



पावर ग्रिड कोर्पोरेशन ऑफ इंडिया लिमिटेड

Power Grid Corporation of India Limited

सूचना का अधिकार अभिनियम 2005 के अंतर्गत केन्द्रीय लोक सूचना अधिकारी
Central Public Information Officer under the RTI Act, 2005
केन्द्रीय कार्यालय, 'सौदामिनी', प्लॉट नं.2, सैक्टर-29, गुडगांव, हरियाणा-122007
Corporate Centre, 'Saudamini', Plot No. 2, Sector-29, Gurgaon, Haryana-
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CP/RTI/2016/317

Date: 26th May, 2016

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Sub: **Information under Right to Information Act, 2005 (Application No. 317 dated 06.03.2016.)**

Dear Mr. Agarwal,

This has reference to your online RTI request dated 6th March, 2016, seeking information under RTI Act, 2005.

The information sought is attached at **Annex-I**. Since, the compilation of the information took some time and therefore information sought couldn't be provided within 30 days of period. The delay was unintentional and inconvenience caused is regretted, please.

First Appeal, if any, against the reply of CPIO may be made to the first appellate Authority within 30 days of the receipt of the reply of CPIO. Details of Appellate Authority at Corporate Centre, Gurgaon, under RTI Act, 2005 is as below:

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Thanking you,

भवदीय,

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26/5/16

(सतीश कुमार जे.)

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Point wise reply of the queries pertaining to Corporate Contract Services Department is given below:

Query:

Why tenders of Powergrid under domestic funding does not have Make In India advantage during commercial evaluation. While evaluation of tenders PGCIL should give preference to manufacturers who are offering more localized products over Chinese/Korean/European/Overseas manufacturers. It is against Make in India vision of prime minister and it does not give push to local manufacturing. Please respond and kindly inform who is decision making authority in this.

Reply:

POWERGRID being a public sector company conducts its business in compliance with the Govt. of India guidelines/Policies.

In case of Multilateral Funding, POWERGRID is bound by the procurement guidelines of the Funding agency and terms of the Loan Agreement and mostly International Competitive Bidding is resorted to in these cases. Also in Multilateral funding domestic preference is given to Indian bidders manufactured products with a certain percentage of value addition done in India.

Under Domestic Funding, for procurement for which adequate competition and required technology is available in India, POWERGRID prefers Domestic Competitive Bidding, wherein only domestic suppliers/manufacturers are allowed to bid. For procurement for which either there is not enough suppliers/manufacturers available in India so as to get competitive prices or where technology for such product is not available in India, POWERGRID undertakes Global Competitive Bidding.

It may be pertinent to add here that, in line with 'Make in India' Policy of Government of India, POWERGRID for many of the packages under Global Competitive bidding stipulates establishment of manufacturing facility in India by Foreign manufacturers and supply of a certain minimum quantity from these manufacturing facilities in India. Also, relaxed qualifying requirements are stipulated in many packages for Indian Manufacturers/Suppliers w.r.t a foreign manufacturer, but with a provision of extended warranty for the equipments. Further, in many packages, Indian manufacturer who does not normally meet the qualification requirement as specified for foreign bidder is given option to bid with the technological support from its parent company (Principals) or collaborator(s) or subsidiary company.

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