



KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED

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Abstract

Execution of E&M works of Bhoothathankettu (3x8MW) Small Hydro Electric Project- disposal of writ petition -Engagement of Special Advocate - Sanctioned - Orders issued.

Corporate Office (SBU-G/E)

B.O (FTD) No. 372 /2021 (513/AE3/2013/CE(PED)) Thiruvananthapuram. Dated: 19 - 05 - 2021

- Read:-
1. B.O(DB)No.3384/2014 (D(SCM&GE)/G2/BTNK/2014-15) dated 24-12-2014.
 2. Agreement no:- CE (PED)/05/2014-15 dated 18.03.2015.
 3. WP(C) No.10747/2021 filed by sri.P.Venkatachalam,CMD of M/s. Sree Saravana Engineering Bhavani Pvt. Ltd, Erode, Tamilnadu.
 4. Note No.D(GE)/G2/BTNK/2021-22/11 dated 12.05.2021.
 5. Note No. 513/AE3/2013/CE(PED) dated 14-05-2021 of the Chief Engineer (Generation &PED) to the Full Time Directors (Agenda Item No. 38/5/21).

ORDER

The contract for the execution of Electro-Mechanical works of Bhoothathankettu SHEP (3x8MW) was awarded to M/s. Sree Saravana Engineering Bhavani Pvt. Ltd, Erode, Tamilnadu - Hunan Zhaoyang Generating Equipment Company Ltd, Hunan Province, China Consortium (M/s SSEB- ZHAOYANG Consortium) for a contract amount of Rs. 81,80,01,000/- (Supply - Rs.80.59 Cr, Service-Rs.1.21 Cr) as per the B.O read as 1st above, and the Agreement was executed by the Chief Engineer(Projects- Electrical Designs) on 18-03-2015. The extended period of completion of the contract is 31-08-2021. The overall Physical Progress of the E&M work is 86.61% (E&M supply is 87.4% and erection is 33.77%) and the financial progress is Rs 57.86 Cr(70.68%). The total cost of supply and service done is Rs. 70.48 Cr.

The Chief Engineer (Generation &PED) as per Note read above has reported that KSEB Ltd had already spent Rs 162.2 Cr including civil work for this Project.(Civil-104.446 Cr,E&M-57.86 Cr).The only pending work in supply contract of E&M equipment is the import of third and final foreign consignment from China by the contractor. The material dispatch clearance for third and final foreign consignment had been issued by KSEBL on 08.01.2021. But the material is not yet dispatched from China.

It is reported that, the lead bidder of the contract, Sri. P. Venkatachalam CMD, M/s SSEBL had filed a Writ Petition No.WP(C) No.10747/2021 before the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala against KSEBL, demanding excess rates for importing the final consignment which cannot be accepted as per tender conditions. Considering the importance of the early completion of the power project, engagement of special advocate for the early disposal of the case is essential. Hence, the Chief Engineer (Generation &PED) has requested sanction for the engagement of special Advocate for the early disposal of case No. WP(C) No.10747/2021 before the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala, filed by M/s. SSEBL.

The matter was placed before the Full Time Directors as per Note read as 5th above. Having considered the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors in the meeting held on 17-05-2021 resolved to accord sanction for the engagement of Sri. Raju Joseph, Advocate for the early disposal of Case No. W.P (C) No.10747/2021 before the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala, filed by Sri. P.Venkatachalam CMD, M/s. SSEBL against KSEBL in the E&M works of Bhoothathankettu (3x8MW) SHEP .

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Full Time Directors,

Sd/-

Lekha G

Company Secretary (In charge)

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No.

19-05-2021

To

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

The Financial Advisor/ The Chief Internal Auditor/The Company Secretary.
The Chief Engineer (IT)/ The RCAO/The RAO.
The TA to Chairman & MD/ Director (GE&SCM)/ Director (GC)/ Director
(Trans.&SO)/ Director (D,IT&HRM) /Director (Planning, Safety& REES).
The PA to Director (Finance).

Forwarded / By Order

Srinidhi Kumar
Asst. Exe. Engineer