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APERC – Authorising the APTRANSCO for the implementation of Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) in the State of Andhra Pradesh under the Power System Development Fund (PSDF)- Orders -Issued – Reg.

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Read the following

ORDER:

The Government of Andhra Pradesh (GoAP), vide G.O. Ms. No. No. 66 dated 28.07.2025, has authorised the APTRANSCO in the state of Andhra Pradesh to implement a Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) project under the Power System Development Fund (PSDF) as per the Ministry of Power, Government of India Guidelines dated 09.06.2025.

The Ministry of Power has allocated 2,000 MWh of BESS capacity to Andhra Pradesh under the Viability Gap Funding component of the PSDF, and this has been granted in principle approval by the Commission in its letter dated July 4, 2025. The project aims to support the integration of renewable energy and grid balancing.

In this context, APTRANSCO sought the Commission's approval to act as the Bidding and nodal agency for the implementation of the 2000 MWh BESS project allotted under the PSDF, referring to the MoP Guidelines and the GoAP Orders.

After careful examination of the A.P. Government Order and MoP's guidelines, the Commission hereby authorises APTRANSCO to act as the Bidding and Nodal Agency for the implementation of Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) projects in the A.P.State under the PSDF scheme. Accordingly, APTRANSCO shall take the necessary steps as per the MoP Guidelines dated June 9, 2025, and any subsequent amended guidelines.

(By Order of the Commission)


Commission Secretary i/c

To

The Chairman & Managing Director/APTRANSCO/Vijayawada.

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The Chairman & Managing Director/APEPDCL/Visakhapatnam.

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