## MINUTES OF 6<sup>TH</sup> BOARD OF CHIEF ENGINEERS MEETING HELD ON 08.08.2024 @ 11.30 AM THROUGH HYBRID MODE (BOTH PHYSICAL AS WELL AS VIRTUAL MODES) IN RESPECT OF AGENDA NO.2 VIZ., FIXATION OF RATES FOR STEEL AND PH ITEMS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 2024.

At the outset, the Engineer-in-Chief (AW/IW), WR Dept. & Chairman, BoCEs, has welcomed all the members to the Board of Chief Engineers meeting to discuss on various agenda items. The list of members attended the meetings are appended vide Annexure-I. The Engineer-in-Chief (AW/IW) initiated the discussions.

## Agenda-2: Fixation of rates for Steel and PH items for the month of July-2024 - Reg.

In terms of G.O.Ms.No.62, WR (REFORMS) Dept., Dt:30.11.2021, the BoCEs reviewed the quotations obtained through E-mail as well as enquires made through Telephonic mode and the rates adopted by Other States for the Steel Item rates.

For the item Nos. 7 to 12, specifically useful to PH Department, the draft rates are finalized as per the rates furnished by the Engineer-in-Chief, PH Department and based on the rates finalized in neighbouring States.

## **BoCEs recommendation:**

The members have examined the draft rates and after thorough discussion, the BoCEs recommend to keep the June-2024 rates for the month July-2024 also for Steel and P.H.items as follows;

SI. No.	Material	Rates at site as Recommended in the present Meeting for the month of July 2024. (Excluding GST/Rate per MT)
	STEEL	( maining of mate per int )
1	6mm M.S. Rods	Rs.57,000 /- (Rupees Fifty Seven Thousand only)
2	M.S. Flats	Rs.61,000 /-(Rupees Sixty One Thousand only)
3	Mild steel, structural Steel, i.e., Angles, Channels & I – Sections	Rs.60,000 /-(Rupees Sixty Thousand only)
4	TMT / HYSD bars (Produced by ISI approved firms of bearing ISI Standard Mark.)	
a)	Fe-415	Rs.59,000 /-(Rupees Fifty Nine Thousand only)
b)	Fe-500/Fe-500D/Fe-550	Rs.60,000 /- (Rupees Sixty Thousand only)
5	M.S. Plates	Rs.66,000 /-(Rupees Sixty Six Thousand only)
6	HSCR Steel bars	Rs.61,000 /- (Rupees Sixty One Thousand only)
	PH Items	Rate per MT
7	P.C. drawn Wire / H.T. Wire 3mm	Rs.66,000 /- (Rupees Sixty Six Thousand only)
3	P.C. drawn Steel wire / HT Wire 4mm	Rs.65,000 /- (Rupees Sixty Five Thousand only)
)	H.R. Sheet in coils 1.6 mm	Rs.62,000/- (Rupees Sixty Two Thousand only)

10	H.R. Sheet in coils 2.0 mm	Rs.60,000/- (Rupees Sixty Thousand only)
		Rs.54,000/- ( Rupees Fifty Four Thousand only)
11	5.5/6.0 mm M S Wire rod	
12	Foundry Grade Pig Iron (2.00 to 2.24)	Rs.52,000/- (Rupees Fifty Two Thousand only)

This is submitted for consideration of Government for approval.

Action: Engineer-in-Chief (AW/IW), WR Dept.,

Engineer-in-Chief (AW/IW), WRD, Vijayawada & Chairman, Board of Chief Engineers