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APERC - Restriction & Control measures - Request by the DISCOMs on removal of existing R&C measures - Approval accorded - Reg.

Proceedings No.APERC/Engg/JD(Engg)/E-215/8/2022

Read the following:

Date:18-05-2022

- 1. Lr. No.CMD/APSPDCL/TPT/R&C Measures/F.R&C/D.No.169/22, Dt:07.04.2022
- 2. Proceedings No.APERC/Engg/JD(Engg)/E-215/1/2022 Date:11.04.2022
- 3. Lr. No.CMD/ED/RAC/SPDCL/TPT/GM/RAC/F.R&C/D.No.174/22, Dt:11.04.2022
- 4. Proceedings No.APERC/Engg/JD(Engg)/E-215/2/2022 Date:13.04.2022
- 5. Representation dated:14.04.2022 of FAPCCI & 14 other industries of AP
- 6. Proceedings No.APERC/Engg/JD(Engg)/E-215/3/2022 Date:21.04.2022
- 7. Lr. No.ED/RAC/F.R&C/D.No.185/2022, dt:21.04.2022
- 8. Proceedings No.APERC/Engg/JD(Engg)/E-215/4/2022 Date:21.04.2022
- 9. Lr.No.ED/RAC&IPC/SPDCL/TPT/GM/RAC/F:R&C/D.No.204/2022, Dt:30.04.2022
- 10. Proceedings No.APERC/Engg/JD(Engg)/E-215/5/2022 Date:30.04.2022
- 11. Lr.No.ED/RAC&IPC/SPDCL/TPT/GM/RAC/F:R&C/D.No.309/2022, Dt:09.05.2022
- 12. Proceedings No.APERC/Engg/JD(Engg)/E-215/6/2022 Date:09.05.2022
- 13. Lr.No.ED/RAC&IPC/SPDCL/TPT/GM/RAC/F:R&C/D.No.314/2022, Dt:12.05.2022
- 14. Proceedings No.APERC/Engg/JD(Engg)/E-215/7/2022 Date:13.05.2022
- 15. Lr.No.ED/RAC&IPC/SPDCL/TPT/GM/RAC/F:R&C/D.No.320/2022, Dt:17.05.2022

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The Commission vide the ref (2) cited granted approval for imposing Restriction & Control measures by Distribution Licensees for the period from 08.04.2022 to 22.04.2022 due to the prevailing precarious power supply position. Further, vide the ref (4) cited, the Commission revised the R&C period from 11.04.2022 to 22.04.2022 and specified penal provisions on the consumers who do not comply with the Restriction & Control measures imposed. Further, based on the request of FAPCCI and other industries, the Commission issued revised proceedings vide the ref (6) cited extending certain reliefs to the industries. After considering the representation of DISCOMs vide the ref (7) cited, the Commission issued proceedings extending the R&C period upto 30.04.2022 vide the ref (8) cited. Further, based on the representation of DISCOMs vide the ref (9) cited, the Commission issued Proceedings extending R&C period upto 15.05.2022 vide the ref (10) cited. Also, based on the representation of DISCOMs vide the ref (11) cited, the Commission issued Proceedings extending certain relaxations to existing R&C measures vide the ref (12) cited. Further, based on the representation of

DISCOMs vide the ref (13) cited, the Commission issued Proceedings with certain further relaxation to the existing R&C measures vide the ref (14) cited.

APSPDCL vide the ref (15) cited, on behalf of all the DISCOMs submitted that the power supply position got better in the state due to improvement in the wind generation and early onset of South-West monsoon and requested to roll back the remaining R&C measures on industrial sector with immediate effect.

The Commission, after examining the representation of the DISCOMs in-depth, issues the following order.

ORDER

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 23 read with clause (k) of sub-section (1) of Section 86 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003) and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, and clause 16 of the General Terms and Conditions of Supply, the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission hereby removes the prevailing restriction and control measures in the state with effect from 00.00 hours of 16.05.2022.

The DISCOMS shall give wide publicity about removal of the prevailing R&C measures through newspapers and electronic media.

(By order of the Commission)

Commission Secretary (i/c

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The Chairman & Managing Director/APSPDCL/Tirupathi Chairman & Managing Director/APEPDCL/Visakhapatnam Chairman & Managing Director/APCPDCL/Vijayawada

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