

**ANDHRA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
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Extension of Power Captive Wheeling Agreement Of TTD 6 MW wind power plant – Approval - Issued.

Proceeding No. Secy/06/2015

Dated: 29-04-2015

**Read the following:**

1. Power Captive Wheeling Agreement dated 05-02-2004

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Transmission Corporation of Andhra Pradesh Ltd and “Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams (TTD)” entered into agreement on 05-02-2004 for evacuation of power from 6 MW wind power plant installed at Kakulakonda, Tirumala, as per the Commission order dated 01-10-2003.

M/s. Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Ltd (APSPDCL) submitted a letter dated 17-03-2015 seeking extension of “Power Captive Wheeling Agreement (PCWA)” between “Transmission Corporation of A.P Ltd” and “Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams (TTD)” dated 05-02-2004. The wind power plant was commissioned on 21-02-2004 and as per the terms and conditions of “Power Captive Wheeling Agreement (PCWA)”, the agreement expired by 20-02-2014.

As per Article 6 of the “Power Captive Wheeling Agreement (PCWA)”, the agreement shall come into force from Commercial Operation Date (COD) and continue until the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary. The wind power plant was commissioned on 21-02-2004. Further, it was mentioned that the PCWA may be renewed for such further period of time and on such terms and conditions as may be mutually agreed upon the parties, 90 days prior to expiry of 10 years agreement period, subject to the consent of the APERC.

The DISCOM stated that TTD requested to extend the validity of Wheeling Agreement from 21-02-2014 to next 10 years for their captive use, that TTD established a 33/11 kV substation and also commissioned at Tirumala.

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At the time of commissioning the wind power plant, the power was evacuated through the 33/11 kV substation of DISCOM and hence wheeling charges were levied as per the PCWA. In the agreement, it was mentioned that the wheeling charges would be levied till TTD erects its own 33/11 kV substation. Since, TTD has erected its own 33/11 kV substation and commissioned, the DISCOM is not entitled to levy wheeling charge.

After careful examination, the Commission has decided to extend the validity of the PCWA entered on 21-02-2004 for a further period of two years with effect from 21-02-2014 and accordingly, the Commission extends validity of the said "Power Captive Wheeling Agreement (PCWA) till 20-02-2016 under the same terms and conditions mentioned in the agreement. Further, APSPDCL and TTD shall follow the Regulations, Orders and directions issued by the Commission from time to time, especially with respect to wheeling charges, losses in kind, Banking and Energy Settlement.

*This Order is signed by the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission on 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2015*

(By Order of the Commission)

**// CERTIFIED COPY //**

*K. Ram*  
*29.4.2015*  
Secretary (I/c.)

**SECRETARY**  
A.P. Electricity Regulatory Commission  
Hyderabad.

