



ANDHRA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Vidyut Niyantrana Bhavan,
Adjacent to 220/132/33/11 KV AP Carbides Sub-Station,
Dinnedevarapadu Road, Kurnool-518002, Andhra Pradesh

WEDNESDAY, THE THIRD DAY OF JULY,
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FOUR

:Present:

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

O.P.No.29 of 2024

Between:

M.G.M. Springs Private Limited, Regd. Office at No.139/2,
Hosur Road, Koramangala, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560095
Rep. by its Authorised Signatory

... Petitioner

And:

1. Transmission Corporation of Andhra Pradesh Limited,
APTRANSCO, Vidyut Soudha, Gunadala, Eluru Road,
Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh - 520004, Rep. by its Chairman.
2. Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Limited,
APSPDCL, D.N0.19-13-65/A, Srinivasapuram, Tiruchanoor Road
Tirupati, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh - 517503
Rep. by its Chairman and Managing Director

... Respondents

This Original Petition has come up for hearing on admission before us today in the presence of Mohd. Mukhairuddin, learned counsel for the petitioner; and Sri P. Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for the respondents, that after carefully considering the material available on record and after hearing the arguments of the learned counsel for both parties, the Commission passed the following:

ORDER

This Original Petition is filed seeking approval of generic tariff at Rs.2.64 ps per unit for sale of wind power by the Petitioner to the A.P. DISCOMS/APSPDCL from 11th to 20th year from Commercial Operation Date (COD) in terms of the Common Order dated 06-02-2023 passed by this Commission in O.P.No.27 of 2021 and batch.

We have heard Mohd. Mukhairuddin, learned counsel for the petitioner; and Sri P. Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for the respondents.

A batch of similar Petitions, viz., OP No.27 of 2021 and batch, was disposed of by this Commission by its Common Order dated 6-2-2023, after holding Public Hearing. By the said Common Order, this Commission has, in respect of similar generating Plants, fixed the generic tariff at Rs.2.64 ps per unit from the 11th year onwards as against Rs.3.50 ps per unit from the 1st year to 10th year. The petitioner has come out with a fair request that the same generic tariff, as was fixed by this Commission by the said Common Order dated 06-2-2023 in OP No.27 of 2021 and batch, may be approved for the petitioner's Project also.

Sri P.Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for the respondents, submitted that as the petitioner's case is identical to that of the Wind Projects that were covered by the Common Order dated 6-2-2023 in OP No.27 of 2021 and batch, the petitioner's request may be accepted.

A perusal of the aforesaid Common Order dated 6-2-2023 shows that the same was passed after the petitions in the said Batch were published in two Newspapers calling for objections/suggestions from the stakeholders and after hearing all the parties, including the Objectors.

As concededly the present case is covered by the said Common Order dated 6-2-2023 in OP No.27 of 2021 and batch, the generic tariff fixed in the said common Order, viz.,Rs.2.64 ps per unit from 11th to 20th year of the Commercial Date of Operation (COD) is approved for the Petitioner's wind power project also.

The Original Petition is, accordingly, disposed of.

Order pronounced on this the 3rd day of July, 2024

Sd/-
P.V.R.Reddy
Member

Sd/-
Justice C.V. Nagarjuna Reddy
Chairman

Sd/-
Thakur Rama Singh
Member