## PUNJAB STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION SITE NO. 3, BLOCK B, SECTOR 18-A, MADHYA MARG, CHANDIGARH

## IA No. 05 of 2021 in Petition No. 04 of 2020 Date of Order: 30.06.2021

Approval of the Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs) and Procurement Process of Punjab State Power Corporation Limited related to the procurement of power from the Hydro and Nuclear Generating Stations.

In the matter of : Punjab State Power Corporation Ltd., The Mall, Patiala.

... Petitioner

Present: Sh. Viswajeet Khanna, Chairperson Ms. Anjuli Chandra, Member Sh. Paramjeet Singh, Member

## ORDER

PSPCL filed petition No. 04 of 2020 for approval of the power purchase agreements (PPAs) from the Hydro and Nuclear Generating Stations and the Commission disposed of the petition vide Order dated 08.12.2020.

PSPCL filed the present IA for clarification/modification of the Order dated 08.12.2020 as to whether the Order includes the approval to renew the PPAs with Bairasuil, Sewa-2, Chamera-3, Uri-2 and Prabati-3 Hydro Generation Stations of NHPC. After hearing the parties, Order was reserved vide Order dated 07.05.2021. However, the Commission finds it appropriate to seek the following information for proper adjudication of the matter.

- The period for which Power Purchase Agreements in respect of Sewa-II, Chamera-III, Uri-II, Parbati-III and Bairasuil Hydro Power Stations are to be renewed by PSPCL.
- The levelised tariff in respect of Sewa-II hydro power station has been submitted as Rs. 5.15/kWh whereas tariff for FY 2023-24 to FY 2025-26 has been submitted as Rs. 4.19/kWh, Rs. 4.24/kWh and Rs.

4.33/kWh respectively. PSPCL to provide the reasons and justification for high levelised tariff of Sewa-II Hydro Power Station.

PSPCL shall provide the above information within two weeks. The next date of hearing, if so required, shall be intimated to PSPCL separately.

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(Paramjeet Singh) Member (Anjuli Chandra) Member (Viswajeet Khanna) Chairperson

Chandigarh Dated: **30.06.2021**