

Petition No. 1663 of 2020

BEFORE

THE UTTAR PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION LUCKNOW

Date of Order: 22.95.2021

IN THE MATTER OF:

Petition filed under Section 86 (1) (b) and (e) read with Section 63 of Electricity Act, 2003 for adoption of Tariff discovered through competitive bidding process instituted for procurement of 20 ± 25% MW Bagasse based power for the period of 10 years and approval of PPA executed by UPPCL with (i) M/s Balrampur Chini Mills Ltd, unit-Maizapur Distt. Gonda for 5MW on date 20.11.2020, (ii). M/s Balrampur Chini Mills Ltd, unit-Tulsipur, Distt. Balrampur for 2 MW on date 20.11.2020, (iii). M/s Daya Sugar, Gagalheri, Saharanpur for 5 MW on date 23.11.2020, (iv). M/s Oswal Overseas Limited, Village Aurangabad, Teh. Nawabganj for 4 MW on date 24.11.2020 and (v). M/s Gobind Sugar Mills Ltd., Aira, Khamaria, Lakhimpur Kheri for 2.94MW on date 28.11.2020.

AND

Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Ltd. 14-Ashok Marg, Shakti Bhawan, Lucknow-226001.

Petitioner

- 1. M/s Balrampur Chini Mills Ltd, unit-Maizapur Address: A-1/118, Vishwas Khand, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow-226010
- 2. M/s Balrampur Chini Mills Ltd, unit-Tulsipur Address: A-1/118, Vishwas Khand, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow-226010
- 3. M/s Daya Sugar Private Limited (A unit of B.K. Investment Services Pvt. Ltd.)

Address: Village-Nayabans, P.O.- Gagalheri, Dist- Saharanpur. U.P. 247669

- 4. M/s Oswal Overseas Limited
 - Address: Village- Aurangabad, Teh- Nawabganj, P.O.- Grem, Distt.-Bareilly, U.P.-243407
- M/s Gobind Sugar Mills Limited.Address: Aira, Khamaria, Lakhimpur Kheri-262711

Respondents



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The following were present:

- 1. Sh. Deepak, Raizada, CE (PPA-II)
- 2. Sh. D.D.Chopra, Counsel, Gobind Sugar
- 3. Sh. Vijay Kumar Mishra, Oswal Sugar
- 4. Sh. Sndeep Agarwal
- 5. Sh. Sachida Nand Mishra
- 6. Sh. Aditya Singh
- 7. Sh. Niraj Mishra

(Date of hearing: 23.02.2021)

- UPPCL has filed this Petition under Section 86 (1) (b) and (e) read with Section 63 of Electricity Act, 2003 for adoption of Tariff discovered through competitive bidding process for procurement of 20 MW (+/-25%) bagasse-based power for the period of 10 years and approval of PPAs executed by UPPCL with respondents.
- 2. The following prayers are made in the Petition:
 - a) adopt the tariff discovered through competitive bidding as put up under Para- vii
 - approve the PPAs signed with successful bidders as submitted under Para- viii & x of the Petition; and
 - c) pass such order or direction as may be deemed fit in the matter

Brief facts in Petition

- 3. UPPCL initiated a competitive bidding process in March 2020 for procurement of 20 MW (\pm 25%) from bagasse-based co-generation generating stations for long term of 10 Years for meeting the Renewable Power Purchase Obligations.
- 4. The Commission approved the Model Bidding Documents for long term power procurement from bagasse based co-generating stations vide Order dated 13.10.2017 in Petition No. 1224/2017and subsequent amendments vide Order dated 25.6.2018 in Petition No. 1308/2018.
- 5. UPPCL issued the Bid Documents on 19.03.2020 and the same were made available on website https://etender.up.nic.in/. The last date for bid submission on e-tender portal was 15.07.2020. The Technical bids were opened the Technical Bids on 16.07.2020 and following bids were found responsive:

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