No.RW-MD/TN/OFC/PER/NH-7&7A/2002 GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

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Dated: 16.05.2019

Invitation of public comments

Subject:-Permission Proposal for erection of 230KV overhead line crossing at Km132/300 of NH-7 (Madurai-Kanyakumari Section) in the State of Tamil Nadu-Reg.

The proposal is regarding permission Proposal for erection of 230KV overhead line crossing at Km132/300 of NH-7 (Madurai-Kanyakumari Section) was submitted to this office by the DGM-PD, NHAI Madurai vide letter No.NHAI/MDU/NH-7/TNEB/2019/1650 dated 30.04.2019(received on 03.05.2019) has submitted the proposal to this office in accordance with Ministry's latest guidelines dated 22.11.2016.

- 2. The alignment proposed by the Executive Engineer, Transmission Line Construction, Tirunelveli had submitted the proposal for erection of 230KV overhead line crossing at Km132/300 of NH-7 (Madurai-Kanyakumari Section). The license Transmission Line Construction has submitted and agreement regarding granting of right of way for 230KV overhead line and undertaking to comply with standard condition of Morth guidelines. i.e. in a span of 160m.(NH crossing length 60.00m as per drawing submitted)
- 3. The right of way erection 230KV overhead line crossing the aforesaid stretch. The carriageway width of aforesaid stretch is 17.50m. the Executive Engineer, Transmission Line Construction, Tirunelveli has proposed to erection 230KV line crossing at Km132/300 of NH-7 in Madurai-Kanyakumari Section i.e. length of overhead 160m. However, out of the aforesaid length, in 60.00m the erection 230KV overhead line crossing normally to road for a length of 60.00m of NH ,ROW. Further, Executive Engineer, Transmission Line Construction, Tirunelveli has mentioned that the D/C transmission line overhead 230KV line above the Right of Way will be 17.823m above the carriageway top.
- 4. The Executive Engineer, Transmission Line Construction, Tirunelveli has furnished an undertaking to the effect that Transmission Line Construction, Tirunelveli will remove the laid 230KV overhead line in future if required by NH wing of State Highways Department/MoRTH Govt. of India at any time for expansion of the NH at their own cost without claiming any compensation from NH wing of Tamil Nadu/MoRTH Govt. of India and any right on the NH land. Further, mentioned that The Executive Engineer, Transmission Line Construction, Tirunelveli will also maintenance thereof and against all claims, proceedings, damages, costs, charges and expenses whats ever in respect thereof in relation there to restore the surfaces to its original condition soon after erection of 230KV overhead lines. Also, certified that the proposed of 230KV line work will not affect the design, stability, traffic safety and future improvement of the proposed stretch.

5. As per the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide letter No.RW/NH-33044/29/2015/ S&R(R) dated 22.11.2016 the relaxation application submitted by the applicant will be made available for public comments and the comments will be invited within 30 days from the day of uploading.

In view of the above, comments of the public on the above proposal requiring relaxation from distance criteria is invited to the below mentioned address:

The Chief Engineer cum Regional Officer, Chennai Ministry of Road Transport & Highways, C-1-A, Rajaji Bhavan, Besant Nagar, Chennai- 600 090

Yours Sincerely,

Encl: As Above.

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Superintending Engineer For Chief Engineer cum-RO

Copy to:

1. The NIC, New Delhi - for uploading in the Ministry's website.

The DGM &PD, NHAI, Plot No.3, Surya Towers, 2nd Floor, 1st East street, K.K. Nagar, Madurai-625020- for information

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