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Abstract

Execution of E&M works of Bhoothathankettu (3*8MW) Small Hydro Electric Project- completion of project in approved schedule time - Sanctioned - Orders issued.

Corporate Office (SBU-G/E)

B.O (FTD)No. 789 /2020 (513/AE3/2013/CE(PED)) Thiruvananthapuram.

Dated: 30- 12- 2020

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. B.O(FTD) No. 899/2019(D(GE)/G2/BTNK/2019-20 dated 03-12-2019.
4. BO(FTD)No.700/2020(513/AE3/2013/CE(PED) dated 19-11-2020.
5. Note No. 513/AE3/2013/CE(PED)/1377 dated 22-12-2020 of the Chief Engineer (Generation & PED) to the Full Time Directors (Agenda No. 82/12/20).

ORDER

As per the B.O read as 1st above, the contract for the Execution of Electro-Mechanical works of Bhoothathankettu SHEP (3X8MW) was awarded to M/s. Sree Saravana Engineering Bhavani Pvt. Ltd.- Hunan Zhaoyang Generating Equipment Company Ltd. Consortium (M/s SSEB- ZHAOYANG Consortium) for a contract amount of Rs. 81,80,01,000/- (Supply- Rs. 80.59Cr, Service- Rs.1.21Cr) and the Agreement read as 2nd above was executed by the Chief Engineer (Projects- Electrical Designs). The extended period of completion of the contract is 31-12-2020. The overall Physical Progress of the E&M work is 86.17% and Financial Progress is 70.33%.

As per the contract, the tests on the turbine, generating units and auxiliaries are to be witnessed by KSEBL representatives at manufacturer's works before despatch of the equipment. And after verifying the test reports Material Dispatch Clearance Certificate (MDCC) will be issued for delivery of the equipments. Accordingly, two Nos. of foreign consignments were offered for inspection and test witnessing. The same were tested by KSEBL Engineers during 2017 and early 2018 and the MDCC was issued and the equipments were delivered to site.

Regarding the third foreign consignment, as per B.O read as 4th above sanction was accorded to accept the Business License Document duly notarized by Notary, certified by Chinese Foreign Affairs Department and attested by Consulate of India in Guangzhou. It was also resolved to waive the physical inspection and test witnessing of 3rd foreign consignment at M/s. Hunan Zhaoyang Generating Equipment Company Ltd at factory in China by KSEBL officials and to instruct the supplier to conduct testing of the equipment and if possible to arrange for test witnessing of the 3rd foreign consignment by KSEBL officials through Video Conferencing as per approved QAP & ITP and to submit Test Reports for verification and approval.

The Chief Engineer (Generation & PED) has reported that as per BO read as 4th above, the testing of the third and final critical equipments were conducted on 7th, 9th and 10th December 2020 at M/s. Hunan Zhaoyang Generating Equipment Co. Ltd. factory at China and the witnessing of tests by KSEBL official were done online by using Zoom video conferencing and completed successfully. The test results of above testing are being verified and if found correct MDCC can be issued. However, as per above B.O, MDCC is to be issued after getting the attested documents from Indian Consulate at China and after receiving factory test report and video graph of testing at China. As there is inordinate delay in attestation of required document, a letter had already been sent to Mr. Sujit Ghosh, Consul General, Consulate General of India, Guangzhou on 11.12.2020, for expediting the matter.

It is reported that the project will be affected due to the delay in delivery of the third critical consignment. The shipping of these materials from China to India will take another three to four months. Due to the delay in getting attested copy of Business License, the MDCC for the tested equipments cannot be issued now and as a result the shipping of the third consignment will be further delayed. Hence it is suggested that if the MDCC for the third consignment is issued now, the equipment can be shipped from the factory and meanwhile the attestation of required documents may be obtained. After receiving the third consignment equipments at KSEBL site a detailed testing of these equipments can be conducted if necessary. The installation work of these equipment and payment for this consignment will be initiated only after obtaining the required attested document from Indian Embassy at China.

Bhoothathankettu SHEP is one of the major projects which can be commissioned during this financial year as KSEBL have already completed 86% of the project work and spent about Rs. 161.38 Crore (including civil portion). Considering the importance of the early completion of the power projects, the Chief Engineer (Generation & PED) has requested suitable decision and 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 24-12-2020 resolved to accord sanction to issue MDCC to M/s. Sree Saravana Engineering Bhavani Pvt. Ltd for the supply of 3rd foreign consignment including Stator, Rotor and Runner from China, considering the fact that the online testing of the material has been conducted successfully, the test results are received and being verified and the expected delay in getting attested documents from Indian Embassy in China, subject to the condition that the payment for above consignment and installation of equipments of this consignment will be permitted only after successful testing of material on delivery at site and receiving the attested document from the Indian Embassy at China.

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&SCM)/ Director(GC)/ Director (Trans.,SO&REES)/ Director (D,IT&HRM) /Director (Planning&Safety).

The PA to Director (Finance).

Forwarded / By Order

Asst. Exe. Engineer

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No. 306

Date 01.01.21