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From

Executive Engineer

To

The Project Director  
NHAI, Thiruvananthapuram

Sub: AMRUT 2.0- Augmentation of Water Supply scheme to Kollam Corporation-Proposed Laying of Clear water pumping main through NH Bypass from chainage 486/500 to 498/00 (Kavanad towards Mevaram) - Reg.

Ref:

- i. G.O.(Rt)No.473/2023/LSGD dated, Thiruvananthapuram,23-02- 2023
- ii. This office letter no. KWA/PDK/DB1/80/2022 dated 25.07.2022
- iii. Site Inspection report submitted from this office dated 30.08.2022
- iv. This office letter no. KWA/PDK/DB1/80/2022 dated 16.09.2022
- v. NHAI letter no.11246/PIU-TVM/Koll bypass to Kad/Utility laying /1257 dated 23.09.2022
- vi. This office letter no. KWA/PDK/DB1/80/2022 dated 30.09.2022
- vii. This office letter no. KWA/PDK/DB1/80/2022 dated 16.11.2022
- viii. NHAI letter no.11246/PIU-TVM/Kollam bypass to Kad/Utility laying permission/1659 dated 24.11.2022
- ix. This office letter no. KWA/PDK/DB1/80/2022 dated 02.12.2022
- x. This office letter no. KWA/PDK/DB1/80/2022 dated 31.12.2022
- xi. NHAI letter no.11246/PIU-TVM/Koll bypass to Kad/Utility laying permission/2020 dated 09.01.2023.
- xii. Meeting held at the chamber of District Collector, Kollam, chaired by the Hon.MP Sri. N K Premachandran on 26-04-23.

Kindly recall the communications between KWA Kollam and NHAI Thiruvananthapuram vide references cited i to xi. And the subsequent meeting cited as reference xii., convened by the District Collector which was chaired by the Hon'ble MP Sri. N. K Premachandran in presence of Hon'ble MLA. Sri. M. Noushad with NHAI, M/S Sivalaya, KWA, AMRUT Mission Director and Corporation officials on 26.04.2023. In that meeting it was discussed to verify the possibility to lay the pipe line along the service

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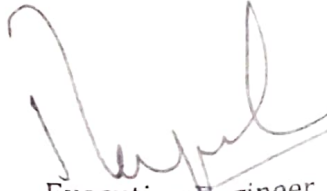
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road of NH66 and to deposit the amount required to NHAI for executing the pipe line works. Further to this it was directed to conduct a joint site inspection on 27.04.2023. Accordingly inspection was conducted by AMRUT Mission Director, Sivalaya and KWA officials for verifying the land availability and feasibility for laying the pipeline along NH66.

AMRUT Mission Director instructed the KWA to prepare the estimate based on the joint inspection and to forward the same to M/s. Sivalaya. As directed, KWA forwarded an estimate amounting of Rs.18.32 to M/s. Sivalaya. This estimate was verified by M/s. Sivalaya and in return submitted their estimate by incorporating additional provisions required at site and was submitted to KWA and AMRUT. This estimate prepared by M/S Sivalaya was discussed in an online meeting on 16.05.2023 chaired by AMRUT Mission Director. After necessary modifications M/S Sivalaya again submitted a revised estimate on 20.05.2023. This estimate was discussed thoroughly in another online meeting chaired by AMRUT Mission Director on 23.05.2023 which was attended by M/S Sivalaya, KWA and CMMU officials and KWA was directed to recast the estimate again by incorporating the provisions put forth by M/s. Sivalaya. Accordingly, KWA prepared revised estimate for Rs.22.54 Crores (including 18 % GST and O & M Charges) .It was discussed in detail in an offline meeting at AMRUT Mission office on 08.06.2023 chaired by AMRUT Mission Director and attended by CMMU, M/S Sivalaya and KWA officials. M/s. Sivalaya demanded charges for 'cost over-run' for the delay in completion of of the main contract due to the addition of this pipe laying work.

In this situation as the road work is progressing and the pipelaying work is to be commenced immediately we request you to kindly look into this matter and submit your final proposal of estimate with minimum possible amount for 'cost over-run charges'

Yours Faithfully.

  
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- 1) Superintending Engineers, PH Circle Kollam
- 2) CMMU, Kollam
- 3) NCC