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ABSTRACT

Rollout of Cable TV Software for managing Decentralised Operators - Sanctioned - Orders issued.

CORPORATE OFFICE (IT, CR & CAPs)

Office Order (DD& IT) No.1868/2023 (CEIT/RITU/KOC/14/2023-EE1)

Thiruvananthapuram.

Dated:18-12-2023

Read: 1. Office Order (DD&IT) no. 290/2023 (CEIT/RITU Kochi/) dated 24.02.2023

- 2. B.O (FTD) No. 202/2023(DIRDIT-AE6/2022/7102) dated 13.04.2023
- 3. Note no. E 8365/KSEBL/CEIT/RITU/KOC/14/2023-EE1 of the Chief Engineer (IT, CR & CAPs) dated 12.12.2023

ORDER

Development of a comprehensive software application for managing drawal of cables through KSEBL poles by Cable TV/ ISP operators (Centralised/ Decentralised) has been entrusted with Regional IT Unit (RITU), Kochi. As per the SRS document prepared by the SRS Functional Committee constituted in this regard, the first phase requirement was a provision to capture existing details of Cable TV operators and the same was rolled out in March 2023. Data in respect of operators upto 31.03.2023 have been captured through manual data entry. 5294 operators are attached from 71 Electrical Divisions and 2577 operators are approved so far. The balance numbers are to be approved by the respective Electrical Divisions.

The Chief Engineer (IT, CR & CAPs) vide the note read above has reported that the developed web application for decentralised operators is ready for production rollout with the following functionalities;

- 1. New application processing
- 2. Request for addition/ deletion of poles for existing operators
- 3. Yearly pole renewal for existing operators
- 4. Ownership Change
- 5. Creation of Installments
- 6. Demand generation & collection apportioning

Provision is also made available to capture the pre-system data after 31.03.2023.

The developed web application was rolled out on pilot basis at 7 Electrical Divisions (Adoor, Attingal, Ernakulam, Kollam, Tirurangadi, Kodungallur and Thrissur East) w.e.f 21.09.2023, after the hands-on training conducted at RPTI, Pallom. The above workflows were tested by the Pilot Divisions and the feedback/ suggestions/ concerns collected from the Pilot Divisions have been taken up with the SRS Functional Committee for clarification.

In the meeting dated 17.11.2023, the SRS Committee confirmed the revision of application fee (for Centralised and Decentralised operators) at the rate of Rs 500/- +GST per Section from the existing operators and Rs 1000/- +GST from a new entrant operator to an Electrical Section. In the case of transfer/ change of ownership, the transferor operator has to submit application after clearing all dues and remitting an application fee of Rs 500/- per section. Additionally, Rs 1000/- per Electrical Section from the transferee operator is to be collected, if the he/ she is a new entrant to a Section. This being a change from the fee mentioned in the approved SRS document, the Chief Engineer (IT, CR & CAPs) requested a decision on the same.

The Chief Engineer (IT, CR & CAPs) suggested to rollout the developed Cable TV web software application for decentralised operators and requested sanction for arranging ToT and subsequent training to the users through RPTIs.

Having considered the matter in detail, sanction is hereby accorded for the following;

- 1. The application fee proposed by the SRS Committee for the services of Cable TV/ ISP operators in the following rates is accepted;
- a. Existing operators: Rs 500/- per Section for all Services.
- b. New entrant operators to a Section: Rs 1900/- per Section
- c. For Transfer/ Change of ownership, the transferor operator to submit application after remitting all the dues and remitting an application fee of Rs 500/- per section. Additionally, Rs 1000/- per Electrical Section from the transferee operator to be collected, if the transferee operator is a new entrant to a Section.
- 2. To impart Training of Trainers (ToT) and to arrange the subsequent training to the users through RPTIs.
- 3. to roll out the developed workflows for decentralised operators to the field.

For completing the data entry and approval prior to 31.03.2023, training to the System Supervisors to be provided by the IT Wing to facilitate the concerned officials.

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Director (Distribution, Safety, SCM & IT)

Sd/-

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To:

The Chief Engineer (IT, CR & CAPs)

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The Financial Advisor/ Chief Internal Auditor/ Company Secretary/ LA&DEO/CVO)

The TA to Chairman & Managing Director
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Assistant Executive Engineer