CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION **NEW DELHI**

Petition No. 558/MP/2025

: Petition under Section 79(1) of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with Subject

Regulation 65 of the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission

(Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2023.

Petitioner : NRSS XXIX Transmission Limited (NRSS XXIX)

Respondents : Northern Regional Power Committee and Ors.

Date of Hearing : 8.7.2025

Coram : Shri Jishnu Barua, Chairperson

> Shri Ramesh Babu V., Member Shri Harish Dudani, Member

Shri Ravinder Singh Dhillon, Member

Parties Present : Shri Venkatesh, Advocate, NRSS XXIX

Shri Ashutosh Srivastav, Advocate, NRSS XXIX

Ms. Manu Tiwari, Advocate, NRSS XXIX

Ms. Aparajita Upadhyay, Advocate, NRSS XXIX

Shri Aditya Tiwar, Advocate, NRSS XXIX

Record of Proceedings

Learned counsel for the Petitioner submitted that the present Petition has been filed seeking urgent directions to the NRPC to grant deemed availability for its 400 kV Sambha – Amargarh transmission line during the shutdown/outage period from 20.1.2022 to 8.2.2022 ("Outage Period") in light of the "Revised Standard Operating Procedure for Shifting of Transmission Lines for other Infrastructure Projects" dated 14.1.2025 issued by the CEA and a liberty granted by the Appellate Tribunal for Electricity vide order dated 23.1.2025 in Appeal No. 277 of 2024.

- 2. Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the Petitioner, the Commission directed as under:
 - (a) Issue notice to the Respondents, subject to just exceptions;
 - The Respondents to file their respective replies, if any, within six weeks with a (b) copy to the Petitioner, who may file its rejoinder, within four weeks thereafter.
- 3. The Petition will be listed for hearing on 11.11.2025.

By order of the Commission Sd/-(T.D. Pant) Joint Chief (Law)