

**JOINT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
(FOR THE STATE OF GOA AND UNION TERRITORIES)
GURUGRAM**

CORAM

Shri Alok Tandon, Chairperson

Petition No.: 180/2026

Diary No.: 26953/2026

Date of Hearing: 12.08.2026

Date of Order: 12.08.2026

In the matter of:

Application for Grant of Licence for Transmission of Electricity at Great Nicobar Island under Section 14 and Section 15 of the Electricity Act, 2003, read with the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for the State of Goa and Union Territories (Transmission and Distribution Licencing) Regulations, 2020.

And in the matter of:

NTPC Electric Supply Company Limited
NTPC Bhawan, Core 7, SCOPE Complex, 7,
Institutional Area, Lodi Road, New Delhi- 110003

..... Petitioner

Present: -

For the Petitioner

1. Shri Devendra Goel, CEO, NESCL
2. Shri Md. Ajaz Alam, DGM, NESCL

INTERIM ORDER

1. Heard the Petitioner at length.
2. In terms of Section 15 (5) of the Electricity Act, 2003 and Regulation 17.3 of JERC (Transmission and Distribution Licensing) Regulations, 2020, the Commission had published notice in three (3) local daily newspapers, and on Commission's website, stating name and address of the person to whom it proposes to issue the transmission licence. It is also noted that no person has submitted any comments or objection till date to the Commission.

3. Pursuant to the directions of the Commission vide Interim Order dated 09.07.2026, the Petitioner filed an affidavit dated 14.07.2026, stating that no person had approached the Petitioner or sought inspection of the documents maintained at the addresses given in the public notice, and that no objections or comments has been received in the matter. The aforesaid affidavit has been taken on record.

4. In the said affidavit, the Petitioner submitted that Ministry of Power on 06.05.2026 had issued a letter to Ministry of Defence seeking issuance of 'No Objection Certificate' under Section 15 (2) (ii) of the Electricity Act, 2003 for Transmission License application of NTPC Electric Supply Company Limited (NESCL). The Petitioner submits that no communication has been received from Ministry of Defence till date.

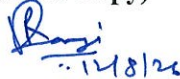
5. The Petitioner sought further time to ascertain/obtain 'No objection Certificate' from the Ministry of Defence.

6. Accordingly, the Petitioner is granted three weeks' time to submit the 'No objection Certificate' from Ministry of Defence.

Ordered accordingly.

Sd/-
(Alok Tandon)
Chairperson

(Certified Copy)



(Rajesh Dangi)
Secretary I/c

Place: Gurugram, Haryana

Date: 12th August, 2026