BEFORE THE GUJARAT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION GANDHINAGAR

Petition No. 2438 of 2025.

In the Matter of:

Petition under Section 86 of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with Regulations 80 and 82 of the GERC (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2004 read with Gujarat Renewable Energy Policy, 2023 and Amendments thereof and the Tariff Order dated 31.08.2024 praying before the Commission to exercise its powers under Section 86 of the Electricity Act, 2003 and direct the Respondent GETCO to grant extension of time for commissioning of the Evacuation Line along with bays and metering system of the 4.15 MW Solar – Wind Hybrid Project.

Petitioner / Applicant : Durga Processors Pvt. Ltd.

A/501 – B, International Commerce Centre, Nr. Kadiwala School, Opp. Civil Hospital, Ring Road, Surat, Gujarat – 395 002.

Represented By : Ld. Adv. M. N. Marfatia

V/s.

Respondent No. 1 : Gujarat Energy Transmission Corp. Ltd.

Sardar Patel Vidyut Bhavan,

Race Course, Vadodara – 390 007.

Represented By : Mr. Aneesh Bajaj along with Mr. Shobhraj

Jaiswal

Respondent No. 2 : Gujarat Energy Development Agency

4th Floor, Block No. 11 & 12, Udyog Bhavan,

Sector -11, Gandhinagar - 382 017.

Represented by : Mr. Anil Patel and Mr. Parthik Patel

Respondent No. 3 : Gujarat Urja Vikas Nigam Ltd.

Sardar Patel Vidyut Bhavan,

Race Course, Vadodara - 390 007.

Represented by : Mr. Kishor Lakhani

CORAM:

Mehul M. Gandhi, Member S.R. Pandey, Member

Date: 04/09/2025.

DAILY ORDER

- 1. The matter was kept for hearing on 19.08.2025.
- 2. Ld. Adv. M. N. Marfatia appearing on behalf the Petitioner submitted that the present Petition is filed by the Petitioner to direct the Respondent GETCO to grant extension of time for commissioning of the Evacuation Line along with bays and metering system of the 4.15 MW Solar power Project.
- 2.1. Ld. Adv. further submitted that the rejoinder has been filed by the Petitioner and the arguments are completed by the parties and the Petitioner has nothing to add to the pleadings. Hence, the Petitioner requested to reserve the present matter.
- 3. Ld. Adv. Aneesh Bajaj appearing on behalf of the Respondent No.1 GETCO submitted that the Petitioner has misplaced the applicability of the tariff Order of the Commission. He submitted that the responsibility of the Petitioner to construct the evacuation line and commission the capacity of the power project within the time. The Petitioner was granted Stage-II Connectivity on 30.12.2023 for 4.15 MW capacity for its solar power project under captive mode as per the Tariff Order dated 08.05.2020, which was at

the time of connectivity is considered. The Petitioner has considered the

timeline as per Order dated 31.08.2024 which was issued after the grant of

connectivity to the Petitioner. He also submitted that the Respondent has also

submitted its submissions, therefore, the Commission may decide the matter.

4. Heard the parties. As the parties have completed their pleading and do not

desire to argue in the present matter, the matter is reserved for final order.

We decide and direct the parties to file their written submissions, if any

within three weeks' time. The matter will be reserved for final Order

thereafter.

5. Order accordingly.

Sd/-[S. R. Pandey] Member

Sd/-[Mehul M. Gandhi] Member

Place: Gandhinagar.

Date: 04/09/2<mark>025.</mark>