No. CE-RO/Chennai/MoRTH/12017/NH-381/Twad/1/2018-19 GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

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Dated: 25.08.2020

Invitation of public comments

Subject:- Permission proposal for laying underground water pipe line 250mm dia along the National Highways from Km 16/825 to 17/080(RHS) and across Km 17/080 of Avinashi-Tiruppur-Avinashilingampalayam road of HN-381 in the state of Tamil Nadu- Reg.

The proposal is regarding permission for laying underground water pipe line 250mm dia along the National Highways from Km 16/825 to 17/080(RHS) and across Km 17/080 of Avinashi-Tiruppur-Avinashilingampalayam road of HN-381 in the state of Tamil Nadu was submitted to this office by the SE, NH, Salem vide letter No.1663/2020/JDO/NH/dated 12.08.2020(received on 18.08.2020) 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, TWAD Board, RWS Division, Tiruppur is to lay the underground water pipe line 250mm dia along the National Highways from Km 16/825 to 17/080(RHS) and across Km 17/080 of Avinashi-Tiruppur-Avinashilingampalayam road of HN-381 in the state of Tamil Nadu i.e. in a length of 255m as detailed under:

Stretch in Km.	Length (Km)	ROW (m)	Dist. Of Prop. Water Pipeline from Centre line of NH (m)
l	_HS Size of the	e pipe - 250mm dia DI pi	ре
Km 16/825 to 16/900	0.075	25.60	12.65
Km 16/900 to 17/000	0.100	28.00	Varies14.85 to17.05
Km 17/000 to 17/080	0.080	25.20	Varies14.85 to11.45

- 3. The right of way is 25.20m to 28.00m in the aforesaid stretch. The carriageway width of both side aforesaid stretch is 14.50 to15.50m. The Executive Engineer, TWAD Board. RWS Division, Tiruppur has proposed to lay the underground water pipeline at the edge of the ROW for the length of 255m. However, in the entire length of 155m the underground pipeline is proposed to be laid at a distance less than 15m from the centre line of the carriageway which is not in conformity with Ministry's guidelines vide letter No.NHIII/P/66/76 dated 19.11.1976. Further by the Executive Engineer, TWAD Board, RWS Division, Tiruppur has mentioned that the underground water pipeline is proposed to lay by using *Trench method* where the distance is less than 15m from the center line of the carriageway and crossing at the -Km 17/080 by using in *Trenchless method*.
- 4. The Executive Engineer, TWAD Board, RWS Division, Tiruppur underground water pipeline has furnished an undertaking to the effect that TWAD will remove the laid underground water supply pipeline 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 TWAD will also restore the surfaces to its original condition soon after removal of the underground water supply pipeline. Also, certificated that the proposed underground water supply pipeline 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 application 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 from distance criteria is invited to the below mentioned address:

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

Encl: As Above.

Yours Sincerely,

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Copy to:

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

2. The Superintending Engineer, National Highways, Salem-636 004- for information

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