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IN THE APPELLATE TRIBUNAL FOR ELECTRICITY
(Appellate Jurisdiction)

APL No. 229 OF 2017

Dated: 21st February, 2024

Present: Hon'ble Mr. Sandesh Kumar Sharma, Technical Member
Hon'ble Mr. Virender Bhat, Judicial Member

In the matter of:

M/s. Wellknown Polyester Ltd. Appellant(s)

Versus

Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission & Anr. Respondent(s)

Counsel on record for the Appellant(s) : M.K. Pandey
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Ankit Kumar for App. 1

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ORDER

The captioned appeal had been filed by M/s Wellknown Polyester Ltd. & seeking certain relief against the tariff order passed by the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission. This matter pertains to the year 2017 and is pending on the board of this Tribunal for various reasons. However, this appeal was taken up for hearing on 06.02.2024. When the matter was called for hearing, no representation was made by the Appellant and

accordingly the matter was listed on 14.02.2024, again there was no representation on behalf of the Appellant.

The matter was listed today i.e. on 21.02.2024 for dismissal for non-prosecution and when it was called for hearing, it was observed that the Appellant failed to appear before this Tribunal. Such adjournments not only disable us from striving to achieve the objective of the Act to dispose of the Appeal within 180 days, but also results in needless wastage of precious court time, which can be more usefully spent in hearing Appeals on merits.

Considering that no representation is made by the Appellant time and again, resulting into wastage of time and non-interest shown by the Appellant, the Appeal stands dismissed for non-prosecution.

(Virender Bhat)
Judicial Member

(Sandesh Kumar Sharma)
Technical Member (Electricity)

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