PUNJAB STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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

Petition No. 32 of 2023 Date of Hearing: 11.10.2023 Date of Order: 16.10.2023

Approval of Capital Expenditure for the "REVAMPED DISTRIBUTION SECTOR SCHEME" (RDSS) to be implemented by PSPCL with aim to improve the operational efficiencies and financial sustainability, by providing financial assistance to PSPCL for strengthening of supply infrastructure based on meeting pre-qualifying criteria and achieving basic minimum benchmarks in reforms.

AND

In the Matter of : Punjab State Power Corporation Limited., The Mall, Patiala - 147001

....Petitioner

- Commission: Sh. Viswajeet Khanna, Chairperson Sh. Paramjeet Singh, Member
- PSPCL: Ms. Harmohan Kaur, CE/ARR&TR Sh. J.K Jindal, Sr.Xen Sh. Vishant Singla Sh. Mohit Sood Sh. Kamaljit Singh

ORDER

The petition was fixed for hearing on admission on 30.08.2023 and vide communication dated 17.07.2023, PSPCL was directed to provide the following information well before the date of hearing.

- a) Detailed DPR including cost benefit analysis of the RDSS Scheme.
- b) Financing Plan of the additional capital investment of Rs. 6358.06 Crore which has no mention in the petition and its impact on the consumers.
- c) Roadmap as to how PSPCL proposes to execute the capital investment plan of Rs. 15689.2 Crore within the 3rd MYT Control Period.

PSPCL vide memo no. 6931 dated 25.08.2023, requested to grant two weeks' more time to file its reply which was granted by the Commission. PSPCL has not

submitted the information and has once again requested for more time to submit the information. PSPCL shall submit the information within two weeks and shall strictly adhere to the timelines.

The petition shall be taken up for hearing on admission on 06.12.2023 at 11.30 AM.

Sd/-

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(Paramjeet Singh) Member (Viswajeet Khanna) Chairperson

Chandigarh Dated: **16.10.2023**