

KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED

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Abstract

Execution of Electro and Hydro mechanical works of Poringalkuthu 1 x 24 MW SHEP - Time extension for the Period of the Contract - Sanctioned - Orders issued.

Corporate Office (SBU-G/E)

B.O (FTD)No. 729/2021 (AEE1/ PGL24/ 2015/CE (PED))/2Thiruvananthapuram. Dated: 05 - 10 - 2021

- Read:- 1. Agreement No. CEPED/03/2014-15/dated 10-10-2014 with M/s, Allonward -SSIPL Consortium.
 - 2. B.O (FTD) No. 367/2021(AEE1/PGL24/2015/CE(PED)) dated 14 05 2021.
 - 3. Letter No SSIPL/KSEBL/PGLSHEP/429/2021 dated 22-09-2021 of M/s SSIPL.
 - Zoom Meeting held on 23-09-2021 by the Chairman & Managing Director.
 - Note No. AEE1/ PGL24/ 2015/CE (PED)/788/9 dated 28-09-2021 of the Chief Engineer (Generation & PED) to the Full Time Directors (Agenda Item No. 17/10/21).

ORDER

The Agreement read as 1st above was executed for carrying out the E & M works of Poringalkuthu SHEP (1 x 24 MW) with a completion period of 24 months up to 03-10-2016. However the Civil works were not completed as anticipated and the E&M works were delayed as the Power House was not handed over by the Civil Contractor after completing the flooring works. During the course of work, the completion period was extended six times (30-11-2017, 31-12-2018, 31-10-2019, 31-12-2020, 31-03-2021 and 31-08-2021) on various grounds mainly due to the delay in Civil works and the latest extension expired on 31-08-2021.

The Chief Engineer (Gen. &PED) as per Note read as 5th above reported the present status of the E&M work of the project; certain items like foreign spares for excitation system, spares-Indian parts, tools-Indian part, AC for control room, Fire hydrant system for Power House & Generator Transformer, transformer oil filter with tank etc. are pending to be supplied and the Contractor informed that the manufacturers are issuing limited warranty and if the items are supplied now, the guarantee/ warranty will be expired before commissioning of plant. The Contractor confirmed that the same will be supplied before commissioning of Unit and readiness of site. The pending works inside the Power House viz; Fixing of ACs inside control room, Piping works for CO2 fire fighting system, Fixing of vibration sensors, etc. can be completed before commissioning and the remaining works in Valve House, viz; control cable laying work can be completed at around 15 days once the work front is available. For cooling water suction line, Civil works of tail race is to be completed and time required will be 15 days and for Emergency cooling water and fire hydrant piping works one month time will be required once the connected Civil works are completed.

The E&M contractor as per letter read as 3rd above has informed that they require 45 to 60 days for testing and commissioning of the unit after filling the water conductor system. In anticipation of filling the water conducting system by the Civil contractor by 05-01-2022, as agreed in the meeting held on 23-09-2021 by the Chairman & Managing Director KSEBL, testing and commissioning of the unit (including mechanical spinning) can be completed by the E & M contractor by 15-03-2022.

Considering the above, the Chief Engineer (Gen.& PED) has requested sanction for the time extension of the contract of E& M works of Poringalkuthu 1 x 24 MW SHEP up to 15-03-2022 without imposing liquidated damages on the contractor and without any additional financial commitment to the Board other than that due to implementation of GST.

The matter was placed before the Full Time Directors as per Note read as 5^{th} above. Having considered the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors in the meeting held on 01-10-2021 resolved to accord sanction for the extension of the time period for the contract for carrying of the E & M works of Poringalkuthu 1 x 24 MW SHEP up to 15-03-2022 without imposing liquidated damages on the contractor and without any additional financial commitment to the Board other than that due to implementation of GST.

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Full Time Directors,

Sd/-Lekha G Company Secretary (In charge)

To

The Chief Engineer (Generation & PED), Moolamattom. The Deputy Chief Engineer (Projects-Electrical Designs).

Copy to:

The Financial Advisor/ The Chief Internal Auditor/The Company Secretary.

The Deputy Chief Engineer (IT)/ The RCAO/The RAO.

The TA to {Chairman & MD/ Director (GE)/ Director (GC)/ Director (Trans. & SO)/

Director (Planning, Safety & SCM)/ Director (REES, Soura, Sports & Welfare/

Director (D&IT) }

The PA to Director (Finance).

Forwarded / By Order

Asst. Exe. Engineer