



TELANGANA STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
5th Floor, Singareni Bhavan, Red Hills, Lakdi-ka-pul, Hyderabad 500 004

O. P. (SR) No. 57 of 2022
&
I. A. (SR) No. 58 of 2022

Dated 30.09.2022

Present

Sri T. Sriranga Rao, Chairman
Sri M. D. Manohar Raju, Member (Technical)
Sri Bandaru Krishnaiah, Member (Finance)

Between:

Northern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited,
Corporate Office, H.No.2-5-31/2, Vidyut Bhavan,
Nakkalagutta, Hanamkonda,
Warangal – 506 001.

... Petitioner

AND

- None -

... Respondents

The petition came up for hearing on 22.09.2022. Sri. Mohammad Bande Ali, Law Attaché for petitioner is present on 22.09.2022. The petition having been heard and having stood over for consideration to this day, the Commission passed the following:

ORDER

Northern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited (TSNPDCL) (petitioner) has filed a petition in accordance with the clause 9 of APERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff for Wheeling and Retail Sale of Electricity) Regulation, 2005 (Regulation No.4 of 2005) as adopted by the Commission vide TSERC (Adoption) Regulation No.1 of 2014 seeking approval of power procurement plan for the 5th year being FY 2023-24 of the 4th control period.

2. The petitioner has sought the following prayer in the petition.
- i. Take the accompanying application of TSNPDCL on record and treat it as complete.*
 - ii. To condone the delay in filing and approve the power procurement plan for FY 2023-24 (the last year of the 4th control period).*
 - iii. Permit the DISCOM to submit the power procurement plan for the 5th control period along with ensuing resource plan filings.*
 - iv. Grant suitable opportunity to TSNPDCL within a reasonable time frame to file additional material information that may be subsequently required.”*

3. The petitioner has also filed an interlocutory application seeking condonation of delay in filing the petition for power procurement plan for the 4th year being FY 2023-24 of the 4th control period which according to the petitioner was required to be filed by 01.04.2022.

4. The applicant has sought the following prayer in the application:
- a. Condone the delay in filing of the power procurement plan for 4th control period (FY 2023-24) for the reasons stated above.*
 - b. Permit the licensee to file the power procurement plan for the 5th control period FY 2024-25 to FY 2028-29 along with the ensuing resource plan filings for 5th and 6th control periods.*

5. The Commission has heard the petitioner and the submissions on 22.09.2022 are as extracted below.

Record of proceedings dated 22.09.2022:

“... .. The representative of the petitioner stated that the matter is relating to approval of power procurement and the matter has been considered by the Commission earlier on regulatory side. Since the next control period filing is to be done in the next few months, the Commission may take a view in the matter. Having considered the submissions and having already perused the issue on regulatory side, the matter is reserved for orders.”

6. The Commission having noticed the submissions recorded above and in view of the fact that the matter has been examined already on its regulatory side, do not

wish to express any opinion in the matter. The Commission is of the view that in any case, the licensee is required to file the resource plan including the power procurement plan for the next control period in a few months time. Therefore, examining this petition at this point of time is futile exercise. Accordingly, the petition is refused to be entertained and thus it is rejected. Consequently, the interlocutory application does not survive and accordingly the same also stands rejected.

This order is corrected and signed on this the 30th day of September, 2022.

Sd/- (BANDARU KRISHNAIAH) MEMBER	Sd/- (M. D. MANOHAR RAJU) MEMBER	Sd/- (T. SRIRANGA RAO) CHAIRMAN
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