



KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD Ltd

(Incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956)

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ABSTRACT

Payment of NPV and CA charges for the diversion of 0.7945Ha of forest land for drawing 220kV DC line for the power evacuation of Thottiyar HEP - Remittance of Rs.59,97,855/- to Forest Department - Ratified - Orders issued

CORPORATE OFFICE (SBU-T)

BO (FTD)No.889/2022(DIRTSO-AE6/2022/2318)

Thiruvananthapuram, Dated: 10.11.2022

- Read: 1. Letter No. 4-KLB1315/2021-BAN/662 dated 02.09.2022 of MoEF&CC
2. Letter No.M7-3477/2019 dated 18.10.2022 of the Divisional Forest Officer, Munnar
3. Letter No. TCTPA/AE1/Thottiyar/22-23/1050 dated 19.10.2022 of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Transmission Circle, Thodupuzha
4. Note No. DIRTSO-AE6/2022/2318(2)/1171/26.10.2022 of the Director (T,SO,P&S) to the Full Time Directors (Agenda Item No. 14/11/22)

ORDER

In-principle approval / Stage-1 clearance under section '2' of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 has been granted by Government of India as per the letter read as 1st above for the diversion of 0.7945 Ha of forest land for the construction of 400m 220kV DC line for power evacuation from Thottiyar HEP. As per the conditions stipulated by MoEF&CC for Stage-1 clearance, KSEBL has to remit the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land to be diverted for the project and the charges for Compensatory Afforestation (CA) of the non-forest land to mutated in favour of Forest Department.

The Deputy Chief Engineer, Transmission Circle, Thodupuzha as per the letter read as 3rd above has reported that the Divisional Forest Officer (DFO), Munnar has issued a demand note for an amount of Rs.59,97,855/- towards the above charges, and requested sanction for remitting the amount to the Forest Department.

Due to the urgency in remitting the amount so as to obtain permission from Forest Department to start the line construction works, the Director (T,SO,P&S) accorded sanction to the Deputy Chief Engineer for remitting the amount to Forest Department, subject to ratification by Full Time Directors.

The matter was placed before the Full Time Directors as per note read as 4th above.

Having considered the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors in the meeting held on 04.11.2022, resolved to ratify the action of the Director (Transmission, System Operation, Planning & safety) in having accorded sanction to the Deputy Chief Engineer, Transmission Circle, Thodupuzha for remitting the amount of Rs.59,97,855/- to Forest Department towards net present value and charges for compensatory afforestation for

diversion of 0.7945 Ha of forest land.

Orders are issued accordingly.

**By Order of the
Full Time Directors**

Sd/-
LEKHA G
Company Secretary

To:
The Chief Engineer (Transmission South)

Copy to: The Financial Adviser / Chief Internal Auditor/ Company Secretary
The Deputy Chief Engineer, Transmission Circle, Thodupuzha
The TA to CMD/ D(T,SO,P&S)/ D(D,SCM&IT)/ D(GE)/ D(GC)/ D(REES,S,N,S&W)
The PA to Director (Finance &HRM)
Stock File

Forwarded / By Order

[Signature]
Assistant Engineer