

सेंट्रल ट्रांसमिशन यूटिलिटी ऑफ इंडिया लिमिटेड

(पावर ग्रिड कारपोरेशन ऑफ इण्डिया लिमिटेड के स्वामित्व में)

(भारत सरकार का उद्यम)

CENTRAL TRANSMISSION UTILITY OF INDIA LTD.

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Ref: CTU/RTI/

Date: 06.02.2024

To
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Registration Number: PGCIL/R/E/24/00042/1

Dear Sir/Madam

I am to refer to your Request for Information under RTI Act 2005, received vide letter dated 22/01/2024 for which reply is furnished as under::

| Particulars of RTI | Reply |
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| Particulars of information required | |
| 1. Kindly furnish the officially sanctioned details regarding the per megawatt fees associated with securing connectivity to PGCIL power stations (CTU/ISTS) for solar and wind power plants. | 1. As per Regulation 3.2 of CERC (Connectivity and General Network Access to the inter-State Transmission System) Regulations 2022, "Each application for grant of Connectivity shall be accompanied by an application fee of Rs.5 lakh along with applicable taxes." |
| 2. Please supply the certified documentation listing the companies that have submitted applications for connecting their solar and wind power plants to the PGCIL power station at Bhadla II (Tehsil Bap, Dist. Phalodi, Rajasthan). Include the application forms and accompanying documents, specifying the applied capacities. | 2. In the Connectivity application form, there is provision of details of nearest substation (in case information is available). However, the details of nearest substation mentioned in application form is indicative in nature and Connectivity is granted at a particular substation based on system studies considering proximity of location, availability of margin, bays etc. after deliberations in the meeting with all stakeholders. Further, the list of applicants granted Connectivity including the sub-station at which Connectivity has been granted is available on CTU website |

at www.ctuil.in >> Open Access >> Status of Applications >> List of Applications granted Connectivity/GNA as per GNA Regulations. The list is updated upto Dec' 2023 and separate lists have been provided for:

- a. Deemed GNA to injecting entities who were granted Connectivity under GNA Regulations and the same was made effective.
- b. Others (Connectivity granted under GNA Regulations (Transition)) to entities who choose to transition their Connectivity granted under Connectivity Regulations to Connectivity under GNA Regulations.
- c. Connectivity fresh- Connectivity granted under GNA Regulations against fresh applications received under GNA Regulations

Further, regarding application forms and accompanying documents, it may be noted that the application is submitted as per CERC Regulations which includes a wide variety of Commercial confidential information about the applicant's business/project and is further accompanied by copy of Letter of Award/ Bank Guarantee/ Board Resolution/ Land Records, etc which are documents of commercial confidence and may affect the competitive position of the applicant. In this regard, copies of such documents may not be shared under the RTI application as exempted under Clause 8(1)(d) of the RTI Act, 2005.

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| 3. Furthermore, provide information on the charges levied per megawatt for transmission connectivity from the State transmission unit for linking with PGCILGSS. | 3. Under CERC (Connectivity & GNA to the ISTS) Regulations 2022, STU is not required to apply for Connectivity to ISTS (PGCIL GSS). |
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In case, you want to go for an appeal in connection with the information provided, you may appeal to the Appellate Authority indicated below within *thirty days* from the date of receipt of this letter.

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Yours faithfully

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