

## Most Important

No. F. 3(49)/Tariff/DERC/2010-11/2395

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To,

The Chief Executive Officer,  
M/s BSES Rajdhani Power Ltd.,  
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New Delhi – 110019

The Chief Executive Officer,  
M/s BSES Yamuna Power Ltd.,  
Shakti Kiran Building,  
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The Chief Executive Officer,  
North Delhi Power Ltd,  
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Delhi – 110 009.

**Sub.: Media Campaign on matter relating to tariff fixation and submission of documents after conclusion of Public Hearing.**

Sir,

The Commission has noticed that some Distribution Licensees have been rushing to the Press and making statements on the issues relating to tariff fixation even though the tariff petitions are pending before the Commission and the hearing has been concluded. Certain newspapers have also reported statements made by CEO of one Distribution Licensee on tariff fixation. It is inappropriate to make such statements in the press on the issues relating to tariff petitions pending for decision before the Commission. The Commission takes a serious view on the matter.

2. In view of the above, **all Distribution Licensees are directed not to make statement in the Press on any matter relating to tariff fixation.**

3. It has also been noticed that the Distribution Licensees are sending papers and representations to the Commission on the tariff related issues after the closure of public hearing. The Distribution Licensees should appreciate that after the closure of public hearing they should file papers or documents before the Commission on tariff related issues only when they are asked specifically to do so as the evidences/documents filed after the closure of the public hearing cannot be made available to the public for their comments.

4. In view of the above, the **Commission directs that no suo motto information shall be submitted by the Licensees as it would be unfair for the Commission even to consider such information for fixation of tariff and other related issues.**

Yours faithfully,

(Amarendra K. Tewary)  
Secretary