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

Quorum* Shri S.K.Chaturvedi, Chairperson Petition No. 138/2014 Date of Order 28.08.2014

In the matter of

Petition for approval of the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for the State of Goa and Union of RFP documents for procurement of Renewable Energy Power of 145 MUs on yearly basis by Dadra & Nagar Haveli Power Distribution Corporation Ltd. (DNHPDCL) as per Case I- Renewable Energy bidding guidelines for Tariff Based Competitive Bidding Process for Grid Connected Power Projects Based on Renewable Energy Sources issued by the Govt. of India.

And in the matter of

DNH Power Distribution Corporation Ltd.

.... Petitioner

Order

Dadra & Nagar Haveli Power Distribution Corporation Ltd.- Petitioner has filed the present petition for approval of the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for the State of Goa and Union Territories (JERC) for deviations in RFP documents for procurement of Renewable Energy Power (145 MUs on yearly basis) by the DNHPDCL as per Case -I Guidelines for Tariff Based, Competitive Bidding Process for Grid Connected Power Projects based on Renewable Energy Sources issued by MNRE Govt. of India.

The petition was received in the Commission on 01.07.2014. The petition was examined and found as per JERC (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2009 and provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003.

The Commission admitted the petition on 02.07.2014. The Commission sent hearing notice to the petitioner for 14.07.2014. The Commission held hearing in Court Room of the Commission on 14.07.2014.

The representatives of the petitioner explained salient features of the petition and clauses of the RFP documents for procurement of Renewable Energy Power (145 MUs on yearly basis) by DNHPDCL as per Case -I Guidelines for Tariff Based, Competitive Bidding Process for Grid Connected Power Projects based on Renewable Energy Sources issued by MNRE Govt. of India.

The Commission after hearing the representatives of the petitioner and going through the petition and RFP documents carefully and thoroughly, pointed out some discrepancies in the RFP documents and Annexure-III.

On prayer of the petitioner the Commission allowed the petitioner to make corrections, alternations and additions in RFP documents and Annexure –III and submit amended RFP documents and Annexure –III on or before 30.07.2014.

The petitioner has submitted the amended RFP documents Annexure "A" and deviation statement Annexure "B" as directed by the Commission vide order dated 14.07.2014. The Commission has examined the amended RFP documents and deviation statement. The Commission found the amended RFP documents Annexure "A" in line with the JERC (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2009 and Electricity Act, 2003.

Therefore, the Commission approves the RFP documents Annexure "A" along with deviation statement Annexure "B" and allows the petition.

Sd/-(S.K.Chaturvedi) Chairman **Member (Vacant)**

As per Regulation 9 (II) of JERC (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2009 "Quorum is two". Whereas as per proviso of Regulation 9 (II) of JERC (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2009 if Chairperson or the Member is prevented from attending hearing of which he has been given notice the Member or the Chairman as the case may be attending the meeting shall validly constitute the Quorum. Post of the Member is vacant. According to provisions of Section 93 of the Electricity Act, 2003 no act or proceedings of the appropriate Commission shall be questioned or invalidated merely on the ground of existence of any vacancy or defect in the Constitution of the appropriate Commission. So the Chairperson only constitute a valid Quorum.

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(Keerti Tewari)
Secretary