

Delhi Electricity Regulatory Commission

Viniyamak Bhawan, 'C' Block, Shivalik, Malviya Nagar, New Delhi – 17.

No. F.11(1337)/DERC/2015-16/C.F.5123

Petition No. 06/2016

In the matter of : Petition seeking adoption of tariff determined through transparent process of Case 1 RE-Bidding Procedure under Section 63 of the Electricity Act, 2003 and of the approval of signing of proposed Power Purchase Agreement in terms of the DERC (Renewable Purchase Obligation and Renewable Energy Certificate Framework implementation) Regulations, 2012 read with DERC Comprehensive Conduct of Business Regulations, 2001.

Tata Power Delhi Distribution Ltd. Through its Managing Director NDPL House, Hudson Lines, Kingsway Camp Delhi 110 009

.....Petitioner

Coram: Sh. J.P. Singh, Member & Sh. B.P. Singh, Member

Appearance:

- 1. Mr. Viashal Anand, Adv. TPDDL
- 2. Mr. Rahul Kinra, Adv. TPDDL
- **3.** Mr. Varun Sharma, TPDDL
- 4. Mr. Ashis Kumar Dutta, TPDDL
- 5. Ms. Nayantara A Pande, TPDDL
- 6. Mr. J.K. Sinha TPDDL
- 7. Mr. Sumit Sachdev, TPDDL
- 8. Mr. Mithun Chakraborty, TPDDL
- 9. Mr. Uttam Kumar, TPDDL

INTERIM ORDER

(Date of Hearing: 04.02.2016) (Date of Order: 10.02.2016)

- M/s TPDDL has filed the instant Petition for adoption of Tariff for Mini Hydro Projects determined through transparent process of Case 1 RE-Bidding procedure and for approval of signing of proposed Power Purchase Agreement in terms of the DERC (Renewable Purchase Obligation and Renewable Certificate Framework Implementation) Regulations, 2012.
 - 2. The petitioner had earlier filed Petition No. 58 of 2014 for adoption of tariff for Renewable Energy sources including Solar PV, Mini Hydro Sources and Waste to Energy Sources etc. The Commission <u>vide</u> Order dated 13.04.2015 had approved the tariff for Solar PV Projects, however, for Mini Hydro Sources and waste to energy sources, the Commission had

directed the petitioner to conduct further negotiations considering CERC generic tariff as the upper limit.

- 3. The petitioner, in order to bridge the gap for meeting of Renewable Energy Purchase Obligation (RPO), has approached the Commission through the instant petition, which is in respect of Mini Hydro Projects and it is proposed to sign PPA for 88.46 MW of energy.
- 4. The Counsel for the Petitioner submitted that the bidders have given an undertaking to the effect that the ceiling tariff will be as determined by the CERC, i.e. if the tariff quoted by the bidders is more than CERC's tariff, the tariff determined by CERC will be applicable, whereas if the tariff quoted is less than CERC's tariff then the tariff quoted by the bidders will be applicable.
- 5. After considering the arguments of the petitioner, the Commission admitted the petition and directed the Tariff Division to examine the submissions made by the petitioner and submit a report to the Commission within two weeks.
- 6. The next date of hearing will be informed in due course.
- 7. Ordered accordingly.

Sd/-(B.P. Singh) MEMBER

Sd/-(J.P. Singh) MEMBER