

**BEFORE THE GUJARAT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
GANDHINAGAR**

Petition No. 1893 of 2020.

In the Matter of:

Petition under Section 3.2 & 3.3 of Rated Voltages and Section 9.21 & 9.22 of Power Relaxation and Power to Remove Difficulties of the GERC (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) Regulations, 2015.

Petitioner : Vadilal Industries Limited

Represented by : Nobody was present.

V/s.

Respondent No 1: Uttar Gujarat Vij Company Limited,

Represented By : Shri Kaushik B. Chaudhari

CORAM:

Mehul M. Gandhi, Member

S. R. Pandey, Member

Date: 24/08/2021.

ORDER

1) The present Petition has been filed by the Petitioner seeking following reliefs:

- (a) To admit the Petition;
- (b) To direct and hold that for the occasional overloading situation as in case of subject matter, extreme measure like disconnection need not be exercised at least till specific reason as permissible under the Supply Code is available;

- (c) To direct and hold and declare that in given situation, the provision for load limit of 4000 KVA under para 3.2 of the Supply Code be relaxed by +10% and connection be continued at 11 kV voltage level;
- (d) Last date of payment of estimate (which yet to be received) from UGVCL for 66 KV connectivity be extended till decision on this Petition by the Commission;
- (e) To pass any other relief as may deem fit.
- 2) The Petitioner has filed present Petition under clause 3.2 & 3.3 pertaining to rated voltage of supply and clause 9.21 & 9.22 regarding 'Power of Relaxation and Power to Remove Difficulties' of the GERC (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) Regulations, 2015.
- 3) The matter was listed for hearing on 23.08.2021.
- 4) During the hearing, nobody was present on behalf of the Petitioner but office of the Commission received an affidavit dated 21.08.2021 of the Petitioner seeking permission to withdraw the present Petition through letter No. VIL/Power/UGVCL/Addl. Load/Petition dated 21.08.2021. In the aforesaid affidavit, the Petitioner has stated that the Respondent UGVCL had served estimate on 03.09.2020 for conversion of supply voltage level from 11 kV to 66 kV in line with applicable provisions of the Supply Code. It is also stated that due to prevailing pandemic situation in the country which affected business of the Petitioner resulting into applying for deferment of the said estimate till improvement in business scenario. However, with continuous improvement in the pandemic situation country wide, the Petitioner has been able to accept the estimate for conversion of 11 kV supply to 66 kV supply and the Petitioner has paid the estimate amount to the Respondents on 14.12.2020 and has already started project for conversion of supply voltage to 66 kV voltage and now the project is in advanced stage of implementation and likely to be completed shortly. It is also submitted that under such circumstances, the cause of the Petition has ebbed and accordingly, the Petitioner has requested the Commission that the permission sought by the Petitioner to allow withdrawal of present Petition be granted by the Commission.

- 5) Shri Kaushik B. Chaudhari , on behalf of the Respondent UGVCL, submitted that since the Petitioner wants to withdraw the present Petition as stated above through an affidavit dated 21.08.2021 filed in this regard, the Respondent UGVCL has no objection to withdrawal of the Petition sought by the Petitioner .
- 6) We have considered the above submission made by the Respondent UGVCL in light of an affidavit dated 21.08.2021 filed by the Petitioner seeking permission to withdraw the present Petition through letter No. VIL/Power/UGVCL/Addl. Load/Petition dated 21.08.2021. We note that as per above affidavit, the Petitioner is now not inclined to pursue the subject Petition and has sought permission of the Commission for withdrawal of the Petition and that the Respondent has no objection to same since the Petitioner is seeking withdrawal without any reservations.
- 7) As noted supra, since the Petitioner is seeking withdrawal of the present Petition, we, allow the request made by the Petitioner seeking withdrawl of the present Petition.
- 8) With this order, the present Petition stands disposed of as withdrawn by the Petitioner and is disposed of accordingly.
- 9) We order accordingly.

Sd/-
[S. R. Pandey]
Member

Sd/-
[Mehul M. Gandhi]
Member

Place: Gandhinagar.

Date: 24/08/2021.