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दिनांक / Date: 17.10.2016

सेवा में / To

Chairman & Managing Director  
POWERGRID Corporation of India Ltd.  
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विषय : पावरग्रिड कॉर्पोरेशन इंडिया लिमिटेड (पीजीसीआईएल) की योजना " **POWERGRID Works associated with Additional 400 kV feed to Goa**" के विद्युत अधिनियम, 2003 की धारा 68 (1) के अन्तर्गत सरकार के पूर्व अनुमोदन के लिए – सम्बंधित

**Subject: Prior approval of the Government under section 68 (1) of the Electricity Act, 2003 to M/s POWERGRID Corporation of India Ltd. (PGCIL) for "POWERGRID Works associated with Additional 400 kV feed to Goa" – Reg.**

**संदर्भ / Reference: PGCIL's letter no. C/CP/PA1617-09-10 dated 19.09.2016**

महोदय / Sir,

Reference is invited to PGCIL's letter dated 19.09.2016, seeking prior approval of CEA, MoP, Government of India under Section 68 (1) of Electricity Act, 2003, hereinafter "the Act", in favor of M/s PGCIL for implementation of – "POWERGRID Works associated with Additional 400 kV feed to Goa", with following scope of work:

- i. 2 nos. of 400 kV line bays at Mapusa for termination of Xeldem – Mapusa 400 kV D/C (Quad) line  
(This line is to be implemented under TBCB)
2. The scheme 'Additional 400 kV feed to Goa' has been agreed in 39<sup>th</sup> & 40<sup>th</sup> Standing Committee Meeting (SCM) on Power System Planning of Western Region held on 30.11.2015 & 01.06.2016 respectively. Subsequently, POWERGRID works associated with the scheme 'Additional 400 kV feed to Goa' were approved in the 36<sup>th</sup> meeting of Empowered Committee on Transmission held on 26.07.2016.

3. CEA conveys the prior approval of Government of India under Section 68 (1) of Electricity Act, 2003 to M/s PGCIL for implementation of 'POWERGRID Works associated with Additional 400 kV feed to Goa' with its above specified scope of work.
4. This approval is subject to compliance of
  - a) The relevant provisions of the Act, as amended from time to time and the rules and regulations made there under, and
  - b) CEA (Measures relating to Safety and Electrical Supply) Regulations, 2010 and any subsequent amendments made thereto.
5. The approval is also subject to the following conditions:
  - (i) The implementing agency will commence construction of the project within three years of grant of approval, unless this term is extended by the Central Electricity Authority.
  - (ii) Central Electricity Authority may withdraw the approval before the expiry of the period of three years after giving a one-month notice.
  - (iii) The implementing agencies shall abide by the provisions of Works of Licensee Rules, 2006 notified by the Govt. of India, Ministry of Power in the Gazette of India, extra-ordinary Part-II, Section 3(i) dated 18-04-2006 (vide GSR 217 (E) dated 18-04-2006).

Provided that "nothing contained in this rule shall effect the powers conferred upon any licensee under section 164 of the Act".

भवदीय / Yours faithfully,



(पी डी सिवाल / P.D Siwal)

सचिव / Secretary, के.वि.प्रा / CEA

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