

ANDHRA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

4th Floor, Singareni Bhavan, Red Hills, Hyderabad 500 004

I.A. No. 4 of 2018 in I.A.No.12 of 2017 in O.P. Nos.1 & 2 of 2015

Date: 03-02-2018

Present

Justice G. Bhavani Prasad, Chairman

Dr. P. Raghu, Member

Sri P. Rama Mohan, Member

Between:

Southern Power Distribution Company of A.P Ltd (APSPDCL)

Eastern Power Distribution Company of A.P. Ltd (APEPDCL) ... Appellants/Petitioners

And

Government of Andhra Pradesh represented by Chief Secretary Velagapudi, Amaravathi, A.P. ... Respondent/Respondent

This Interlocutory Application has come up for hearing finally on 03-02-2018 in the presence of Sri P. Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for the petitioners, Sri Ajay Jain, Principal Secretary to Government of Andhra Pradesh, Energy, Infrastructure & Investment Department and Sri M. Venugugopala Rao, learned objector. After carefully considering the material available on record and after hearing the arguments of the learned Standing Counsel for the Applicants/Petitioners and the Principal Secretary to Government of Andhra Pradesh, Energy, Infrastructure & Investment Department, the Commission passed the following:

ORDER

The Principal Secretary, Department of Energy, I & I of the Government of Andhra Pradesh Sri Ajay Jain, I.A.S., submitted on behalf of the State Government that the Government of Andhra Pradesh has no objection to bear any additional subsidy which may be payable towards the additional hours of supply to agriculture,

as may be determined by the Commission, as already submitted in the reply filed by the Government of Andhra Pradesh and hence, has no objection for passing orders in the first instance on the issue of this additional subsidy. No other objectors have any objection for the request and hence, I.A.No.4 of 2018 is allowed.

This order is corrected and signed on this the 3rd day of February, 2018.

Sd/-P. Rama Mohan Member Sd/-Dr. P. Raghu Member Sd/-Justice G. Bhavani Prasad Chairman