

Record of proceedings dated 25-02-2017

O.P.No.21 of 2016

APSPDCL & APEPDCL Vs Andhra Pradesh Power Development Company Ltd (APPDCL)

Public hearing on Application filed u/s 21 (1) & (5) of the A.P. Electricity Reform Act, 1998 for grant of consent for the Amended and Restated Power Purchase Agreement of 2 x 800 MW Sri Damodaram Sanjeevaiah Thermal Power Station (SDSTPS),
Stage - I, dated 24-08-2016

Sri P. Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for the petitioners, Sri T. Vizhay Babu, learned Counsel representing Sri K. Gopal Choudary, learned counsel for the respondent, Sri M. Thimma Reddy and Sri M. Venugopala Rao, learned objectors are present.

Sri K. Gopal Choudary, learned counsel for the respondent is unavailable due to some personal inconvenience. Sri P. Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for the petitioners, Sri M. Thimma Reddy and Sri M. Venugopala Rao, learned objectors are heard in part. It came out during the hearing that the interim tariff being paid to the respondent at Rs.3.61 ps., per unit has been revised to Rs.4.51 ps., per unit since about a month purportedly based on the order of tariff for retail sale of electricity during the FY 2016-17. The petitioners and the respondent shall place before this Commission on the next date of hearing the entire circumstances or correspondence leading to that decision of revising the interim tariff and the procedure adopted for revising the interim tariff before considering on merits the request for approval of the Power Purchase Agreement while keeping the issues of fixation of capital cost and the final tariff open for determination by the Commission in accordance with the procedure prescribed on merits. Call on 18-03-2017.

Call on:

18-03-2017
at 11:00 AM

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CHAIRMAN

Public hearing on Procurement of 400 MW Power from M/s. Simhapuri Energy Limited for a period of 12 years against 1000 MW Bids using imported coal from captive mines as fuel under long term by APSPDCL under DBFOO bidding - Approval for tariff adoption under Section 63 of the Electricity Act 2003.

Sri T. Vizhay Babu, learned counsel representing Sri K. Gopal Choudary, learned counsel for M/s. Simhapuri Energy Limited, Sri P. Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for APSPDCL, Sri A. Sudarshan Reddy, learned senior counsel representing M/s. Meenakshi Energy Limited (Implead Petitioner), Sri M. Thimma Reddy and Sri M. Venugopala Rao, learned objectors are present.

Sri A. Sudarshan Reddy, learned senior counsel for the implead petitioner and Sri T. Vizhay Babu, learned counsel representing Sri K. Gopal Choudary, learned counsel for M/s. Simhapuri Energy Limited sought for time for filing the response to the objections filed by Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Limited to the request for impleading and the objections of M/s. Simhapuri Energy Limited to the request for impleadment respectively. M/s. Meenakshi Energy Limited filed a Memo stating that W.P.No.6143 of 2017 was moved before the Hon'ble High Court restraining any power supply agreement between M/s. Simhapuri Energy Limited and Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Limited in which Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Limited has given an undertaking not to take any further steps till the next date of hearing. Sri Avinash Desai, Sri Rajendra Reddy and Sri Satya Siva Darshan, learned counsel filed Vakalat for one Sri M. Prakash and filed statement of objections on his behalf. Hence, posted for response of Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Limited and M/s. Simhapuri Energy Limited to the objections of Sri M. Prakash, the response of M/s. Meenakshi Energy Limited to the response of Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh

Limited and the response of M/s. Simhapuri Energy Limited to the impleadment request by M/s. Meenakshi Energy Limited. Call on 18-03-2017.

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I.A.No.1 of 2017 in O.P.No.1 of 2013
M/s. Sundaram Alloys Ltd Vs APEPDCL

Petition under Section 62 r/w 86 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for revisiting of the conditions stipulated in the Retail Supply Tariff Order for the FY 2013-14 for the Category of HT-1 (b) consumers

Sri T. Vizhay Babu, learned counsel representing Sri Challa Gunaranjan, learned counsel for the petitioner and Sri P. Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for the respondent are present.

Orders pronounced (vide separate order)

“Therefore, the Interlocutory Application is allowed. No costs.”

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R.P. No. 11 of 2015 in O.P. No. 39 of 2014
Empee Power Co (I) Ltd Vs APPCC, APTRANSCO & APSPDCL

Petition for review of the Commission's order dated 23-05-2015 in O.P. No. 39 of 2014

Sri T. Vizhay Babu, learned counsel representing Sri Challa Gunaranjan, learned counsel for the petitioner and Sri P. Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for the respondent are present.

Orders are not ready. For orders, the matter is posted to 18-03-2017.

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I.A. No. 2 of 2016 in R.P. No. 13 of 2015 in O.P.No.39 of 2014
APPCC, APTRANSCO & APSPDCL Vs Empee Power Co (I) Ltd

Petition for review of the Commission's order dated 23-05-2015 in O.P. No. 39 of 2014
Sri P. Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for the petitioners and Sri T. Vizhay Babu,
learned counsel representing Sri Challa Gunaranjan, learned counsel for the
respondent are present.

Orders are not ready. For orders, the matter is posted to 18-03-2017.

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O.P. No. 31 of 2015
M/s. Jocil Ltd Vs APSPDCL

Petition filed under Section 86 (1) (f) of the Electricity Act, 2003 for the payment of the
differential variable cost of surplus power supplied

Sri T. Vizhay Babu, learned counsel representing Sri K. Gopal Choudary, learned
counsel for the petitioner and Sri P. Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for the
respondent are present.

Orders are not ready. For orders, the matter is posted to 18-03-2017.

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