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ABSTRACT

Disposal of various trees (178 Nos. of Trees) available at 2 MW Wind farm,Kanjikode covered by S.R. No. 01/2023-24/DYCE/GEN/TSR of the Dy CE, Generation Circle, Thrissur - 3^{r d} Re-Tender cum Auction - confirmation - Sanctioned - Orders issued.

Corporate Office (SBU-G/E) B.O. (FTD) No 42/2024 (DGE/G3/AEE2/Disposal of trees wind farm).

Dated:29-01-2024

- Survey Report sanction Order No. CEG/ AE(C)/SR(C)/SR/2023-24/222 dated 30.05.2023(Survey Report sanction No.CEG/SR-03/2023-24/30.05.2023).
 - 2. Letter no. DBAEl/ Auction-Kanjikode/2023-24/1018 dated 29.12.2023 of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Generation Circle, Thrissur.
 - Tender cum Auction No.02/2023-24/DYCE/GEN/TSR dated 22.06.2023 of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Generation Circle, Thrissur.
 - Re-Tender cum Auction No.03/2023-24/DYCE/GEN/TSR dated 14.07.2023 of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Generation Circle, Thrissur (Date of Auction 02.08.2023).
 - Re-Tender cum Auction No.04/2023-24/DYCE/GEN/TSR dated 25.10.2023 (2 nd retender cum auction) of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Generation Circle, Thrissur (Date of auction 07.11.2023).
 - Re-Tender cum Auction No.05/2023-24/DYCE/GEN/TSR dated 08.12.2023 (2 nd retender) of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Generation Circle, Thrissur (Date of auction 20.12.2023).
 - 7. Letter No.CEG/AE(C)/SR(C)/TSR/2023-24/1112 dated 11.01.2024 of the CEG
 - Note No.DGE/G3/AEE2/Disposal of trees wind farm dated 20.01.2024 of the Director (G-E RSS &W) To the Full Time Directors (Agenda No.- 36 01/2024).

ORDER

The Chief Engineer (Generation) as per letter read as 7 th above has reported the limitation in the prevailing delegation in the disposal of trees having assessed value of Rs.3,90,429/-, for which the offered amount is Rs.1,41,100/- (36.14% of the assessed value) after re-tendering the item for three times, under Generation Circle Thrissur and requested confirmation for the disposal.

As per the prevailing delegation 17.2(a) & (b), Chief Engineer has the power of " sanction confirmation of auction without limit, provided the bid amount is not less than 75% of the assessed value, sanction confirmation of auction upto assessed value of Rs.10 Lakh, provided the bid amount is not less than 60% of the assessed value. (b) To sanction confirmation of auction upto assessed value of Rs.5 Lakh, provided the bid amount is not less than 50% of the assessed value."

In the said case, the offered amount is 36.14% of the assessed value for the disposal of trees at Wind Farm area, Kanjikode. It is reported that the trees have to be cut and disposed off for erecting

the 2 MWp solar panels proposed under PM KUSUM scheme at this area.

Sanction was accorded to the disposal of various trees (178 Nos of Trees) available at 2MW Wind Kanjikode under Generation Circle, Thrissur covered by No. farm. S.R. 01/2023-24/DYCE/GEN/TSR of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Generation Circle, Thrissur for an assessed value of Rs.3,90,429/-. (Rupees Three Lakh Ninety Thousand Four Hundred and Twenty Nine only) as per order read as 1st above. The assessed value was calculated based on the assessment order No. KFDDO/3085/2023 dated 21.03.2023 of the Assistant Conservator of Forest, Social Forestry Division, Palakkad, Tree cutting permission was received from Assistant Conservator of Forests Social Forestry Division, Palakkad with a direction to cut the trees within six months from the date of order and time extension was granted by the Social Forestry up to 10.04.2024.

The work was tendered giving wide publicity as per notification read as 3 rd above and no one participated in the tender cum auction conducted on 06.07.2023. Subsequent re-tendering as per notification read as 4th and 5th above was also not successful due to non participation. Again the work was re-tendered and the tender cum auction was conducted on 07.11.2023. Only one bidder participated and quoted only Rs.60000/- against the assessed value of Rs. 3,90,429/- i.e 84.63 % below the PAC . Since the offered amount by the single bidder is only 15.37% of the Bid amount and there was no competition in the Tender cum auction conducted on 07.11.2023, was also cancelled.

Once again, further Re-tender cum auction was conducted as per notification read as 6 th above, as directed. In response, three persons participated in the auction and the highest amount offered by Sri. Muhammed Nijam Ali, Fathima Manzil, Pezhumkara, Pallippuram, Palakkad- 678006 is Rs.1,41,100/- against the assessed value of Rs.3,90,429 /- i.e 36.14% of the assessed value.

As the disposal of above trees are very urgent for timely completion of the PM KUSUM component C (feeder level solarization) scheme for getting CFA from MNRE and chances for a better offer is remote if re-tendered again and considering the instruction of the Assistant conservator of Forests (Order NO.KFDDO/3085/2023 dated 21.03.2023), sanction was requested for confirmation of the auction to Sri. Muhammed Nijam Ali, at his offered amount of Rs.1,41,100/- (One Lakh Forty One Thousand One Hundred only)which is 36.14% of the assessed value, in view of the limitation in prevailing delegation.

The above matter has been placed before the Full Time Directors as per the note read as 8 th above . Having considered the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors resolved to accord sanction for the disposal of 178 trees at Kanjikode Wind Farm area by confirming the auction and awarding the work to Sri. Muhammed Nijam Ali, Fathima Manzil, Pezhumkara, Pallippuram, Palakkad, at his offered amount of Rs.1,41,100/- (Rupees One Lakh Forty One Thousand One Hundred only) which is.36.14% of the assessed value, due to the urgency involved, as the project is to be commissioned before May 2024 for getting the CFA from MNRE under PM KUSUM component C.

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Full Time Directors Solf_ Lekha G Company Secretary

To:

The Chief Engineer (Generation), Moolamattom. The Dy.Chief Engineer, Generation Circle, Thrissur.

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