes; will be granted for domestic requirements only.
6. While granting / processing applications for additional / enlargement of existing water connections use of Bore Well, Rain Water and STP Effluent for non domestic purposes will be taken into account.

7. As a rule Additional / enlargement of existing water connections will be discouraged and system pressure and supply hours improvement will be emphasised.
8. Existing water connections will be reduced suitably to suffice only domestic requirements for the cases where STP / RWH / Bore Well Water is expected to meet non domestic requirements as stipulated in building permissions issued by various planning authorities.

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