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भारत सरकार का उद्यम

POWER GRID CORPORATION OF INDIA LIMITED

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(A Government of India Enterprise)

दक्षिणी क्षेत्र पारेषण प्रणाली - II मुख्यालय, आर.टी.ओ. ड्राइविंग टेस्ट ट्रैक के पास, सिंहनायकनहल्ली, येलहंका होब्ली, बेंगलूरु - 560 064.

Southern Region Transmission System - II HQ., Near RTO Driving Test Track, Singanayakanahalli Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore - 560 064.

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'Ref: SR-II/RTI/F-282/2014 /0-35168

Dt: 24.11.2014

To

Shri Shivkumar Narayanan State Business Development Manager-Tamilnadu, Reliance Industries Limited, No.89-90, Dr.Radhakrishnan Salai, 6th Floor, Reliance Retail Building, Mylapore, Chennai - 600004.

Sub: Appeal made before Appellate Authority under RTI Act, 2005

Dear Sh Shivkumar Narayanan,

This has reference to your appeal dt 18.10.2014 made before Appellate Authority under RTI Act 2005, against the reply furnished by CPIO on your application dt 18.09.2014.

On receipt of the appeal, comments/opinion of the CPIO, SRTS-II and the concerned departments were heard and relevant papers were perused.

In your appeal dt 18.10.2014, you have sought copies of initial approval and approval for every subsequent change made in the route of 765 kV Tuticorin – Dharmapuri (New Salem) Transmission Line. The approved route alignment map of the transmission line is prepared on Survey of India G.T Maps and construction work has been taken up along the above approved route. As Survey of India prohibits reproduction of their maps, CPIO had rightly asked you to visit POWERGRID's Erode TL office and inspect route alignment map available there. Accordingly, your representative visited Erode Office and had noted relevant details after inspecting the route map. In case any further clarification is to be noted from the route alignment map, you may again visit our Erode office and check the relevant documents.

During the course of construction of above transmission line, wherever minor modifications were necessitated in tower spotting/line routing due to any technical/statutory requirements, local level approval had been obtained and work proceeded with. All such minor changes will be incorporated

पंजीकृत कार्यालय : बी-9, कुतब इंस्टीट्यूशनल एरिया, कटवारिया सराय, नई दिल्ली - 110 016. दूरभाष : 011-26560112, फैक्स : 011-26601081 Registered Office : B-9, Qutab Institutional Area. Katwaria Sarai. New Delhi - 110 016. Phone : 011-26560112 Fax : 011-26601081 Grams : NATGRID in the revised route alignment drawing and comprehensive approval taken from the Competent Authority on completion of the entire line, which is not taken in present case as the entire work is yet to be completed. Copies of local level approvals wherever minor deviations were taken is enclosed at Annexure-I. However in a location at Ettikuttaimedu in Koranampatti Village under Edappadi Taluk, route alignment is yet to be frozen as the same is under the consideration of Hon'ble High Court of Madras.

With reference to your appeal regarding requirement of copies of all requests for relocation of tower locations, few requests which have been received in our offices and left out while furnishing reply by CPIO is enclosed at Annexure-II.

On your appeal seeking copies of the complaints received against the officials of Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. and details of action taken, it is to inform that, complaints received against the officials cannot be disclosed under Section 8(1)(h) of RTI Act, 2005 as this would impede the process of investigation as explained in Central Information Commissioner Order No CIC/BS/A/2013/000926/5189 dated 26th May ,2014.

Since application fee is not required in case of preferring an appeal before the Appellate Authority, IPO of Rs 100 submitted along with the appeal is being returned to the Appellant.

Thanking You,

Yours faithfully,

(N.Ravikumar)

Executive Director, SRTS-II & Appellate Authority