Government of India Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (Small Hydro Power Division)

Atal Akshay Urja Bhawan Opp. CGO Complex Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110003 Dated: 13.03.2023

To,

The Chief Engineer/HPC&HP
Telangana State Power Generation Corporation Limited (TSGENCO)
3rd Floor, Vidyut Soudha
Hyderabad – 500 082
Telangana

Subject: Application for providing details on major fire broke out in late night hours in an underground hydroelectric power plant in Srisailam in Telangana - reg.

Sir.

With reference to the subject mentioned above, an RTI has been received from Sh. Kareem Ansari requesting details on a major fire that broke out in late night in an underground hydroelectric power plant in Srisailam district in Telangana.

2. In this regard, the said RTI application (copy enclosed) has been forwarded to you with a request to give suitable reply to Sh. Kareem Ansari with the details as requested by him. A copy of the reply of the RTI application may also kindly be sent to this Ministry.

Enclo: As above.

Yours faithfully

(S. K. Shahi) Scientist 'D'

Email: sk.shahi@nic.in

Copy to:

Sh. Kareem Ansari, Yugantar (75RZ3JGQ), 3-4-142/6, Barkatpur, Hyderabad – 500027 with a request to pursue the matter with Telangana State Power Generation Corporation Limited (TSGENCO).

2. Adviser, SHP.

Request For information under Right to Information Act (2005)

Hyderabad 20 Feb 2023

To: Central Public Information Officer Ministry of New and Renewable Energy Block-14 CGO Complex Lodhi Road Delhi, DL 110 003

Subject: Provide the details on major fire broke out in late night hours

Dear Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to the Right to Information Act (2005), I hereby request the following information:

On 20 August 2020, a major fire broke out in late night hours in an underground hydroelectric power plant in Srisailam in the state of Telangana. The fire blaze killed 9 people, including 5 engineers.

- Provide the details of equipment damaged in the fire.
- Provide the value of the equipment damaged.
- 3.Provide the details equipment which is damaged in the incident is repaired. If repaired, was it commissioned. If commissioned, when was it commissioned
- 4.From the time of the accident to the date of commissioning of the damaged equipment, Provide the number of units of potential power generating capacity in MW Hrs was lost.
- 5. Provide the power generating capacity in MW before the fire accident
- Provide the details of the power generating capacity now.

Please provide clear copies of or verified links to any gazettes, notifications, circulars or any other public communications, as well as reports, budget documents, expense statements, invoices, meeting notes, checklists, office memos or emails that provide information on this matter. See Section 2(i) and 2(j) of the RTI Act (2005).

In conforming to Section 6(3), if this information is not within your control please transfer the request to the appropriate PIO and inform me of the transfer.

I have included an IPO (60F 219783) in the amount of ₹10. Kindly inform me of any additional charges associated with fulfilling this request.

In the interest of expediency, and to minimize the research and/or duplication burden on your staff, send records electronically if possible. The email address is provided below. Otherwise, please send clear photocopies to the postal address.

Email: 75rz3jgq@yourti.in Postal reply to: Kareem Ansari Yugantar (75RZ3JGQ) 3-4-142/6, Barkatpura Hyderabad 500027

Sincerely,

Kareem Ansari