

KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED

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ABSTRACT

Dam Rehabilitation and Improvement Project (DRIP) Phase II- Institutional Strengthening - Post Graduate Program in Dam Engineering - Sponsoring candidates - Sanctioned- Orders issued.

CORPORATE OFFICE (SBU-G/C)

BO(FTD)No.456/2021(DGC/AEE-II/DRIP/General/2018)Thiruvananthapuram, dtd.18.06.2021

Read: - 1. Letter DO No.T-200101/2020-DSR DTE / 654 dated 05.03.2021 from Ministry of Jal Shakti, Central Water Commission (CWC), Government of India.

2. Note No.CE(C-DS&DRIP)/DRIPII /General/2020-21 dated 27.03.2021,20.04.20201 and 27.05.2021 of the Chief Engineer(C- DS&DRIP)

3. Note No. DGC/AEE-II/DRIP/General/2018 dated 28.05.2021 of the Director(Generation-Civil) (Agenda Item No.4/6/2021)

ORDER

The Central Water Commission (CWC), Government of India has initiated steps for the implementation of Dam Rehabilitation and Improvement Project (DRIP) Phase II & III in continuation with the ongoing DRIP Phase I for improving the safety & operational performance of dams in participating States and to strengthen the Dam Safety Management in India by including a greater number of dams spread over the country, under this project. The Union Cabinet has accorded approval for the implementation of this project on 29/10/2020 and the Government of Kerala has also accorded Administrative Sanction for this project.

One of the important components of the project is strengthening the institutional capacities of dam owners, central agencies as well as academic institutions with focus on many areas of Dam Safety to ensure long term sustainability of Dam Safety Management. Further the proposed dam safety legislation envisages many mandatory activities which are to be completed within a given time frame. This needs trained manpower in the field of Dam Engineering and Dam Safety Management.

The Ministry of Jal Shakti as per letter read as 1st above has informed that IIT Roorkee, IIT Chennai & IISC Bangalore will be starting post graduate program in Dam Engineering in academic session 2021 and requested KSEBL to sponsor two officials having substantial length of remaining services to each of these three institutions for the post graduate program in Dam Engineering to build up a cadre of dam safety professionals. It is also informed that the expenditure for the sponsored candidates for admission as well as expenditure related to this course is eligible to be included and reimbursed under the component institutional Strengthening under 2nd Phase of DRIP.

The Chief Engineer as per note dated 27.05.2021 has reported that the course offers a detailed exploration in the field of Dam Safety surveillance, instrumentation & monitoring, Disaster Management and flood mapping of dams and significance of hydrologic safety evaluation and modelling uncertainty in hydro meteorological processes etc., and requested sanction for shortlisting

engineers having a balance service of not lesss than 15 years for sponsoring the post graduate programme. The Chief Engineer has proposed that they shall execute a bond with KSEBL that they shall continue for atleast 10 years in KSEBL and the knowledge acquired by them shall be utilised for the benefit of KSEBL, otherwise they shall pay back the amount of expenditure incurred by KSEBL for sponsoring them for the subject programme with interest as decided by KSEBL.

The matter was placed before the Full Time Directors as per note read as 3rd above. Having considered the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors in the meeting held on 11.06.2021 resolved to accord sanction to select the following officers for the Post Graduate Program in Dam Engineering conducted by IIT Roorkee/ IIT Chennai / IISc Bangalore being a sponsorship programme under DRIP II as recommended by the Chief Engineer (Civil –Dam Safety & DRIP).

- (1) Sri Arun.V.H, Assistant Engineer, RMU Sub Division, Poringalkuthu
- (2) Sri Renju Francis, Assistant Engineer, Electrical Circle, Ernakulam

The Chief Engineer (Civil –Dam Safety & DRIP) shall take further action in this regard. Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Full Time Directors

Sd/-

Lekha .G Company Secretary i/c

To

The Chief Engineer(Civil -Dam Safety & DRIP)
The Chief Engineer(Generation&PED), Moolamattom
The Chief Engineer(Distribution-Central), Ernakulam

Copy to:

- 1. The Deputy Chief Engineer (Research & Dam Safety Organisation), Pallom
- 2. The Financial Adviser 3. The Chief Internal Auditor
- 4. The RCAO/RAO 5. The Deputy Chief Engineer(IT)
- 6. TA to CMD /TA to Dir(GC) /Dir(GE&SCM) /Dir(T&SO) / Dir(D&HRM)/Dir(Plg&S)
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Assistant Executive Engineer