

**CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
**New Delhi**

**Petition No. 274/TT/2020**

**Subject** : Petition for revision of transmission tariff of the 2004-09 and 2009-14 tariff periods, truing up of transmission tariff of the 2014-19 tariff period and determination of transmission tariff for the 2019-24 tariff period for Transmission System associated with Kathalguri Gas-based Combined Cycle Project in North Eastern Region.

**Date of Hearing** : 10.9.2021

**Coram** : Shri P. K. Pujari, Chairperson  
Shri Arun Goyal, Member  
Shri P. K. Singh, Member

**Petitioner** : Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd.

**Respondents** : Assam Electricity Grid Corporation Ltd. (AEGCL) and 6 others

**Parties Present** : Shri S.S. Raju, PGCIL  
Shri A.K. Verma, PGCIL  
Shri V.P. Rastogi, PGCIL  
Shri D.K. Biswal, PGCIL

**Record of Proceedings**

Case was called out for virtual hearing.

2. The representative of the Petitioner made the following submissions:
- a. The instant petition is filed for revision of transmission tariff of the 2004-09 and 2009-14 tariff periods, truing up of transmission tariff of the 2014-19 tariff period and determination of transmission tariff for the 2019-24 tariff period in respect of following five assets under Transmission System associated with Kathalguri Gas-based Combined Cycle Project in North Eastern Region:
- Asset-I: 400 kV D/C Kathalguri-Mariani Transmission Line;
- Asset-II: 400 kV D/C Mariani-Misa & 400 kV Kathalguri-Misa Transmission Lines;
- Asset-III: 400 kV Misa-Balipara Ckt. I & II, 400 kV Balipara-Bongaigaon and Balipara-Tezpur Transmission Lines;
- Asset-IV: Bongaigaon-New Siliguri (inter-regional asset of Eastern Region and North Eastern Region); and
- Asset-V: New Siliguri-Malda Transmission Line is covered in the instant Petition.
- b. The date of commercial operation (COD) of all the assets is during 1995-2000 period and the effective COD of the Combined Asset is 15.10.1999;



- c. The revision of transmission tariff for 2004-09 period and consequent revised transmission tariff for the 2009-14 period has been claimed by the Petitioner in line with the order dated 18.1.2019 in the Petition No. 121/2007;
  - d. The transmission tariff of the 2014-19 period was allowed by the Commission *vide* order dated 29.1.2016 in Petition No. 380/TT/2016;
  - e. ACE and de-capitalisation is proposed during 2019-24 period on account of balance/ retention payment against tower strengthening work of LOC-288 of 400 kV D/C Bongaigaon-Balipara Transmission Line and replacement of old CT, CVT, Isolators and other relay line protection panel and bus bar protection panel at Misa, Balipara and Bongaigaon Sub-stations. ACE of ₹2314.26 and de-capitalisation of ₹1617.35 lakh is proposed during 2019-24 period;
  - f. The information sought in the technical validation letter has been filed *vide* affidavit dated 14.7.2021. None of the respondents have filed any reply in the matter.
3. After hearing the parties, the Commission reserved the order in the matter.

**By order of the Commission**

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(V. Sreenivas)  
Deputy Chief (Law)

