



भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग प्राधिकरण

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(Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India)

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Lr.No. NHAI/RO-VJA/PIU-VSP/NH-16/OFC/2025/4241

Dt.04.11.2025

INVITATION OF PUBLIC COMMENTS

Sub: Permission for laying of 33KV & 11KV underground Electrical Cable along the highway from Km.700+920 to Km.713+920 (RHS) for a total length of 13000 meters & crossing in 13 locations for a length of 780 meters for a total length of 13780 meters in Anandapuram - Visakhapatnam - Ankapalli (city limits) section of NH-16 in the State of Andhra Pradesh - Public comments - Reg.

The Project Director, PIU - Visakhapatnam submitted a proposal APEPDCL, Operation Circle, Visakhapatnam for laying of 33KV & 11KV underground Electrical Cable along the highway from Km.700+920 to Km.713+920 (RHS) for a total length of 13000 meters & crossing in 13 locations for a length of 780 meters for a total length of 13780 meters in Anandapuram - Visakhapatnam - Ankapalli (city limits) section of NH-16 in the State of Andhra Pradesh.

As per MORTH guidelines vide letter No. RW/NH-33044/29/2015/S&R(R) dated 22nd November 2016, the Highway Administration will put out the application in the Ministry's website for 30 days seeking claims and objections (on grounds of public inconvenience, safety and general public interest).

In view of the above, the comments of public, if any, on the above mentioned proposal is invited on below mentioned address.

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National Highways Authority of India,
Regional Office, Dr. No.41-29-45A, R. S. No.373/2A
Near Kodandaramalayam, Chalasani Nagar,
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Dt.04.11.2025

To

The Sr. Technical Director,
NIC, Transport Bhawan,
New Delhi- 110001.

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Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith a proposal submitted by APEPDCL, Operation Circle, Visakhapatnam for laying of 33KV & 11KV underground Electrical Cable along the highway from Km.700+920 to Km.713+920 (RHS) for a total length of 13000 meters & crossing in 13 locations for a length of 780 meters for a total length of 13780 meters in Anandapuram - Visakhapatnam - Anakapalli (city limits) section of NH-16 in the State of Andhra Pradesh.

2. As per MORTH guidelines vide letter No. RW/NH-33044/29/2015/S&R(R) dated 22nd November 2016, the application along with the recommendations of PD, PIU-Visakhapatnam & notice inviting public comments are enclosed herewith with a request to host the same in the Ministry's website for 30 days seeking claims and objections (on grounds of public inconvenience, safety and general public interest), for taking further necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

(R.K. Singh, IES),

CGM (Tech.) & Regional Officer

Encl: As above

Copy to:

- (i) PD, PIU - Visakhapatnam
- (ii) Superintending Engineer, Operation Circle, APEPDCL



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हनुमन्तवाका, विशाखपट्टणम - 530 040, ए.पि., भारत

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Ref. No.: NHAI/PIU-VSP/APEPDCL/72/2024-25/4921

February, 20th 2025.

To

The Regional officer,
National Highways Authority of India,
D.No.:41-29-45/A, R.S. No:373/2
Kodanda ramalayam, Chalasani,
Ranigarithota, Krishnalanka.
Vijayawada.

Sub: NHAI - PIU, Visakhapatnam - NOC for laying Underground Electrical Cable along the highway from @KM 700+920 To @ KM 713+920(RHS) for a total length of 13000 metres & crossing in 13 locations for a length of 780 metres for a total length of 13780 metres in Anandapuram-Visakhapatnam-Ankapalli(city limits) section of NH-16 in the state of Andhra Pradesh -Issue of NOC- Reg.

- Ref: 1. SE, APEPDCL letter no: SE/OC/VSKP/NH-16/NAD-HA dated:06.09.2024(received this office 11.09.2024).
2. NHAI/PIU-VSP/APEPDCL/72/2024-25/4173. September 20th, 2024.
3. Lr from IE, M/s Satra-City limits:01041123/IE/02/AVA-PC/0333 dated:26.10.2024.
4. NHAI/PIU-VSP/APEPDCL/72/2024-25/4359, October 30th, 2024.
5. SE, APEPDCL letter no: SE/O/VSP/EE/T/DEE/C/D.NO.351/2024 dated:04.12.2024.
6. NHAI/PIU-VSP/APEPDCL/72/2024-25/4500, December 16th, 2024.
7. Lr from IE, M/s Satra-City limits:01041123/IE/02/AVA-PC/0341 dated:18.12.2024.
8. This office letter: NHAI/PIU-VSP/APEPDCL/UG/71/2024-25/4816, dt:04.02.2025.
9. SE/O/VSP/EE/UGC/&SCADA/DEE/UGC/F.NHAI/D.NO163/25 dt:11.02.2025.

Sir,

Vide ref.01 cited above APEPDCL has submitted the proposal for laying Underground Electrical Cable along the highway from @KM 700+920 To @ KM 713+920(RHS) for a total length of 13000 metres & crossing in 13 locations for a length of 780 metres for a total length of 13780 metres in Anandapuram-Visakhapatnam-Ankapalli(city limits) section of NH-16 in the state of Andhra Pradesh.

2. The proposal was forwarded to the Independent Engineer vide this office letter 2nd & 06th cited for recommendations and feasibility. The Independent Engineer has inspected the site and recommended the above proposal vide ref 7th cited.

3. The following documents are submitted by the Agency as per the MORTH guidelines dated 22.11.2016.

- Proposal letter.
- Check List.
- Specification Report to accompanying the estimate towards License Fees for Laying of OFC cable.

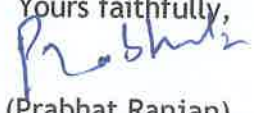
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- (d) License Fees Estimate.
- (e) Agreement regarding granting of Right of Way permission.
- (f) Undertaking for Performance Bank Guarantee.
- (g) Certificate for Six Lanning,
- (h) They have given Affidavit to take all the actions as prescribed in the Check List from 5.1 to 5.12.
- (i) Format for maintain records of ROW permission granted for laying OFC.
- (j) Brief description of Horizontal Directional Drilling Method and Open Trench Method.
- (k) Cross section & Strip plan.

4. The proposed locations for laying of underground power cable falls on NH-16 passing through the Visakhapatnam city limits. The DPR for construction of grade separators at various locations on NH-16 from KM 682+950 to KM 741+256 passing through Visakhapatnam city limits is under progress. However, APEPDCL has submitted an undertaking stating that *"We do undertake that i/we relocate service road/approach road/utilities at my/our own cost notwithstanding the permission granted within such time as will be stipulated by NHAI for future six laning or any other development"*.

5. In view of the recommendations of the Consultants, the proposal submitted by APEPDCL for laying Underground Electrical Cable along the highway from @KM 700+920 To @ KM 713+920(RHS) for a total length of 13000 metres & crossing in 13 locations for a length of 780 metres for a total length of 13780 metres in Anandapuram-Visakhapatnam-Ankapalli(city limits) section of NH-16 in the state of Andhra Pradesh, is herewith recommended for the approval of Competent Authority.

Encl: Proposal in two sets
(01 Original + 01 Duplicate)

Yours faithfully,

(Prabhat Ranjan)
DGM(T) & Project Director