

ANDHRA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

4th Floor, Singareni Bhavan, Red Hills, Hyderabad 500004

WEDNESDAY, THE TENTH DAY OF APRIL, TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FOUR

:Present:

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

O.P.No.14 of 2024

Between:

M/s. Khandaleru Power Company Ltd., Rep. by its Director, Priti Nandita Residency, G-2, D.No.I0-2-289/96, Shanti Nagar, Masab Tank, Hyderabad - 500028.

... Petitioner.

And:

- Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Ltd., Rep. by its Chairman & Managing Director, #19-13-65/A, Srinivasapuram, Tiruchanoor Road, Tirupati, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh-517503.
- Andhra Pradesh Power Coordination Committee., Vidyut Soudha, Gunadala, Eluru Road, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh-520004 Represented by its Chairman & Managing Director.

... Respondents

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

<u>ORDER</u>

This Original Petition is filed for the following reliefs:

- i) To direct APSPDCL to make payment to the Petitioner of the outstanding amount of Rs.33,23,459/- (Rupees Thirty Three Lakhs, Twenty Three thousand, Four Hundred and Fifty Nine only) towards monthly invoices payable from November, 2021 to March, 2022 within 15 days of the receipt of the order of this Hon'ble Commission.
- ii) to direct APSPDCL to make payment to the Petitioner of the outstanding amount of Rs.6,89,681/- (Rupees Six Lakhs, Eighty Nine Thousand, Six Hundred and Eighty One only) towards interest i.e., LPS for the unpaid monthly invoices from November, 2021 to March, 2022, in terms of Articles 2.2 and 5.2 of the PPA's, within 15 days of the receipt of the order of this Hon'ble Commission;
- iii) to award costs of these proceedings against APSPDCL and in favour of the Petitioner:
- iv) to pass such an order/further relief(s), in the facts and circumstances of the case, as this learned Commission may deem just and equitable in favour of the Petitioner.

At the hearing Sri P.Shiva Rao, learned Standing Counsel for the respondents, fairly submitted that except to the extent of Rs.1.00 lakh, the balance amount claimed by the petitioner, as outstanding from the respondents, is admitted and that the respondents are prepared to make payment of the admitted amount within one week.

In view of this submission, this OP is not required to be adjudicated on merits. As regards the difference of Rs.1.00 lakh, the parties are permitted to reconcile the statement of accounts.

Accordingly, the Original Petition is disposed of permitting the respondents to pay the admitted dues for the period from November, 2021 to March, 2022, except to the extent of Rs.1.00 lakh, as claimed by the petitioner, within two weeks from today, with liberty to the parties as observed with regard to reconciliation of the accounts.

