

## 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-1095:225:20-21/2380

Date: 13th July, 2020

To

Shri Sivasubramanian, 1/124, Vengamedu, Servakaran Palayam, Vellakovil - 638 111, Tamil Nadu.

Sir,

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

This has reference to your online application vide Ref.No.PGCIL/R/E/20/0025 dated 19/06/2020 under RTI Act, 2005. The information sought in the application is furnished in the enclosed Annexure-I.

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

Tel.No.: 080-23093701

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Sr.General Manager & CPIO

e-mail id: <a href="mailto:sr2cpio@powergrid.co.in">sr2cpio@powergrid.co.in</a>

Tel.No.: 080-23093711

Encl.: As above

Copy to: ED(SRTS-II), Appellate Authority, POWERGRID, SRTS-II, Bangalore - for kind information.

## RTI Ref.No.:PGCIL/R/E/20/00225 (1095)

- 1 & 2. POWERGRID has only USER RIGHT and no acquisition of land is involved in laying of its transmission line or tower, as provided under the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885. Prior consent or prior permission is not stipulated in the Electricity Act, 2003 or in Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 and the same has been upheld by various Hight Courts and Supreme Court of India.
- 3. Compensation are being paid for the damages caused to the standing crops/ trees during the construction activity as per the assessment of the concerned department of State government officials of Horticulture/Agriculture/Forest). The Land compensation towards tower base area and RoW corridor shall be paid as per the orders of the District Collector concerned in reference to the TN GO Ms.no.86 dt 30.10.2019.
- 4 The size of tower base area varies depends on type of tower adopted as per the technical requirement. Based on the same, compensation will be paid.
- 5 Compensation payments are being paid for the damages caused to the standing crop/tree during construction activity viz. foundation, Tower erection, Stringing activity.
- 6 The compensation amount are being released / will be released through online Payment directly to the bank account of the concerned land owners.
- 7 Compensation are being paid for the damages caused to the standing crops/ trees during the construction activity as per the assessment of the concerned department of State government officials of Horticulture/Agriculture/Forest. The Land compensation towards tower base area and RoW corridor shall be paid as per the orders of the District Collector concerned in reference to the TN GO Ms.no.86 dt 30.10.2019.
- 8 Required information's are provided.