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BY SPEED POST

Dear Sir,

## Sub: Our 1st Appeal under RTI Act, 2005

(1) I am enclosing a copy of letter No. CP/RTI/2015/287 dt. 09.05.2016 received from Sri Satish Kumar J. তা महाप्रबंधक (आ.के.) एवं के. लो. सू. अधिकारी and (ii) a copy of its Annexures- A, which is my application as well as the reply of CPIO. Some informations have been sought regarding M/s Hi-Tech Conductors and some information sought are of general nature.

Being dissatisfied with this reply of CPIO, I am filing the 1<sup>st</sup> appeal before your goodself and request you to kindly order that the following informations should also kindly be supplied to me by CPIO.

(2) In para (C) of my application I had applied for informations regarding empanelment of units. The CPIO has replied that as <u>bidding</u> process is under progress, these informations may be supplied only after <u>bidding</u> process is over.

First round of <u>empanelment</u> of units manufacturing ACSR Conductors etc. is over. I have not asked any information regarding bidding. Hence, the reply of CPIO is evasive and diversionary. Para (C) of my application was as below:-

"(C) Please also let me know name, address, phone and fax No. and e-mail ID of all the parties who have been considered for empanelment and the marks, each one of them had obtained."

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- (3) In my para (E) I had sought following informations, which information has been denied by CPIO and he has directed me to seek these informations from issuing authority:-
- "(E) Please send me a copy of Ministry of Power Notification No. 44/30/2015-RE dt. 14.08.2015 and all other notification/directors/circulars etc. issued by Ministry of Power regarding empanelment of suppliers for conductors and received by Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd.".

Every notification/directors/circulars are available (i) at sources i.e. from issuer and these are also available with (ii) receiving authority. All these notification /directors/circulars etc., including notification No. 44/30/2015-RE dt. 14.08.2015 are available in office of the PGCIL.

Whether I will seek these informations from issuing authority or not is my look out. But as these informations are available with PGCIL, CPIO of PGCIL is duty bound to supply me all these informations. PGCIL cannot derelict from this duty.

I request that CPIO should be directed to send me copy of all notifications/directors/circulars including Notification dt. 14.08.2015 issued by Ministry of Power.

## I request that personal hearing should also be given to me before your goodself decides my this appeal.

I am submitting the 1st Appeal to your goodself and request you to kindly direct CPIO to supply me required informations under RTI Act urgently.

Kindly also give designation and full address of 2<sup>nd</sup> Appellate Authority, so that I may file appeal, (i) if I am not satisfied with decision of your goodself in 1st Appeal or (ii) if appellate order is not received within 30 days, I may file 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal.

If I am to do anything more or to supply any paper or any fee, kindly let me know. If I am to file this appeal before some other Officer, my this appeal may kindly be forwarded to him, under advice to me.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

(Sanjay Dalmia)