# JOINT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION FOR THE STATE OF GOA AND UNION TERRITORIES GURGAON

### Quorum

Shri M.K. Goel, Chairperson Smt. Neerja Mathur, Member

Petition No. 253/2018

Date of Admission: 12.01.2018

**Date of Hearing: 22.01.2018** 

Date of Order: 05.07.2018

## In the matter of:

Petition under Section 83 read with Section 63 and other applicable provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003 for directions.

# And in the matter of:

Sri Suraas Impex Private Limited,
Having its Registered Office at
H. No. 63-2-6/ Flat No. G-4, Sai Hashita Residency,
Narasanna Nagar, Kakinada – 533 003,

Corporate Oifice:
Plot No. 304-L-III, Road No. 78,
Jubilee Hills, Hyderabad – 500 096.

..... Petitioner

#### And in the matter of:

Electricity Department,
Andaman & Nicobar Administration.
Having its Registered office at
Port Blair – 744 101.

... Respondent

The Petitioner further submitted that a meeting was held with Ministry of Power, Government of India in New Delhi where the Electricity Department, Andaman & Nicobar Administration has stated that they would withdraw / cancel the above tender floated for procurement of 10 MW & 5 MW power through DG sets located at Port Blair.

The Petitioner requested the Commission to direct the Electricity Department, Andaman & Nicobar Administration to float fresh tenders in accordance with the Guidelines of Government of India to procure the power by Competitive Bidding under Section 63 of the Electricity Act, 2003.

The Electricity Department, Andaman & Nicobar Administration opposed the arguments advanced by the Petitioner. They have submitted that the technical evaluation of the tenders has already been done and it was under process for further action.

The Commission has considered the submissions of the Petitioner and the Respondent. In order to ascertain correctness of the submission of the Petitioner, the Commission directed the Petitioner to place on record a copy of the Minutes of Meeting issued by Ministry of Power, Government of India wherein the Electricity Department, Andaman & Nicobar Administration has said that they would withdraw the tenders to install and generate 10 MW & 5 MW power through DG sets located at Port Blair within two weeks.

The Commission has noted that approximately 5 months have passed since directions were given to the Petitioner to place on record a copy of the Minutes of meeting issued by the Ministry of Power, Government of India. Till date nothing has been placed on record. The Commission is of the view that the submission of Petitioner has no basis and the Petitioner is not serious in persuing this matter. Under these circumstances, the Commission has decided to dismiss this Petition.

The Commission hereby dismiss the Petition.

Ordered accordingly.

Sd/-

(NEERJA MATHUR)

**MEMBER** 

Sd/-

(M.K. GOEL)

**CHAIRPERSON** 

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(Rajesh Dangi)

Secretary