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(भारत सरकार का उद्यम)
POWER GRID CORPORATION OF INDIA LIMITED
(A Government of India Enterprise)



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Ref: CP/RTI /2014/73

Date: 20th August, 2014

Shri A.K. Bajaj
CEO Transmission,
A2Z Maintenance & Engineering Service Limited,
116, First Floor, Shopping mall, Arjun Marg,
DLF City, Phase – I, Gurgaon-122002, (Haryana)

Sub: **Information under Right to Information Act, 2005.**

Dear Mr. Bajaj,


This has reference to your letter dated 9th July, 2014 for providing information under RTI Act, 2005.

The information sought is attached at **Annex-A**.

Details of Appellate Authority, as per the provisions of RTI Act, 2005 is as under

Shri B. Mishra
Executive Director (CP & IT) & Appellate Authority, Corporate Centre
Power Grid Corporation of India Limited
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Gurgaon – 122007, Haryana

Thanking You,

भवदीय,

(सुधीर मिस्तल) 20.8.14

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Information sought by Shri A.K. Bajaj under RTI Act, 2005.

Information sought is given below:

- 1) *Copy of evaluation report along with all annexures against tender No. TW-1729 and TW-1730 World Bank funded tender for Bhiwani-Jaipur 765kV Transmission Line and tender/award No. CC-CS/232-NR2/TW-2142/3/G3 and CC-CS/232-NR2/TW-2144/3/G3 dated 07/11/2013 for Bhiwani-Jaipur Line awarded in domestic funded.*

The evaluation report contains bid details/credentials of third parties. Therefore, the disclosure of bid details/credentials of any third party may harm the competitive position of the concerned party and therefore the same cannot be provided without the consent of parties concerned, which is being sought.

- 2) *Reason for conversion from World Bank approved funding to Domestic funding. Whether the approved funding was refused by World Bank or the approved funding was refused by PGCIL.*

On furnishing of Bid Evaluation Report to the World Bank for its concurrence to the Award Recommendations of the subject packages, the Bank stated that the best course of action would be for POWERGRID to finance these packages out of its domestic funds.

- 3) *Pl. also intimate how much additional revenue has been invested by PGCIL by converting the World Bank funded package to Domestic Funded Package (Bhiwani-Jaipur where A2Z was L1) i.e. difference of L1 bidder in World Bank funding and award price of KEC after conversion into Domestic Funded for both the packages*

After conversion of the funding of subject packages from the World Bank to Domestic funding, additional packages were included under the World Bank funding to utilize the Loan.

In regard to difference in L1 bidder's price under the World Bank funding and under the Domestic funding, since the packages under the World Bank funding had been annulled, the prices under the said annulled packages have no relevance.

- 4) *PGCIL is also requested to intimate whether PGCIL has taken approval of PGCIL Board for converting World Bank funded Package to Domestic Funding Package. If already approved by PGCIL Board, a copy of Board resolution may pl. be forwarded to us.*

POWERGRID has taken approval of the Board of POWERGRID. The copy of the Board Resolution after applying severability clause of RTI Act, 2005 is attached at **Annex-I**.

- 5) *PGCIL is also requested to intimate whether PGCIL has intimated to Board of Directors at the time of approval of Bhiwani-Jaipur Line in Domestic Funding after converting from Funded Package to Domestic Funded Package and the loss of revenue to PGCIL/Government of India by not awarding the Package to A2Z during World Bank Funded Package.*

Refer point no. (iv) above. Further, as brought-out at point (iii) above, on conversion of the funding of subject packages from the World Bank to Domestic funding, the fund allocated for these packages under the World Bank funding was utilized in procurement of other packages of POWERGRID. Hence, the benefits under the World Bank funding were duly availed and therefore the issue of loss of revenue to POWERGRID/Govt. of India due to conversion of the funding of subject packages, does not arise.

POWER GRID CORPORATION OF INDIA LIMITED

Extracts from the minutes of the 284th meeting of POWERGRID Board of Directors held on Friday, 8th March, 2013 at 2.30 p.m. at POWERGRID Board Room, 4th Floor, B-9, Qutab Institutional Area, Katwaria Sarai, New Delhi – 110 016.

Item No.284.2.5:- (Para Nos.284.2.5.1. to 284.2.5.3.)

Tower Package-P232-TW01 for 765 kV S/C Jaipur (RVPN) – Bhiwani T/L (Part-I) (150kms); and Tower Package-P232-TW02 for (i) 765 kV S/C Jaipur (RVPN) – Bhiwani T/L (Part-II) (105kms), (ii) 400kV D/C Bhiwani (PG)-Hissar T/L (55 kms), (iii) LILO of 400kV D/C Moga – Bhiwadi T/L at Hissar (2 kms):-

Spec. Nos.: Package P232-TW01:CC-CS/232-NR2/TW-1729/1/G3
Package P232-TW02:CC-CS/232-NR2/TW-1730/1/G3

284.2.5.3. After deliberations, the Board agreed with recommendation for annulment of the bidding process for the subject Packages under World Bank Funding and to invite the fresh bids under domestic funding with revised Cost Estimates and Qualification Requirements on Domestic Competitive Bidding. The Board passed the following resolution:

“Resolved that the bidding process for the subject Tower Package-P232-TW01 for 765 kV S/C Jaipur (RVPN) – Bhiwani T/L (Part-I) (150kms) and Tower Package-P232-TW02 for (i) 765 kV S/C Jaipur (RVPN) – Bhiwani T/L (Part-II) (105kms), (ii) 400kV D/C Bhiwani (PG)-Hissar T/L (55 kms.), (iii) LILO of 400kV D/C Moga – Bhiwadi T/L at Hissar (2 kms.) under the World Bank funding be annulled and

fresh bids be invited under domestic funding as per Memorandum submitted to the Board."

For kind information please.