PROCEEDINGS FOR THE SPECIAL BOARD MEETING OF AURANGABAD CANTONMENT BOARD HELD ON 14th FEBRUARY 2025 AT 1130 HOURS IN THE OFFICE OF THE CANTONMENT BOARD AURANGABAD.

MEMBERS PRESENT

- 1. Brig. Virender Singh
- 2. Smt. Akanksha Tiwari
- 3. Shri. Prashant Targe

President -

Member Secretary _

- Nominated Member

1. NOTIFICATION TO RENAME AURANGABAD CANTONMENT AS CHHATRAPATI SAMBHAJINAGAR CANTONMENT.

Reference: - Gazette notification published by the Government of Maharashtra dated. 15th September 2023 vide 2023/ (RNI No. MAHBIL/2009/37831)

The Government of Maharashtra in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (vi) of sub-section (I) of section 4 of the Maharashtra Land Revenue Code, 1966 (Mah. XLI of 1966) after previous publication as required by subsection (4) of the said section 4 and having considered the objections and suggestions thereto, hereby altered the name of the city "Aurangabad" to "Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar".

It is proposed to rename Aurangabad Cantonment as Chatrapati Sambhajinagar Cantonment under sub section (1) of section (3) read with sub section (1) of section 259 of the Cantonments Act, 2006 (41 of 2006).

The copy of the said gazette published by the Revenue and Forest department vide RNI No. MAHBIL/2009/37831 on dated. 15th September 2023 is placed on table for approval of the Board and forward the same to competent authority for their approval.

RESOLUTION:

1. Considered and noted. Board decided to forward the detailed proposal to PDDE, SC, Pune for obtaining necessary approval regarding renaming of Aurangabad Cantonment Board to Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar Cantonment Board under sub section (1) of section (3) read with sub section (1) of section 259 of the Cantonments Act, 2006 (41 of 2006).

Board also decided to forward draft Gazette notification regarding renaming of Aurangabad Cantonment Board to Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar Cantonment board to PDDE, SC, Pune.

2. <u>CREATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF MEMORIAL OF BHARAT</u> <u>RATNA SHRI. BABASAHEB AMBEDKAR IN CANTONMENT AREA</u> <u>AURANGABAD</u>.

To consider the letter received from Hon'ble Dr. Bhagwat Karad, Member of Parliament (Rajya Sabha) and Former Minister of State for Finance, Government of India, dated February 12th, 2025, regarding the creation and development of a memorial for Bharat Ratna Shri Babasaheb Ambedkar at GLR Sy. No. 98 in the Cantonment area of Aurangabad, to be funded by the Central Government through the Cantonment Board of Aurangabad, for public awareness.

As per the General Land Record (GLR) of the Aurangabad Cantonment Board, the land where the memorial is proposed to be developed is located outside the civil area and is classified as Class 'C' land, bearing GLR Sy. No. 98. The land measures 2.300 acres and is described as the Cantonment Executive Officer's Residence (Bungalow No. 10) under the management of the Cantonment Board.

At present at the above mentioned land Cantonment Board office building is standing having a built up area of 5000 sq.ft. approx. Rest of the land is lying vacant. The proposed development of memorial of Bharat Ratna Shri. Babasaheb Ambedkar can be carried out on the remaining vacant land in the premises of GLR Sy. No. 98.

As per section 62 sub section (xvi) of the Cantonments Act, 2006 it is duty of Cantonment Board for maintaining and developing the value of property vested in, or entrusted to, the management of the Board and as per section 64 sub section (xxiv) of the Cantonments Act, 2006 it is discretionary function of Cantonment Board for establishing and maintaining or supporting libraries, museums, art galleries, botanical or zoological collection.

As the proposed memorial of Bharat Ratna Shri. Babasaheb Ambedkar will be developed from the Central Government funds through Cantonment Board Aurangabad it will become an asset of Cantonment Board Aurangabad. It may fetch revenue to Board and one of achievement of Cantonment Board towards social obligations, showcasing contribution of Bharat Ratna Shri. Babasaheb Ambedkar and enlightening spirit in the youth and will be beneficial to the people at Cantonment area as well as Aurangabad city area.

The copy of the GLR extract and other relevant documents are placed on the table. Board to take further course of action in the matter.

RESOLUTION:

1. "Firstly, the Cantonment Board of Aurangabad expressed its heartfelt appreciation to Hon'ble Dr. Bhagwat Karad, Member of Parliament (Rajya Sabha) and Former Minister of State for Finance, Government of India, for his noble and thoughtful initiative.".

2. After a detailed discussion, the Board considered the letter received from Hon'ble Dr. Bhagwat Karad, dated February 12th, 2025, regarding the creation and development of a memorial for Bharat Ratna Shri Babasaheb Ambedkar at GLR Sy. No. 98 in the Cantonment area of Aurangabad, to be funded by the Central Government through the Cantonment Board of Aurangabad for public awareness.

3. The specific location for creation of the proposed memorial will be discussed on ground with respect to visibility, accessibility and offices compound in presence of the representatives of Cantonment Board office and Hon'ble Dr. Bhagwat Karad's team.

4. Cantonment Board being title owner of the land where the development of memorial of Bharat Ratna Shri. Babasaheb Ambedkar is proposed this memorial will become an asset of the Cantonment Board.

5. Further, Board resolved to provide principle No Objection Certificate for development of the above memorial at the aforesaid vacant land at GLR Sy. No. 98 subject to the condition that the ownership of the land remains under the Government of India under the management of Cantonment Board.

6. Chief Executive Officer, Member Secretary is hereby authorized to carry out further necessary action in this regard.

Sd/xx-(Akanksha Tiwari) Chief Executive Officer, Cantonment Board Aurangabad. Sd/xx-(Brig. Virender Singh) President, Cantonment Board Aurangabad.