



Petition No 1565 of 2020
Before
UTTAR PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
Lucknow

Quorum

Sh. Raj Pratap Singh, Chairman

Sh. Kaushal Kishore Sharma, Member

Sh. Vinod Kumar Srivastava, Member (Law)

In the matter of: (a) Petition under Regulation 18 of Uttar Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Promotion of Green Energy through Renewable Purchase Obligation) Regulations, 2010 read with Regulation 57 of UPERC (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2019 seeking relaxation of Regulation 7 regarding implementation of the RPO Regulatory Fund as mandated by UPERC in its Order dated 30.12.2019, in the matter pertaining to Suo-Moto proceedings regarding meeting of RPO targets by the obligated entities.

(b) And hearing on notice dated 30.03.2021 issued to Director (Finance) UPPCL, under Section 142 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for non-compliance of Commission's Order dated 30.12.2019 in Suo-Moto proceedings and order dated 18.12.2020 in Petition no. 1565 of 2020.

1. Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Ltd. Through its Chief Engineer, PPA (Renewable), 14th Floor, Shakti Bhawan, 14, Ashok Marg, Lucknow- 226001.
2. Paschimanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited, through its Managing Director, Victoria Park, Meerut.
3. Madhyanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited, through its Managing Director, 4-A Gokhale Marg, Lucknow- 226001.
4. Purvanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited, through its Managing Director, Purvanchal Vidyut Bhawan DLW Varanasi.
5. Dakshinanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited, through its Managing Director Urja Bhawan, 220 Kv Up Sansthan Bypass Road Agra 282007.
6. Kanpur Electricity Supply Company Limited, through its Managing Director, Civil Lines KESA House, Kanpur.





.....Petitioners

Versus

1. Noida Power Company Limited through its Managing Director, Commercial Complex H- Block, Alpha Sector II, Greater Noida – 201308.
2. Uttar Pradesh New and Renewable Energy Development Agency through its Director, Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow.

..... Respondents

The following were present:

1. Sh. Deepak Raizada, UPPCL
2. Sh. Sitesh Mukharjee, Advocate, UPPCL
3. Sh. Abhishek Kumar, Advocate, UPPCL
4. Sh. Alok Sharma, head Legal NPCL
5. Sh. Sanket Srivastava, NPCL
6. Sh. A.K Arora, NPCL

ORDER

(Date of Hearing 03.06.2021)

1. Sh. Sitesh Mukharjee, Counsel of UPPCL submitted that the Commission in its Order dated 29.04.2021 had observed that UPPCL has partly complied with the Commission's Order dated 30.12.2019 but the entire amount is yet to be deposited. The Commission directed UPPCL to deposit the full amount and comply with the Order in totality. The Commission however in the wake of part compliance of the Orders exempted Director (Finance) from personal appearance in Section 142 proceedings and the Commission to take a final view on the same once the compliance is made by UPPCL in line with the directions issued from time to the time. The Commission further directed UPPCL to submit pending information regarding the year wise status of RPO compliance indicating how much backlog has been cleared by till 31st March 2021 and RPO compliance status of FY 2020-21.
2. Sh. Sitesh Mukharjee, Counsel of UPPCL submitted that the Commission issued directions on two issues one was compliance of Regulatory Fund and other was the information regarding compliance of RPO till 31st March, 2021. Accordingly, the Petitioner has filed information regarding the details of amount deposited in the RPO



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