

## KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD Ltd

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## **ABSTRACT**

Additional fibre leased to M/s KCCL in the Areakode-Kanhirode optic fibre link - Extension of agreement period - Sanctioned - Orders issued

## CORPORATE OFFICE(SBU-T)

BO (FTD)No.605/2022(D(T&SO)/T4/SO/ Addn Fibre lease- Thiruvananthapuram,Dated: 14.07.2022 KCCL/2020-21)

Read: 1. Letter dated 08.07.2021 of the Managing Director, KCCL to the CMD, KSEBL.

- 2. B.O. (FTD) No. 547/2021/D(T &SO)/T 4/SO/Addn Fibre lease-KCCL/2020-21 dated 15.07.2021.
- 3. B.O. (FTD) No. 382/2022 (D(T &SO)/T 4/SO/Optic Fibre Leasing/2019-20) dated 06.05.2022.
- 4. Letter No. CESO/Tech/T NMS/T NMS-1/KCCL/2022-23/513 dated 30.05.2022 of the Chief Engineer (TSO).
- 5. Note No. D (T&SO)/T4/SO/Addn Fibre lease-KCCL/2020-21 dated 25.06.2022 of the Director (T&SO) to the Full Time Directors (Agenda Item No. 81/6/22).

## **ORDER**

M/s Kerala Communicators Cable Ltd (KCCL), as per letter read as 1<sup>st</sup> above, had requested to lease out a single dark fibre in the Areakode-Kanjirode optic fibre link on a temporary basis for a period of 6 months, to provide FTTH (Fibre to The Home) connections to identified locations in Kannur and Kasaragod districts, for making online education accessible to students in rural and urban areas. Considering the need to provide unhindered connectivity for facilitating online education, approval was given by the Director (T&SO) to the Chief Engineer (TSO) to lease out one dark fibre (DWSM) in the Areakode-Kanhirode optic fibre link to M/s KCCL for a period of six months, on the condition that the fibre allotted will be taken back by KSEBL urgently without notice, in case of any operational exigency. The above action of the Director (T&SO) was ratified by KSEBL as per B.O read as 2<sup>nd</sup> above.

Now the Chief Engineer (TSO) as per letter read as 4<sup>th</sup> above has reported that the temporary utilization of the fibre leased to M/s KCCL started from 01.01.2022 and the lease period expires on 30.06.2022 (6 months). M/s.KCCL requested to extend the time period of leasing till 31.03.2023. The Chief Engineer (TSO) has recommended to lease the fibre to M/s.KCCL till 31.03.2023, considering the revenue from the lease, but on condition that the fibre allotted will be taken back by KSEBL urgently without notice in case of any operational exigency. The lease rates as sanctioned for other operators as per B.O read as 3<sup>rd</sup> above was recommended for M/s KCCL by the Chief Engineer (TSO). The

matter was placed before the Full Time Directors as per note read as 5<sup>th</sup> above.

Having considered the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors, in the meeting held on 27.06.2022, resolved to accord sanction to extend the lease agreement period of M/s Kerala Communicators Cable Ltd (KCCL) for the use of spare dark fibre (DWSM) in the Areakode-Kanhirode optic fibre link for the period from 01.07.2022 to 31.03.2023 or until M/s KCCL avail the service through KFON once it starts its commercial operation, whichever comes first, at the rates as below, on the condition that the fibre allotted will be taken back by KSEBL urgently without notice, in case of any operational exigency.

Period	Rate in ₹ (per km/fibre/annum)	Supervision charge in ₹(per work)	EDFA charge in ₹. (per equipment per month)	
01.07.2022 to 31.03.2023	10949.00	8077.00	3650.00	1825.00

Further resolved to authorize the Chief Engineer (TSO) to execute the agreement with M's KCCL.

By Order of the Full Time Directors

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LEKHA G
Company Secretary

To:

The Chief Engineer (Transmission System Operation)

Copy to: The Chief Engineer (Π)/Financial Adviser/Chief Internal Auditor/Company Secretary

The TAs to CMD/ D(T,SO,P&S)/ D(D&SCM)/ D(G-C)/ D(G-E)

The PA to Director (Finance, IT&HRM)/ The CA to Company Secretary

Stock File

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Assistant Executive Engineer