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PRESS NOTE

True-up of Fuel and Power Purchase Cost Adjustment (FPPCA) Order for FY 2024-25

The AP Electricity Regulatory Commission (APERC), Kurnool, issued an FPPCA True-up Order for FY 2024-25 today, disposing of OP Nos 37, 38, and 39 of 2025 after carefully considering all public objections, views, and suggestions. The Order may be downloaded from the Commission's website: www.aperc.gov.in. The summary of the Order is as follows.

- 1. The Commission approved the FPPCA true-up of Rs. 1,863.64 crore, as against Rs. 2,758.76 crore, which represents a reduction of Rs. 895.12 crore.
- 2. The DISCOMS collected Rs. 2,787 crores at 40 paise per unit monthly during FY2024-25. After accounting for this amount, the Commission estimated the net FPPCA amount to be refunded to consumers at Rs. 923.55 crores for FY 2024-25.
- 3. The variations in DISCOM-wise sales, energy dispatch, and losses against the approved quantum in the retail supply tariff for FY2024-25 order are shown in the table below:

| S1. | DISCOMS | Sales | (MU) | Energy Dis | patch (MU) | Losses (%) | |
|-----|---------|--------|--------|------------|------------|------------|--------|
| 51. | DISCOMS | T.O. | Claim | T.O. | Claim | T.O. | Claim |
| 1 | APSPDCL | 28,160 | 27,664 | 31,294 | 31,052 | 10.01% | 10.91% |
| 2 | APCPDCL | 15,350 | 15,371 | 17,282 | 17,266 | 11.18% | 10.97% |
| 3 | APEPDCL | 29,544 | 26,644 | 32,449 | 29,252 | 8.95% | 8.91% |
| | Total | 73,054 | 69,680 | 81,025 | 77,570 | 9.84% | 10.17% |

4. The Sales, Energy Dispatch and T&D losses claimed by DISCOMS and approved by the Commission are shown in the table below:

| S1. | DISCOMS | Sales | (MU) | Energy Dis | patch (MU) | Losses (%) | | |
|-----|---------|---------|--------|------------|------------|------------|--------|----------|
| | 51. | DISCOMS | Claim | Admitted | Claim | Admitted | Claim | Admitted |
| Ī | 1 | APSPDCL | 27,664 | 27,664 | 31,052 | 30,743 | 10.91% | 10.01% |
| | 2 | APCPDCL | 15,371 | 15,371 | 17,266 | 17,266 | 10.97% | 10.97% |

| S1. | DISCOMS | Sales | Sales (MU) | | patch (MU) | Losses (%) | |
|-------|---------|--------|------------|--------|------------|------------|----------|
| 51. | DISCOMS | Claim | Admitted | Claim | Admitted | Claim | Admitted |
| 3 | APEPDCL | 26,644 | 26,644 | 29,252 | 29,252 | 8.91% | 8.91% |
| Total | | 69,680 | 69,680 | 77,570 | 77,261 | 10.17% | 9.87% |

5. The power purchase (PP) cost, inclusive of Transmission and scheduling costs, as approved in the RST Order for FY2024-25, claimed in the filings, and approved in the FPPCA Order, is shown in the table below.

| S1.No | Description | APSPDCL | APCPDCL | APEPDCL | Three DISCOMs |
|-------|---|---------|---------|---------|------------------|
| | PP cost approved as per RST Order 2024-25 (Cr) | 16,499 | 9,111 | 17,108 | 34,517 |
| 2 | PP cost claimed as per the filings (Cr) | 18,281 | 10,122 | 17,074 | 45,476 |
| | PP cost admitted by the Commission in the Order (Cr) | 17,816 | 9,978 | 16,830 | 44,624 |

6. The per-unit cost (Rs/kWh) as per the RST Order for FY2024-25, Actual as per filings and admitted in the FPPCA True-up Order, is shown in the table below.

| DISCOM | Unit cost (Rs/kWh) as per RST Order | Actual Unit cost As per filings (Rs/kWh) | Admitted PP Cost in FPPCA Order (Rs/kWh) | |
|--------|--|---|---|--|
| SPDCL | 5.27 | 5.89 | 5.74 | |
| CPDCL | 5.27 | 5.86 | 5.78 | |
| EPDCL | 5.27 | 5.84 | 5.75 | |

7. The key figures in the FPPCA True-Up Order are summarised in the table below.

| S1.No | Description | APSPDCL | APCPDCL | APEPDCL | Three DISCOMs |
|-------|---|----------|----------|-----------|------------------|
| 1 | Claimed PP Cost Variation by DISCOMs (Cr) | 1,781.70 | 1,010.60 | -33.54 | 2,758.76 |
| 2 | PP Cost Disallowed by the Commission in the Order (Cr) | 258.79 | 143.90 | 243.79 | 646.49 |
| 3 | Cost disallowed due to limiting the dispatch as per the Regulation (Cr) | 205.69 | 1 | - | 205.69 |
| 4 | PP Cost Variations approved in the Order (Cr) (4=1-2-3) | 1,317.21 | 866.70 | -277.33 | 1,906.58 |
| 5 | Carrying Cost Approved in the Order (Cr) | -2.70 | 52.55 | -92.80 | -42.94 |
| 6 | Total Admitted Variance in the Order (Cr) (6=4+5) | 1,314.52 | 919.25 | -370.13 | 1,863.64 |
| 7 | The FPPCA already collected @ Rs. 0.40/kWh (Cr) | 1,106.56 | 614.86 | 1,065.76 | 2,787.19 |
| 8 | FPPCA True -down to be passed on to consumers (Cr) (8=67) | 207.95 | 304.39 | -1,435.89 | -923.55 |
| 9 | FPPCA True down per unit for FY 2024-25 (Rs./kWh) | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |

8. For the first time since the Commission's formation in 1999, it ordered DISCOMS to refund the true down amounts determined, as shown in the above table, to their respective consumers in equal instalments spread over a period of 12 (twelve) months. The FPPCA refund schedule mentioned in the Order is shown in the table below.

| True Down of FPPCA For FY 2024-25 - Refund Schedule | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------|---------|--|
| Month of Consumption | | | FPPCA Rate Rs/Unit | | | |
| for which True Down of FPPCA is to be Refunded | Refunded in the Bill of | % of FPPCA Per unit | APSPDCL | APCPDCL | APEPDCL | |
| Apr-24 | Nov-25 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |
| May-24 | Dec-25 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |
| Jun-24 | Jan-26 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |
| Jul-24 | Feb-26 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |
| Aug-24 | Mar-26 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |
| Sep-24 | Apr-26 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |
| Oct-24 | May-26 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |
| Nov-24 | Jun-26 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |
| Dec-24 | Jul-26 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |
| Jan-25 | Aug-26 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |
| Feb-25 | Sep-26 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |
| Mar-25 | Oct-26 | 100% | -0.1328 | -0.1343 | -0.1312 | |

(By Order of the Commission)

PLACE: Kurnool

DATE: 27.09.2025

Commission Secretary(i/c)