



REPORT
OF
IRRIGATION AND POWER TEAM
ON
RIHAND PROJECT
(Uttar Pradesh)

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My dear Shastriji,

I have pleasure in forwarding to you the Report of the Irrigation & Power Team on the Rihand Project. The Report is the result of close study of all relevant facts and observations of necessary matters. The method followed was to consult the Project Authorities concerned at every step, the dominant thought being to do everything in close cooperation and in a spirit of joint endeavour.

2. Some very pertinent issues have been raised in this Report. They relate to the policy of construction of such dams in masonry versus concrete, departmental versus contract agency, procedures to be adopted in working out depreciation, operation and maintenance and other miscellaneous charges in working out tariffs for electricity, for which there is no uniform practice at present.

3. The Team received fullest cooperation in their studies from the Project Authorities for which our thanks are due to them.

Yours sincerely,

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The comments of the Government of Uttar Pradesh and the Central Water & Power Commission have not been received. The statement will be published separately after receipt of the comments.