



**पावरग्रिड**  
**POWERGRID**

**पावर ग्रिड कॉर्पोरेशन ऑफ इंडिया लिमिटेड**

(भारत सरकार का उद्यम)

**POWER GRID CORPORATION OF INDIA LIMITED**

(A Government of India Enterprise)

**Registered Post with Acknowledgement Due**

Ref: SR-II: RTI:F-1118:2020/ 24 32

Date: 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2020

To

Smt. S.Rachana, Advocate  
"Arunodaya Nilaya"  
B.L.Gowda Nagar,  
Hiriyur Taluk, CHITRADURGA – 577599.  
**KARNATAKA**

Madam,

**Sub: Information sought under RTI Act, 2005 – reg.**

This has reference to your application dated 23/07/2020 under RTI Act, 2005 received at this office on 28/07/2020. The query wise information sought in the application is furnished below:

1. POWERGRID has only "USER RIGHT" and 'No acquisition of land' is involved in the process of construction of transmission line/tower which comes under The Electricity Act, 2003 and Indian Telegraph Act, 1885.
2. Electric line installed in September, 2018.
- 3&7. Tower is not installed in Sy.No.185 of Metikurke Village. An amount of Rs.2,22,500/- for corridor and Rs.96,600/- for crop compensation paid.
4. Contract awarded to M/s.KRRTPPL, Hyderabad for laying of Transmission Line.
5. Prior Approval of Government U/S 68(1) of Electricity Act, 2003 vide Ref.No.52/11(PGCIL)/2015-PSPA-II/142-143 dated 23/02/2016 (copy enclosed as Annexure-I)
6. Contract awarded to M/s.KRRTPPL, Hyderabad for laying of Transmission Line vide LOA Ref.No.CC-CS/701-SR2/TW-3333/3/G6/NOA-I & NOA-II/5806 & 5807 dated 22/07/2016.

As per section 19 of the Right to Information Act 2005, if required, you may file an appeal to the First Appellate Authority of the organisation within 30 days of the issue of this order. The address of the First Appellate Authority is given below:

Shri S.Ravi, Executive Director (SRTS-II)  
Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd.,  
Singanayakanahalli, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore 560 064.  
e-mail : [sr2edo@powergrid.co.in](mailto:sr2edo@powergrid.co.in) Tel.No.: 080-23093701

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

(V.RAJESH)

Sr.General Manager & CPIO

e-mail id: [sr2cpio@powergrid.co.in](mailto:sr2cpio@powergrid.co.in)

Tel.No.: 080-23093711

Encl.: As above

Copy to: Appellate Authority, POWERGRID, SRTS-II, Bangalore - for kind information

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Southern Region Transmission System - II RHQ., Near RTO Driving Test Track, Singanayakanahalli, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru - 560 064. Phone : 080-23093700

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Central Electricity Authority



विद्युत प्रणाली योजना एवं परियोजना मूल्यांकन प्रभाग-II [ISO: 9001:2008]

Power System Planning & Appraisal -II Division  
सेवा भवन, रा. कृ. पुरम, नयी दिल्ली - 110066  
Sewa Bhawan, R. K. Puram, New Delhi-110066

No. 52/11(PGCIL)/2015-PSPA-II/142-143

Dated: 23.02.2016

To

Chairman & Managing Director,  
Powergrid Corporation of India Ltd.,  
Plot No.2, Sector-29, Near IFFCO Chowk,  
Gurgaon-122001

**Subject:** Prior approval of the government under section 68(1) of EA, 2003 for

- "Transmission System for Ultra Mega Solar Park at Tumkur, Karnataka - Phase-I"
- "Transmission System for Ultra Mega Solar Park at Tumkur, Karnataka - Phase-II" - regarding.

**Reference:** PGCIL's letter no. C/C.P./MoP/Solar Park- Tumkur dated 11<sup>th</sup> January, 2016.

Sir,

1. This has reference to POWERGRID's letter no. dated 11<sup>th</sup> January, 2016 seeking prior approval of Government under Section 68(1) of Electricity Act, 2003 for their schemes

- "Transmission System for Ultra Mega Solar Park at Tumkur, Karnataka - Phase-I"
- "Transmission System for Ultra Mega Solar Park at Tumkur, Karnataka - Phase-II" - with following scope of works:

**A. Transmission System for Ultra Mega Solar Park at Tumkur, Karnataka - Phase-I**

- LILO of 400kV Gooty - Madhugiri D/c at Tumkur (Pavagada) Pooling station
- LILO of 400kV Bellary Pool - Madhugiri D/c (Quad) (both circuits) [KPTCL line] at Tumkur Pooling station
- Tumkur Pooling station - Hiriyr 400 kV D/c
- 3x500 MVA, 400/220KV Pooling station at Tumkur
- 1x125MVA bus reactor at 400/220KV Tumkur Pooling station
- 220kV Bays(8 Nos) at Tumkur PS for solar interconnection.

**B. Transmission System for Ultra Mega Solar Park at Tumkur, Karnataka –Phase-II**

- (i) Hiriya – Mysore 400 kV D/c line
- (ii) Tumkur Pooling station- Devanahally (KPTCL) 400kV D/c (Quad)
- (iii) Augmentation of 2x500 MVA, 400/220KV transformer at Tumkur Pooling station
- (iv) Third 400/220 kV, 1x500 MVA transformer at Madhugiri (new)
- (v) 1x125MVAR bus reactor (2nd) at Tumkur Pooling Station
- (vi) 1x80 MVAR switchable Line reactor at Mysore end of Hiriya- Mysore D/c line
- (vii) 220kV Bays (8 nos.) at Tumkur PS for Solar Interconnection.

2. The above schemes and the scope of works were discussed in the 39<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Standing Committee on Power System Planning of Southern Region held on 28<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> December, 2015 in NRPC Committee room, Karwaria Sarai, New Delhi. However, in the same meeting the name of Madhugiri 765/400kV substation inter alia under the scope of SRSS-XII was agreed to be changed to Tumkur (Vasantnarsapur) 765/400kV substation in Tumkur taluk.

3. Considering above, CEA conveys the prior approval of Government under Section 68(1) of Electricity Act, 2003 to PGCIL for the schemes

- a) **Transmission System for Ultra Mega Solar Park at Tumkur, Karnataka – Phase-I**
- b) **Transmission System for Ultra Mega Solar Park at Tumkur, Karnataka – Phase-II** - with following scope of works:

**A. Transmission System for Ultra Mega Solar Park at Tumkur, Karnataka – Phase-I**


- (i) LILO of 400kV Gooty – Tumkur (Vasantnarsapur) D/c at Tumkur (Pavagada) Pooling station
- (ii) Tumkur (Pavagada) Pooling station - Hiriya 400 kV D/c (as part of Tumkur (Pavagada) Pooling station - Mysore line)
- (iii) LILO of 400kV Bellary Pool – Tumkur (Vasantnarsapur) D/c (Quad)(both circuits)[KPTCL line] at Tumkur (Pavagada) Pooling station
- (iv) 3x500 MVA, 400/220KV Pooling station at Tumkur(Pavagada)
- (v) 1x125MVAR bus reactor at 400/220KV Tumkur (Pavagada) Pooling station
- (vi) 220kV Bays(8 Nos) at Tumkur (Pavagada) PS for interconnection with solar project

**B. Transmission System for Ultra Mega Solar Park at Tumkur, Karnataka – Phase-II**

- (i) Hiriyur – Mysore 400 kV D/c line
- (ii) Tumkur (Pavagada) Pooling station- Devanahally (KPTCL) 400kV D/c (Quad)
- (iii) Augmentation of 2x500 MVA, 400/220KV transformer at Tumkur (Pavagada) Pooling station
- (iv) 1x125MVAR bus reactor (2nd) at Tumkur (Pavagada) Pooling Station
- (v) Third 400/220 kV, 1x500 MVA transformer at Tumkur (Vasantnarsapur)
- (vi) 1x80 MVAR switchable Line reactor at Mysore end of Hiriyur- Mysore D/c for each circuit.
- (vii) 8 nos. 220kV line Bays at 400/220kV Tumkur (Pavagada) PS for Solar Interconnection

5. This approval is subject to compliance of:
- (a) The requirement of the relevant provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003, as amended from time to time and the rules and regulations framed there under, and
  - (b) CEA's (Measures relating to Safety and Electrical Supply) Regulations, 2010 framed under the Electricity Act, 2003.
6. The approval is also subject to the following conditions:
- i) The implementing agency will commence construction of the project within three years, unless this term is extended by the Central Electricity Authority.
  - ii) Central Electricity Authority may withdraw the approval before the expiry of the period of three years after giving a one month notice.
  - iii) The implementing agencies shall abide by the provisions of Works of Licensee Rules, 2006 notified by the Govt. of India, Ministry of Power in the Gazette of India, extra-ordinary Part-II, Section 3(i) dated 18-04-2006 (vide GSR 217 (E) dated 18-04-2006). **Provided that "nothing contained in this rule shall effect the powers conferred upon the licensee under section 164 of the Electricity Act, 2003"**

Yours faithfully

  
(P. D. Siwal)  
Secretary, CEA

Copy (for information):

Joint Secretary (Trans), Ministry of Power, Shram Shakti Bhawan, New Delhi- 110001.