

**CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
NEW DELHI**

Petition No.755/TL/2025

Subject : Petition under Sections 14, 15 and 79(1)(e) of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (Procedure, Terms and Conditions for Grant of Transmission License and other related matters) Regulations, 2024 for grant of transmission license to NER Expansion Transmission Limited.

Petitioner : NER Expansion Transmission Limited (NERETL)

Respondents : Central Transmission Utility of India Limited (CTUIL) & Ors.

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Subject : Petition under Section 63 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for adoption of transmission charges with respect to the transmission system to be implemented by NER Expansion Transmission Limited (a 100% wholly owned subsidiary of Resonia Limited - erstwhile Sterlite Grid 32 Limited).

Petitioner : NER Expansion Transmission Limited

Respondents : Central Transmission Utility of India Limited and Ors.

Date of Hearing : **18.9.2025**

Coram : Shri Jishnu Barua, Chairperson
Shri Ramesh Babu V., Member
Shri Harish Dudani, Member
Shri Ravinder Singh Dhillon, Member

Parties Present : Shri Deep Rao Palepu, Advocate, NERETL
Ms. Iqra Khan, Advocate, NERETL
Shri Sandeep Rajpurohit, NERETL
Shri Anirudhha, PFCCL

Record of Proceedings

The learned counsel for the Petitioner submitted that the present Petitions have been filed for the grant of a transmission licence to establish the “North Eastern Region Expansion Scheme-XXV (NERES-XXV) Part-A” (‘the Project’) and for the adoption of the transmission charges in respect of the Project discovered pursuant to the tariff based competitive bidding process.

2. After hearing the representative of the Petitioner, the Commission directed as under:

(a) The Petitioner to implead East North Interconnection Company Limited (ENICL) and POWERGRID (owning Alipurduar and Bongaigaon S/s) as party to the present Petition and file a revised memo of Parties within two days.

(b) Admit and issue notice to the Respondents, subject to just exceptions;

(c) The Respondents, including impleaded Respondents, are to file their respective replies, if any, within a week with a copy to the Petitioner, who may file its rejoinder, within a week thereafter.

(d) It is noted that the BPC, i.e., PFCCL, has not complied with the direction of the Commission for furnishing the requisite bid documents within the stipulated period. The BPC is accordingly directed to ensure strict compliance with the directions issued from time to time, within the prescribed timeline in future.

3. The Petition will be listed for the hearing **7.10.2025**.

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