Petition No. 16 of 2023

PUNJAB STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

SITE NO. 3, BLOCK B, SECTOR 18-A MADHYA MARG, CHANDIGARH

Petition No. 16 of 2023 Date of Hearing: 13.09.2023 Date of Order: 14.09.2023

Application for approval of Capital Investment Plan and Business Plan for 2x270 MW Goindwal Sahib Thermal Power Plant at Goindwal Sahib, Punjab for the control period FY 2023-24 to 2025-26 in terms of Regulation 9 of "Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Generation, Transmission, Wheeling and Retail Supply Tariff) Regulations, 2022".

AND

In the matter of: GVK Power (Goindwal Sahib) Limited, Plot No. 10 Paigah House,

Sardar Patel Road, Secunderabad- 500003.

....Petitioner

Versus

Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, The Mall, PSEB Head

Office, Patiala (Punjab)- 147001.

...Respondent

Commission: Sh. Viswajeet Khanna, Chairperson

Sh. Paramjeet Singh, Member

GVK: Sh. Janmali Manikala, Advocate

PSPCL: Sh. J.K Jindal,Sr.Xen

Sh. Hardeep Singh, Sr.Xen/ Biomass

ORDER

Vide Order dated 18.08.2023, it was observed by the Commission that GVK has not complied with the directions of the Commission regarding publication of the public notice. The Ld. Counsel appearing for GVK submitted that the public notice could not be published due to a misunderstanding that a joint notice was to be issued in this petition alongwith petition No. 17 of 2023 and there was no mala fide intention on the part of the GVK in non-compliance of the directions of the Commission. After hearing the Ld. Counsel for GVK, the Commission is of the view that show cause notice is not required to be issued under Section 142 of the Electricity Act 2003.

The Petition was taken up for hearing as well as public hearing. However nobody from the public appeared in the public hearing. After hearing the parties, Order is reserved.

Sd/- Sd/-

(Paramjeet Singh) (Viswajeet Khanna)
Member Chairperson

Chandigarh

Dated: 14.09.2023

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