

## BMCRI will sell treated water



After setting up an effluent treatment plant (ETP) in its affiliate hospitals, the Bangalore Medical College and Research Institute (BMCRI) plans to sell treated water to builders and private industries. Around 1,000 kilolitres of treated water generated from the plant every day is now being let out into the sanitary network in the absence of dual pipelines that enable its recirculation. The treated water from effluents generated by the Victoria, Minto and Vani Vilas hospitals can be used by builders and private industries for non-potable purposes such as construction, watering gardens and flushing toilets. The ETPs were set up at nine government hospitals.

## Reliance chooses WABAG for Rs. 270 crores ETP

VA Tech Wabag has received industrial effluent treatment plant order from Reliance Industries Limited. Reliance Industries Limited has chosen VA Tech Wabag for construction of a 32.4 MLD effluent treatment plant with recycle facility for their proposed PTA and PET Dahej manufacturing plant, Gujarat and tertiary treatment plant for Reliance Hazira Complex for an order value aggregating to Rs. 270 crores. For the first time in India, the proposed facility will benefit from a combination of advanced technologies from VA Tech Wabag.

## SPML Infra receives order worth Rs. 324.91 crores

SPML Infra Ltd has won two orders worth Rs. 358.27 crores. First order of Rs. 324.91 cr has come from PHED, Ajmer, Rajasthan for Nagaur Lift Project. The scope of work involves construction of cluster water distribution network, pump houses, clear water reservoirs and allied works to be completed in 3 years. SPML will also be responsible for operations & maintenance for 10 years post commissioning.

## J&K plans Rs. 900 crore water supply project for Jammu



The Jammu and Kashmir Government is awaiting a nod for financial assistance from Asian Development Bank (ADB) for a water project in city of Jammu. The first phase, (investment of Rs. 492 crore) will see water being sourced from Chenab River to solve drinking water problems in city. The second phase (investment of Rs. 403 crore) and will see construction of another 225 MLD water treatment plant, pipe lengths and other installations.

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## Droplets Snippets

**German pump company** Flux-Geräte GmbH has extended its distribution network by opening a subsidiary in Pune, India. In addition to Flux products, Flux Pumps India will also sell the products of Flux subsidiary Sondermann Pumpen+Filter GmbH & Co KG and distribute Walter Speck GmbH & Co KG products in India. Flux pumps are used in the chemical and pharmaceutical industry as well as in machine and plant construction, electroplating companies, sewage treatment plants and the food industry.

**The Noida Authority will upgrade** two sewage treatment plants in the city to improve the quality of treated sewage and reduce the amount of pollutants discharged. The plants will shift to the new sequential batch reactor technology, approved by IIT Roorkee. The upgradation of the plants will cost around Rs. 100 crore.

**Tritech Group has won** USD 1.26 million real-time water quality monitoring contract for river Ganges. It will provide a real-time machine-to-machine (M2M) water quality monitoring system to monitor the water pollution levels along India's River Ganges; and supply, install and maintain all equipments for the contract period.

**KEC International, part of the** Goenkas-promoted RPG Group, saw its net profit for June quarter flat at Rs. 33 crore as against the corresponding quarter of previous year even as net sales were up 33 per cent at Rs. 1,364 crore. The company's order book remains at Rs. 9,462 crore.

**Toronto-based RV Anderson Associates Ltd** is looking to bid for more projects in the Indian water and wastewater sector. The JV company will identify, develop and pursue engineering assignments in India funded by Japanese International Cooperation Agency (JICA) in water and wastewater sector. The company has recently formed a joint venture with Mumbai-based PHE Consultants and of Original Engineering Consultants of Japan, to undertake infrastructure projects in India.

**Water & wastewater treatment** company Aqwise has raised USD 4.5 million in a financing round led by Triveni Engineering & Industries. Triveni is a publicly traded industrial group based in India, with a growing water division focused on high-end technology projects.

**Himachal Pradesh is set to** cover entire state under drinking water supply scheme. Ninety per cent of habitations in the state have been brought under the piped drinking water supply scheme which is highest in the country.