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To,

Shri. B.S.Patil,  
Former Chief Secretary to GoK,  
No.149, 5<sup>th</sup> Cross, 10<sup>th</sup> Main,  
RMV extension,  
Bangalore-560 080.

Sir,

Sub: Bangalore Metro Phase-II- Proposed route through Road-2, EPIP Industrial Area, Whitefield.

Ref: 1. Your Note: Dated 26.09.2012.

2. Discussions during meeting held on 26.02.2013 under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary GoK.

1. With reference to the above letter under reference No.1, the discussions were held during meeting on 26.02.2013 under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary at Committee room Vidhana Soudha, regarding the Metro Rail alignment of Phase-2 through Road-2, EPIP Industrial Area, Whitefield. During discussions, the present alignment and Vaidehi Hospital station location details on Baiyappanahalli-Whitefield section of Metro line were explained.
2. During the meeting, you have suggested for shifting the present alignment to the road median in the centre in the section between Vaidehi Hospital station and BMTC bus stand. In this connection, it was explained that in case the alignment is shifted on to the road median and taken to the left side near Vaidehi Hospital circle, much of the property of BMTC including BMTC bus stand has to be acquired and demolished rendering the public transport infrastructure useless and diminishing the intra-city transport facility for local commuters. This is neither desirable nor acceptable in public interest. Incidentally in addition to demolition of BMTC bus stand, additional area of multistoried buildings on the north of Vaidehi Hospital station will have to be acquired and demolished. Therefore it is not possible to accommodate the alignment at the center of the road on the road median in the section between Vaidehi Hospital station and BMTC bus stand.
3. The suggestion of shifting the alignment on to road median has been reexamined and it is found not feasible.

This is for your information.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

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