

KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED

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ABSTRACT

Sanction given to lease out one additional fibre in the Areakode-Kanhirode optic link to M/s Kerala Communicators Cable Ltd (KCCL) – Ratified- Orders issued.

Corporate Office(SBU-T)

B.O.(FTD)No. 547 /2021/D(T&SO)/T4/SO/Addn Fibre lease-KCCL/2020-21) dated Tvpm 15.07 .2021

Read :1. BO(FTD) No. 319/2021/D(T&SO)/T4/SO/Optic Fibre Leasing/2019-20 dated 05.05.2021.

- 2. Letter dated 08.07.2021 of the Managing Director, KCCL.
- Letter No. CESO/Tech/TNMS/TNMS-1/KCCL/2020-21/974 dated 09.07.2021 of the Chief Engineer (Transmission System Operation).
- Note No. D(T&SO)/T4/SO/Addn Fibre lease-KCCL/ 2020-21 dated 12.07.2021 of the Director (T&SO) to the Full Time Directors (Agenda 36/7/21)

ORDER

KSEBL as per BO read as 1st above accorded sanction to lease out additional spare fibres to M/s Kerala Communicators Cable Ltd (KCCL) as below for the period till 31.03.2022 or till the implementation of KFON project, whichever is earlier, with lease rate, infrastructure utilization charges and supervision charges fixed as 8 % above the corresponding charges for the period 01.04.2020 to 31.03.2021 (taxes applicable being extra).

Paruthipara-Kalamassery (DWSM)- 2 nos Kalamassery- Chalakudy (DSSM)- 2 nos Chalakudy- Madakkathara (DSSM)- 2 nos

Madakkathara- Areekode (DSSM)- 2 nos.

M/s KCCL as per letter read as 2nd above reported that KCCL is engaged in a mission to reach out to the tribal areas as per the Hon. Chief Minister's direction, as part of which, locations in Kannur and Kasaragod districts have been identified where FTTH (Fibre to The Home) connections are to be provided at the earliest. M/s KCCL requested KSEBL to consider leasing out a single dark fibre in the route from Areakode to Kanhirode on a temporary basis for a period of 6 months. M/s KCCL agreed to surrender the fibres any time during the said period if KSEBL asks for the same.

The Chief Engineer (Transmission System Operation) as per letter read as 3rd above reported that one dark fibre (DWSM) can be leased to M/s KCCL in the Areakode-Kanhirode optic link for a period of six months, on temporary basis till alternate route is established, on condition that the fibre allotted will be taken back by KSEBL urgently without notice in case of any operational exigency, since maintaining power supply in the northern part of Kerala may get adversely affected without communication from SLDC.

The Chairman & Managing Director recommended to explore the possibility of sharing the fibre requested by M/s KCCL. Considering the same and also considering the need to provide unhindered connectivity for facilitating online education, approval was given by the Director (Transmission & System Operation) to the Chief Engineer (Transmission System Operation) to lease out one dark fibre (DWSM) to M/s KCCL in the Areakode-Kanhirode optic link for a period of six months on temporary basis till alternate route is established, on condition that the fibre allotted will be taken back by KSEBL urgently without notice, in case of any operational exigency. The matter was placed before the Full Time Directors for ratification as per note read as 4th above.

Having considered the above, the Full Time Directors, in the meeting held on 12.07.2021 resolved to ratify the action of the Director (Transmission & SO) in having issued sanction to the Chief Engineer (Transmission System Operation) for leasing out one additional dark fibre (DWSM) to M/s Kerala Communicators Cable Ltd (KCCL) in the Areakode-Kanhirode optic link for a period of six months on temporary basis till alternate route is established, on condition that the fibre allotted will be taken back by KSEBL urgently without notice in case of any operational exigency. Further resolved to authorize the Chief Engineer (Transmission System Operation) to execute additional agreement for the additional fibre as per the terms and conditions of the existing agreement.

By Order of the Full Time Directors Sd/-Lekha G. Company Secretary (In- Charge)

To:

The Chief Engineer (TSO)

Copy to:

The Deputy Chief Engineer(IT) The Financial Adviser/ The Chief Internal Auditor. The RCAO/ RAO. The TA to Chairman & MD/ D(T&SO)/ D(D, IT&HRM)/ D(G-C)/ D(G-E& SCM)/ D(P&S) The PA to Director (Finance)/CA to Company Secretary Fair Copy Superintendent/Library/Stock File.

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Assistant Executive Engineer