



# KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED

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## ABSTRACT

DRIP Phase II- Hiring an Environmental Specialist in SPMU as per the requirement of the World Bank and the CPMU-- Sanctioned-Orders issued.

### **CORPORATE OFFICE (SBU-G/C)**

BO(FTD)No. 373/2020(DGC/AEE-II/ DRIP/General/2018)Thiruvananthapuram, dtd 02.06.2020

- Read:-
1. B.O (FTD) No.67/2020(Estt. V/5838/2019) dated 30.01.2020
  2. Note No.CE/DS/DRIP-II/ESMF/2020-21 dated 04-05-2020 of the Chief Engineer(Civil -Dam Safety & DRIP)
  3. Note No. DGC/AEE-II/DRIP/General/2018 dated 25.05.2020 of the Director(Generation- Civil) (Agenda Item No.76/5/20)

### ORDER

The Chief Engineer(Civil -Dam Safety & DRIP) as per note read as 2<sup>nd</sup> above has reported that as per the documentation of the CPMU of CWC, the Environment and Social Framework (ESF) is applicable to DRIP II, which requires greater focus on risk management. The World Bank's Environment and Social Framework(ESF) comprising Environment & Social (E&S) policy and standards are relevant to identify, avoid, and mitigate the potential negative environmental and social risks and enhance the effectiveness of the positive impacts. The documentation made it clear that the World Bank Environmental and Social Standards (ESS) shall be abided by the Project authorities.

It is also reported that in the first stage, Environmental and Social Due Diligence (ESDD) Assessment of all sub-project Dams using Environment & Social(E&S) scoping and screening, checklists will be conducted to identify E&S risks and impacts and to determine risk category of the overall project (Low/Moderate/Substantial/High). In the second stage, based on risk category, for Low or Moderate risk category projects, generic Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) including mitigation plans for the relevant Environmental and Social Standards (ESS) would be prepared. The CPMU insisted that the task of preparation of Environmental and Social Due Diligence (ESDD) , Environmental and Social Impact Assessment(ESIA ) and Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESM), coordinating stake holders' meetings and successful implementation of Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) etc. are the pre requisite to be met by the respective Implementing Agencies as part of DRIP Phase II. The CPMU & the World Bank have suggested to appoint an Environmental Specialist in SPMU to assist KSEBL in the above tasks for the timely completion of the tasks.

The Chief Engineer (Civil – Dam Safety & DRIP) has requested to appoint an Environmental Specialist to assist them in the preparation of Environmental and Social Due Diligence (ESDD)s, Environmental and Social Impact Assessment(ESIA), Environmental and Social Management Plan( ESMP), Stakeholder engagement Plan (SEP), coordinate meetings etc.

for the successful implementation of Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) of the projects proposed in DRIP Phase II.

It is also reported that the Environmental Specialist shall be a qualified Post Graduate in Environmental Engineering with minimum two years experience in the relevant field. It is proposed that the payment shall be made on daily wage basis @ Rs 1425/day as per the B.O read as 1<sup>st</sup> above. The contract shall be initially for a period of one year.

The matter was placed before the Full Time Directors as per note read as 3<sup>rd</sup> above. Having considered the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors in the meeting held on 30.05.2020 resolved to accord sanction to appoint an Environmental Specialist in SPMU to assist in the preparation of Environmental and Social Due Diligence (ESDD), Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA), Environmental and Social Management Plan( ESMP), Stakeholder engagement Plan (SEP), in coordinating meetings, etc. and in the implementation of Environmental and Social Management Plan( ESMP) of the projects proposed to be implemented under DRIP Phase II on contract basis for a period of one year on daily wage basis @ Rs 1425/- per day.

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Full Time Directors

Sd/-

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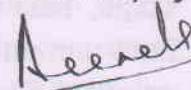
Company Secretary i/c

To The Chief Engineer ( Civil-Dam Safety &DRIP)

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