

## ANDHRA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Singareni Bhavan, Red Hills, Hyderabad 500004 Draft Order Dated 26-03-2024

## In the matter of Determination of Variable Cost for the FY 2024-25 to FY 2028-29 in respect of the existing Biomass, Industrial Waste and Bagasse-based power plants.

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The Commission vide order dated 10.02.2020 in O.P.No.75 of 2019, determined the variable cost for Biomass, Industrial Waste and Bagasse projects for FY 2019-20 to FY 2023-24 with an annual fuel price escalation of 5%. The fuel price applicable for FY 2023-24 is as follows.

Financial year	Biomass/Industrial waste(Rs./Unit)	Bagasse (Rs./Unit)
FY 2023-24	5.80	3.82

As the tariff is to be fixed for the next control period from FY 2024-25 to FY 2028-29 and in the absence of any information being available for working out the above tariff, the Commission proposes to continue the same variable cost approved for FY 2023-24 for Biomass, Industrial Waste and Bagasse based projects for future i.e from FY 2024-25 to FY 2028-29.

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Sri P.V.R.Reddy, Justice C.V. Nagarjuna Reddy, Sri Thakur Rama Singh,
Member Chairman Member

**Note:** If any stakeholder has any objection or suggestion in this regard, such objections/suggestions with due justification supported by data may be sent to the Commission Secretary at the address mentioned above or by e-mail at commn-secy@aperc.in before 5 PM by 15.04.2024.