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Ref: SR-II/RTI/F-223/2014

Dt: 04.03.14

To

Shri Mohan Bangar.N,

Advocate,

C/o Jayaparakash, No.8, 2nd Floor,

8th Main Road,

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Bangalore-560027

Sub: Information under RTI Act 2005-reg:

Sir,

This has reference to your application under RTI Act 2005 received on 04.02.14.Reply to your application is furnished herewith as Annexure

Thanking You

Yours faithfully,

(Sunil K. Thomas)

DGM &CPIO

Copy to-ED/SRTS- II, Appellate Authority, POWERGRID, SR-II--, for kind information please

## **Annexure**

Point wise reply to RTI Query by Shri Mohan Bangar pertaining to details of Dharmapuri-Somanahally  $400~\rm kV~D/C$  transmission line under construction by POWERGRID

SI	Query	Reply by POWERGRID
No	5.88	
1.	Approval Plan	
(a)	Sketch	TOPO maps released by Survey of India only are being used for route alignment purpose by POWERGRID. As Survey of India prohibits reproduction of such maps, we are not in a position to issue copy of the approved route alignment sketch. However applicant may visit Dharmapuri CAO (Construction Area Office) and may see the Topo sketch cum techno-feasible route alignment report pertaining to Dharmapuri(New Salem)-Somanahalli 400 kV Quad D/C line with prior appointment. Address of Dharmapuri CAO is furnished below. Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd, Dharmapuri CAO, 5/1706 C, Perumal Gounder Street, Elakiampatti, Collectorate Post, Dharmapuri-636705 Telephone No.04342-234433/230561
(b)	Government Notification	Copy of Section 68 Notification by Govt. of India is enclosed here with.
2	<b>Techno Feasible Report</b>	Reply same as for 1(a) mentioned above

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Government of India

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Ministry of Power

Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi - 110001 Telefax No. 23730264

To

CMD **PGCIL** Gurgaon.

Prior Approval of the Government under Section 68 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for System Strengthening in Southern Region-XIV.

Sir.

I am directed to refer to PGCIL's letter No. C/CP/SR-XIV dated 21.5.2010 on the above subject and to convey the prior approval of the Central Government under subsection (1) of Section 66 of the Electricity Act, 2003 to the following scope of work:

a) Salem (New )-Somanahalli 400 kV Quad D/C line;

b) Augmentation of 1x315 MVA 400/220 kV transformers at Hosur.

The 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) the rules governing the overhead lines as specified in the Indian Electricity Rules, 1956 till they are substituted by corresponding rules framed under the Electricity Act. 2003.

This approval is also subject to the following conditions;

1. . The implementing agency will commence construction of the project within 3 years, unless this term is extended by the Ministry of Power. 2.

Ministry of Power may withdraw the approval before the expiry of the period of 3 years after giving a one-month notice.

Yours faithfully,

(K.V. Gopala Rao) Under Secretary to the Govt, of India