

MINUTES OF THE 259th MEETING OF NMA

Venue - NMA Conference Room
Time & Date - 20th January, 2020 at 10.00 am

The meeting was attended by the following:

1. Prof. (Dr.) Shri Tarun Vijay, Chairperson, NMA
2. Ashvini Agarwal, Whole Time Member, NMA.
3. Prof. (Dr.) Ajay Khare, Whole Time Member, NMA.
4. Smt. Usha Sharma, Director General, ASI & Ex-officio, NMA
5. Dr. Vinay Kumar Rao, Part Time Member, NMA.
6. Sh. Navneet Soni, Member Secretary, NMA.

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Member Secretary explained the background and requested the Authority to take a view regarding the 258th meeting held on 8th January 2020. After detailed discussion, the Authority was of the view that the 258th meeting of National Monuments Authority was convened and held as per National Monuments Authority(Appointment, Functions and Conduct of Business) Rules, 2011. Therefore, the minutes of the 258th meeting may be circulated to all the members for consideration and approval.

Additional Agenda

(M/s Saradeuz (Pro. Mr. R. Rajkiran, No. 1/673A, Perumbakkam Main Road, Perumabakkam, Chennai- 600 100)

The representation submitted by applicant and the order of Hon'ble Madras High Court was considered. However, construction of GF+2 floors has already been carried out by the applicant without taking prior permission and Show Cause Notice was issued by SA, Chennai circle. Since, there is no provision to regularize unauthorized construction in the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act 2010, it has been unanimously decided to reject the representation and reiterate the earlier decision to reject the application in its 138th meeting held on 27th and 28th June 2016.

