PROCEEDINGS OF THE ORDINARY MEETING OF CANTONMENT BOARD, HELD ON FRIDAY, THE 25TH JUNE, 2021 AT 1100 HRS AT THE OFFICE OF THE CANTONMENT BOARD, BELGAUM.

Member:

1. Brig Rohit Choudhary, SM President

Shri. Barchaswa, Member-Secretary

Special Invitees :

- 1. Smt. Mangal Suresh Angadi, Member of Parliament, Belagavi Constituency.
- 2. Shri. Iranna Kadadi, Member of Parliament. Rajya Sabha, Karnataka.
- 3. Shri Anil S. Benake, Member of Legislative Assembly, Belagavi (North) Constituency.

Special Invitees present :

None.

The CEO welcomed the President, Cantonment Board for the monthly ordinary Board meeting.

Agenda :

1. **MONTHLY ACCOUNTS :**

To consider the statements of receipts and expenditure and Bank Reconciliation Statement of the Cantonment Fund for the month of May, 2021 which are summarised below:--

	May, 2021
	Rs.
Opening Balance	16,81,583-65
Add : Receipts (+)	3,09,39,687-34
Total :	3,26,21,270-99
Deduct : Expenditure (-)	2,99,71,804-57
Closing Balance	26,49,466-42

Statements showing the details of receipts and expenditure for the month of May, 2021 are placed on the table.

Resolution :

1. Considered and approved.

Agenda :

2. <u>ARREARS AND RECOVERY OF REVENUE:</u>

To consider and note the Statement of Arrears of Revenue and Taxes for the period ending May, 2021 and recoveries made thereon during the financial year.

The statements are placed on the table.

Resolution :

2. Considered the Statement of Arrears of Revenue and Taxes for the period ending May, 2021 and recoveries made thereon during the financial year and noted the same.

<u>Agenda :</u>

3. <u>BIRTH AND DEATH REPORTS :</u>

(1) To note the Birth and Death Reports for the month of May, 2021.

Sl.No.	Report from	May, 2021
	BIRTHS:	
1.	Cantonment area (House)	00
2.	Cantonment Board General	01
	Hospital	
3.	Military Hospital	04
4.	Railway Hospital	
5.	Other Place	
	Total	05
	DEATHS :	
1.	Cantonment area (House)	00
2.	Cantonment Board General	06
	Hospital	
3.	Military Hospital	25
4.	Railway Hospital	
5.	Other Place	00
	Total	31
	STILL BIRTHS:	01

Sl.No.	Description	May, 2021
	Cantonment General Hospital	01
(a)	IPD Delivery patients	
(b)	IPD General patients	08
	Total :	09
	COVID Care Isolation Centre	
(c)	IPD Delivery patients	00
(d)	IPD General patients	10
	Total:	10
(e)	Total No. of OPD Patients	1230
(f)	Operations:	
	(a) Debridement	00
	(b) Tubectomy	00
	(c) Circumcision	
	(d) Tumor Excision/Suturing	03
	(e) Laparoscopy	
	(f) MTP/D&C Diagnostic	00
	(g) Caesarean Section	00
	(h) Herniorhpathy	00
	(i) Hysterectomy	
	(j) Minor Operation	02
	(k) No. of USG	03
	(1) X-Ray / Sonography	08
	Lab Investigation details	No. of Tests done
(g)	Name of the Test	during May, 2021
	1. Stool Routine	00
	2. Urine Routine	26
	3. Hematology	29
	4. Platelet	08
	5. Blood Group	05
	6. Electrolytes	00
	7. HB1AC	06
	8. LFT	05
	9. Lipid Profile	05
	10. CRP	10
	11. Widal	05
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	12. HIV	05

(2). To consider the report of R.M.O. for treatment in Cantonment General Hospital and Lab Investigation details.

14. VDRL	05
15. Thyroid Test (T3, T4, TSH)	06
16. Bio-Chemistry (Glucose)	15
17. RA Test	00
18. Urine Pregnancy Test	04
19. Complete Blood Test	12
Total Number of Tests conducted	151

RMO's report is placed on the table.

Resolution :

3(1). Considered the Birth and Death Reports for the month of May, 2021 and noted the details mentioned on the agenda side.

(2). Considered the report of R.M.O. and noted the various operations / treatment and Lab Investigation details mentioned on the agenda side.

<u>Agenda :</u>

4. <u>PROVISION OF FUND FOR THE CANTONMENT BOARD EMPLOYEES</u> <u>AS A WELFARE MEASURE : GROUP INSURANCE SCHEME.</u>

Ref: PDDE SC Pune letters No.19648/COVID-19/Cantt/DE dated 23-04-2021 and 04-06-2021.

Vide above referred letters of PD DE SC Pune, it was decided to provide protective cover to Cantonment Board employees working as Covid Warriors and relief in case of death, to the deceased family. Now in the wake of second wave of Covid-19 the scenario has become even worse across the entire nation. Hence, once again the Group Insurance Scheme of LIC is proposed to cover the additional Cantonment Board Employees working in the forefront and who were left out earlier.

Therefore w.r.t. CBR No.17 dated 25-06-2020, the list of additional Permanent / Contractual employees of Cantonment Board who are engaged in COVID-19 preventive measures be covered under Group Insurance Scheme of LIC through Nodal Cantonment Board which is Delhi Cantonment Board in order to provide protection cover and relief in case of death, to the deceased family.

In view of the above, the Cantonment Board has to approve the payment of premium to the LIC through Nodal Office in respect of employees shown in **Annexure 'A'**.

The Board has made necessary provision in the Revised Budget for the year 2021-22 for incurring expenditure on the Group Policy mentioned above.

The Board may consider and resolve accordingly.

Accountant's report is placed on the table.

Resolution :

4. Noted. The necessary payment of premium of concerned employees be made to the LIC through Nodal Cantonment Board which is Delhi Cantonment Board.

<u>Agenda :</u>

5. <u>REGARDING FIXATION OF DEMAND NOTICE FEE AS PER SECTION 100(2)</u> <u>OF THE CANTONMENTS ACT 2006 :</u>

To consider the DG, DE, New Delhi letter No. 76/67/echh-PT/C/DE/2021 dated 09-06-2021 and the PD DE SC Pune letter No. 807/E-Chhawani Portl/Cantt/II/DE dated 11-06-2021.

It is mentioned in the DG, DE letter dated 09-06-2021, that the said matter of fixing of notice fee has been discussed in the meeting on eChhawani project dated 07-06-2021 taken by the Defence Secretary and it was observed that all CEOs would be required to be advised to fix the Demand Notice Fee @ Rs.100/-(Rupees one hundred only) for each notice to maintain uniformity and enable its incorporation in the tax module of eChhawani. Accordingly the PD, DE, SC, Pune vide their above referred letter has informed to fix demand notice @ Rs.100/-(Rupees hundred only) with immediate effect i.e, 11-06-2021 till further orders.

As per Section 100(2) of the Cantonments Act 2006 for every notice of demand which the Chief Executive Officer causes to be served on any person under this section, a fee of such amount not exceeding two hundred rupees as shall in each case be fixed by the Chief Executive Officer, shall be payable by the said person and shall be included in the costs of recovery.

In accordance with the directions received from the PD, DE, SC, Pune vide their letter referred above and as per Section 100(2) of the Cantonments Act 2006, the Chief Executive Officer has fixed the notice fees @Rs.100/- with effect from 11-06-2021 till further orders.

Matter is brought before the Board for noting.

Office report along with relevant documents are placed on the table.

Resolution :

5. Considered, noted and approved.

Agenda :

6. <u>TENDERS FOR WORKS:</u>

To consider the online tenders for the following work invited vide Public Notice No. 5/PWD/92/1758 dated 09/03/2021 for the works to be carried out during the year 2021-22. published in daily Tarun Bharat, Vijayvani and Indian Express dt. 10/03/2021. The tenders were opened on 21/05/2021 at 4.30 PM onwards in the presence of tenderers who were present. The tenders were opened after the code of conduct of MP election, was over.

1. Name of the Work:- Term contract for Maintenance of Landscaping to side berms of Thimayya Road from Church road to BC No. 42 (From Church Road junction to Demo troop), 1.5 km length and 2 m width approx in Belgaum Cantonment.

Sl. No.	Name of Contractor	Amount per Year	Remarks
1.	GARDEN SATELLITE PROPRIETOR: SANJEEV S. AWATE	Rs. 79,850/-	Lowest
2.	CHAITRA LANDSCAPES PROPRIETOR: SACHIN M. DODDAMANI	Rs. 8,52,000/-	
3.	SAYLI DIVEKAR PROPRIETOR: M/S. AMEYA MAINTENANCE SERVICES	Rs. 9,00,000/-	

The amount quoted by GARDEN SATELLITE is the lowest.

2. Name of the Work: - Term contract for Maintenance of Cantonment Fund Sharquat Park, G.L.R. Sy. No. 120 measuring 0.80 acres, Belgaum Cantt.

Sl. No.	Name of Contractor	Amount per Year	Remarks
1	SAYLI DIVEKAR PROPRIETOR: M/S.	Rs.4,92,000/-	
1.	AMEYA MAINTENANCE SERVICES	K3. 4 ,72,000/-	
2.	CHAITRA LANDSCAPES PROPRIETOR:	Rs. 4,68,000/-	
	SACHIN M. DODDAMANI	KS. 4,08,000/-	
3.	GARDEN SATELLITE PROPRIETOR: SANJEEV S. AWATE	Rs. 44,750/-	Lowest

The amount quoted by GARDEN SATELLITE is the lowest.

3. Name of the Work: - Term contract for Maintenance of Cantonment fund gardens such as Triangular Garden on Old Post Office Road(G.L.R. Sy.No. 251/6 measuring 321.02 Sq.mts. near Valmiki Mandir, Fort (G.L.R. Sy.No 341) measuring 202.33 Sqmt, Independence Road (G.L.R. Sy. No. 214) measuring 1331.40 Sq.mts. Belgaum Cantonment.

Sl. No.	Name of Contractor	Amount per Year	Remarks
1	SAYLI DIVEKAR PROPRIETOR: M/S.	Rs.2,52,000/-	
1.	AMEYA MAINTENANCE SERVICES	KS.2,32,000/-	
2	GARDEN SATELLITE PROPRIETOR:	Da 22.950/	Lowest
2.	SANJEEV S. AWATE	Rs. 22,850/-	Lowest

The amount quoted by GARDEN SATELLITE is the lowest.

The lowest contractor i.e. GARDEN SATELLITE PROPRIETOR: SANJEEV S. AWATE has submitted the letter on 11/06/2021 stating that he has realised that due to human oversight while filling the financial bid he has quoted the rate of maintenance of above mentioned gardens on per month basis instead of per year basis. The rates of his firms for above mentioned works are lowest since he has quoted the rates on per month basis. He has mentioned in the letter that it is not at all feasible financially to maintain these gardens for a year based on one month's quotes. He has stated that he is withdrawing his tender bids for above mentioned works of maintenance of gardens and he has no objection if the same is awarded to someone else. The tenderer has also given an undertaking by way of an affidavit on a non judicial stamp paper of Rs.100/- about the same.

As per AEs report, the work of maintenance of garden is labour intensive and the wages of the workers engaged have to be paid as per the minimum wages prescribed by the Ministry of Labour. The rates quoted by the lowest tenderer are not workable hence his bid is not justified considering the present minimum wages. As per tender conditions, the decision of the CEO/Board shall be final and binding to the Contractor/Tenderers.

The Board may consider the above mentioned tenders, letter of the lowest bidder and decide accordingly.

The tenders received & AE's report are placed on the table.

Resolution :

6. Considered and resolved that since the lowest tenderer has intimated his inability to carry out the tender because of the mentioning of per month rates instead of per year basis due to his own human oversight and the fact that the lowest tenderer has withdrawn his bids from all the three tenders before the awarding of the tenders to him, his bids are to be considered as withdrawn and the EMD deposited by him be refunded to him. It is further resolved that the tenders may be awarded to the second lowest bidders after getting willingness from them in all the three tenders. The details of the same are as under :-

1. Name of the Work:- Term contract for Maintenance of Landscaping to side berms of Thimayya Road from Church road to BC No. 42 (From Church Road junction to Demo troop), 1.5 km length and 2 m width approx in Belgaum Cantonment.

Sl.	Name of Contractor	Amount per Year	Remarks
No.		D 0 50 000/	T (
1.	CHAITRA LANDSCAPES PROPRIETOR:	Rs. 8,52,000/-	Lowest
	SACHIN M. DODDAMANI		
2.	SAYLI DIVEKAR PROPRIETOR: M/S.	Rs. 9,00,000/-	
	AMEYA MAINTENANCE SERVICES		

The amount quoted by CHAITRA LANDSCAPES PROPRIETOR: SACHIN M. DODDAMANI is the lowest.

2. Name of the Work: - Term contract for Maintenance of Cantonment Fund Sharquat Park, G.L.R. Sy. No. 120 measuring 0.80 acres, Belgaum Cantt.

Sl.	Name of Contractor	Amount per Year	Remarks
No.			
1.	SAYLI DIVEKAR PROPRIETOR: M/S.	Rs. 4,92,000/-	
	AMEYA MAINTENANCE SERVICES		
2.	CHAITRA LANDSCAPES PROPRIETOR:	Rs. 4,68,000/-	Lowest
	SACHIN M. DODDAMANI		

The amount quoted by **CHAITRA LANDSCAPES PROPRIETOR: SACHIN M. DODDAMANI** is the lowest.

3. Name of the Work: - Term contract for Maintenance of Cantonment fund gardens such as Triangular Garden on Old Post Office Road (G.L.R. Sy.No. 251/6 measuring 321.02 Sq.mts. near Valmiki Mandir, Fort (G.L.R. Sy.No. 341) measuring 202.33 Sqmt, Independence Road (G.L.R. Sy. No. 214) measuring 1331.40 Sq.mts. Belgaum Cantonment.

Sl. No.	Name of Contractor	Amount per Year	Remarks
1	SAYLI DIVEKAR PROPRIETOR: M/S.	$D_{\pi} = 2.52.000/$	Lorrogt
1.	AMEYA MAINTENANCE SERVICES	Rs. 2,52,000/-	Lowest

The amount quoted by **SAYLI DIVEKAR PROPRIETOR: M/S. AMEYA MAINTENANCE SERVICES** is the lowest.

<u>Agenda :</u>

7. <u>EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS FOR ONGOING INCOMPLETE WORKS</u>

To consider the letters dated 31/05/2021 received from Garden Satellite, Contractor for extension of time upto 15/07/2021 for following on-going works since the works in question were not completed on or before 31/05/2021 due to following reasons:-

- 1) Shortage of labour due to Covid-19 since labourers are coming from out side Belgaum.
- 2) Full lockdown in Karnataka State from 22/03/2021 to 14/06/2021.
- 3) Non availability of materials due to transportation.

Sl. No	Name of the work	Name of the approved Contractor	Work order Amount	Work order No. and date of completion as per work order
01	Landscaping by way of hardscaping (Civil works), Softscaping (Gardening work) of Madras 'A' Street, Belgaum Cantonment.	Garden Satellite	Rs. 1,43,000.00	W. No.14 of 2020- 21 dt. 01/03/2021, Date of completion 31/05/2021
02	Landscaping by way of hardscaping (Civil works), Softscaping (Gardening work) of Beef Butcher Street, Belgaum Cantonment	Garden Satellite	Rs. 3,32,479.24	W. No.15 of 2020- 21 dt. 01/03/2021, Date of completion 31/05/2021

The concerned papers and A.E's report are placed on the table. The Board may consider the issue and take further action in the matter.

Resolution :

7. Considered. After detailed discussions, it is resolved to extend the above mentioned works mentioned in the agenda side upto 15-7-2021 considering the lockdown due to COVID 19.

<u>Agenda :</u>

8. <u>ENGAGEMENT OF ADVOCATE IN HIGH COURT, CIRCUIT BENCH</u> <u>DHARWAD.</u>

Ref: CBR No. 8 dated 30-1-2021.

As per above referred CBR, the CEO was authorized to engage another High Court Advocate after ascertaining the requisite documents and settling the matter with the present Advocate of Cantonment Board, Shri. Sangram S. Kulkarni who is representing Cantonment Board Cases in the High Court, Circuit Bench, Dharwad.

The Cantonment Board is having at present 15 Nos. of Court Cases in the High Court of Karnataka, Dharwad Bench. The cases pertaining to Cantonment Board are very less in number. Generally the Court Cases contested in the High Court, Dharwad Bench are Appeals preferred by the parties on the Judgements of the Lower Courts. The Lower Court Cases are very well known to the present Lower Court Advocate Shri. Apoorva S. Somannavar. Hence it is not advisable to engage a separate Advocate only for the Court Cases to be contested in the High Courts. At present, Shri. Apoorva S. Somannavar, Advocate is representing Cantonment Board in the Lower Courts situated in Belgaum. He is paid monthly Rs. 30,000/- as legal charges. He has been engaged by the Cantonment Board as per CBR No. 10 dated 30-11-2018.

The Advocate Shri. Apoorva S. Somannavar has proposed to fix legal charges as under :--

1. Retainer Fee for District & Sub-ordinate Courts	Rs. 45,000/-
2. Retainer Fee for High Courts	Rs. 10,000/-
3. Fee per Caveat – District & Sub-ordinate Courts	Rs. 1,000/-
4. Fee per Caveat Petition before High Court	Rs. 10,000/-
5. Fee for Writs where Board is Respondent	Rs. 20,000/-
6. Fee for Writs/Appeals where Board is Petitioner	Rs. 30,000/-
7. Fee for Contempt Cases in High Courts	Rs. 30,000/-
8. Fee for Regular Second Appeals in High Court	Rs. 25,000/-
9. Fee for Misc. First Appeals in High Court	Rs. 25,000/-
10.Motor Vehicle Cases (Accidents)	Rs. 25,000/-

Considering the present financial position of the Board to avoid additional expenditure by engaging separate Advocate for contesting Cases in the High Courts, it is advisable to engage Shri. Apoorva S. Somannavar, Advocate also to represent the Cantonment in the High Courts.

Shri. Apoorva S. Somannavar, Advocate vide his application dated 21-6-2021 has left the fixing of the legal fees to the Board and he has also undertook to represent the Board as per the fees finalized by the Board. The application dated 21-6-2021 is accompanied with his Curriculum Vitae and the fee structure for Advocates of the KUWS&DB.

The Board may consider the issue and resolve accordingly. The CEO may be authorized to fix the legal charges in consultation with Shri. Apoorva S. Somannavar, Advocate for contesting cases in Lower courts and High Courts.

The application dated 21-6-2021 received from Shri. Apoorva S. Somannavar, Advocate along with his legal charges and AE's report are placed on the table.

Resolution :

8. Considered and resolved that Shri. Apoorva S. Somannavar, Advocate be engaged to represent the Cantonment in the High Courts. The CEO is authorized to fix the legal charges in consultation with Shri. Apoorva S. Somannavar, Advocate for contesting cases in Lower Courts and High Courts. Thereafter the Matter be referred to the next Board meeting for approval.

The following supplementary agenda was taken up for consideration with the permission of the Chair :--

Agenda :

9. PURCHASE AND ISSUE OF UNIFORM :

I. The eligible male employees of Cantonment Board are to be issued 02 sets (3 meters of cloth per set) of Uniform once in every two years. During this year, 106 employees (104 employees - 02 sets each and 02 employees - 01 set each) are eligible to receive the same (list enclosed). And a quantity of 630 mtrs.(Khaki & White) cloth is required for the same. Out of which, 24 meters of Khaki cloth is in stock. Hence, a total of 606 mtrs. of cloth is to be procured. The details are as under:-

Sl.	Particulars	Quantity	Quantity	Quantity
No.		required	available	to be procured
1	67/33 Polyester Cotton	612 mtrs.	24 mtrs.	588 mtrs.
	Khaki Suiting & Shirting			
	Width: 137/138 Cms.			
2	67/33 Polyester Cotton	18 mtrs.	Nil	18 mtrs.
	White Suiting & Shirting			
	Width: 137/138 Cms.			
			Total	606 mtrs.

II. The eligible female employees of Cantonment Board are to be issued 02 sets of Uniform Sarees once every year. During this year, 33 female employees are eligible to receive the same (list enclosed). The details are as under:-

Sl.No.	Particulars	Quantity required
1	67/33 Polyester Cotton - Sky Blue Saree	66 Nos.
	Length: 5.50 mtrs. & Width: 113/114 cms.	(33 Nos. X 02 Sarees each)
2	67/33 Polyester Cotton - Sky Blue Blouse	79.2 mtrs.
	Width: 91/94 cms.	(33 Nos. X 2.40 mtrs. each)
3	100% Cotton - Sky Blue Petticoat Cloth	247.5 mtrs.
	Width: 90 cms	(33 Nos. X 7.5 mtrs. each)

The total financial implication in this regard will be Rs. 2,00,000/-approximately.

The Board may consider and approve the purchase of the above mentioned cloth materials for the eligible male and female employees from L1 supplier recommended by GeM (Government e-Marketplace) or through e-Procurement / National Textile Centre (if not available on GeM).

Resolution :

9. Considered and approved.

Agenda :

10. <u>PURCHASE AND ISSUE OF RAIN SUIT AND GUMBOOTS :</u>

The eligible male employees of Cantonment Board are supplied Rain suit and Gumboots once in every five years. During this year, 71 employees are eligible to receive Rain suits along with Gumboots and 06 employees are eligible to receive only Rain suits respectively (list enclosed). The details are as under:-

Sl. No.	Particulars	Quantity required
1	Rain suit (Jacket with integrated Hood and Trouser)	77 Nos.
2	PVC Gumboots	71 Nos.

The total financial implication in this regard will be Rs. 2,50,000/-approximately.

The Board may consider and approve the purchase of Rain suits and Gumboots from L1 supplier recommended by GeM (Government e-Marketplace) or through e-Procurement (if not available on GeM).

Resolution :

10. Considered and approved.

Agenda : 11. PURCHASE AND ISSUE OF RAINCOAT :

The eligible female employees of Cantonment Board are supplied Raincoat once in every five years. During this year, 27 employees are eligible to receive the same (list enclosed). The details are as under:-

Sl. No.	Particulars	Quantity required
1	Raincoat (Full length with attached Hood and Waist Belt)	27 Nos.

The total financial implication in this regard will be Rs.60,000/-approximately.

The Board may consider and approve the purchase of Raincoats from L1 supplier recommended by GeM (Government e-Marketplace) or through e-Procurement (if not available on GeM).

Resolution :

11. Considered and approved.

Agenda :

12. <u>CLOSURE OF ROADS :</u>

Ref : CBR No. 8 dated 28-5-2021.

The Regional Commissioner, Belgaum has sent a letter bearing No. RCB/Bhoomi-4/LND/CR-04/2021-22 dated 20-4-2021 addressed to the Station Commander, MLIRC and President, Cantonment Board, Belagavi with copy endorsed to the CEO and Member Secretary, Cantonment Board, Belagavi regarding resolution passed in respect with closure of public roads in Belgaum In the said letter, he has enclosed a Petition dated 5-4-2021 Cantonment. submitted by the representatives of the Belgaum Cantonment Residents' Welfare In the Petition, they have mentioned that a meeting of the Association. Cantonment Board was held on Friday, 19th March, 2021 wherein only two members viz., the President of the Cantonment Board and its Member Secretary were present. Further, the petitioners have stated that the quorum for the above meeting was not followed and there were no civilian representatives in the meeting, hence the meeting was allegedly improper. Petitioner have also alleged that the resolution passed in the matter of handing/taking over of Cantonment fund roads and MES roads in Belagavi will affect the ordinary citizens especially the school students who have to access the five oldest schools in camp and will cause misery to farmers from the villages beyond Nanawadi and Ganeshpur and have also claimed it is violative of the Fundamental Rights under Article 19(1) of the Constitution. The procedure set by the Ministry of Defence, Government of India to be followed by Cantonment Boards for closure o roads in Cantonments does not seems to have been followed in this regard.

The Regional Commissioner, Belagavi has requested to consider the concerns raised by the Belgaum Cantonment Residents' Welfare Association and in the interest of better civil-military relations to kindly take appropriate decision in accordance with the directions of Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka W.A. No. 3549/1997 Dated 23-01-1998, the procedures mentioned for closure of Roads in Cantonments by the Ministry of Defence, GOI in its letter No. 14(9)2018-D(Q&C) dated 28-05-2018 and the laws and rules governing Cantonment Boards.

Resolution :

12. Discussed the matter in detail. The President, Cantonment Board informed the CEO to write a suitable reply to the Regional Commissioner, Belagavi incorporating the facts of the Case along with the resolution passed on 28-5-2021 in respect of closure of public roads in Belgaum Cantonment. The President, Cantonment Board informed the Board that the Military authorities have opened all

the roads which were temporarily closed due to COVID-19. He also informed the CEO to mention in the letter regarding the efforts taken by the President, Cantonment Board for handing over of Defence land bearing GLR Sy.Nos. 318 & 319 to the Belgaum Smart City Limited for construction of Modern Bus Stand in Fort area. Further, the Cantonment Board is extending all help needed for the development of Belgaum Smart City and other Government Agencies

Further, the Regional Commissioner, Belagavi be informed that the existing varied Board has been formed as prescribed in the Cantonments Act, 2006 and instructions issued by the higher authorities from time to time. Hence, this Board is not illegal and the resolution passed by the Board is legal and valid.

The President, Cantonment Board informed the CEO to arrange a meeting with the MPs and MLA to discuss the issues pertaining to Belgaum Cantonment Board.

Sd/-Chief Executive Officer Cantonment Board, Belgaum (Barchaswa)

Sd/-President Cantonment Board, Belgaum (Brig. Rohit Choudhary, SM)

Dated the 25th June, 2021

OFFICE SUPDT. CANTONMENT BOARD, BELGAUM.