PUNJAB STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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

Petition No. 46 of 2023 alongwith IA No. 12 of 2023 Date of Hearing: 01.11.2023 Date of Order: 02.11.2023

Petition under Section 86 (1)(B) and (F) of the Electricity Act, 2003

on behalf of Punjab State Power Corporation Limited.

AND

In the matter of: Punjab State Power Corporation Limited

...Petitioner

Vs.

Nabha Power Limited. Post Box No. 28, near Nalash, Rajpura, Punjab - 140401.

.....Respondent

With

Petition No. 47 of 2023

Petition under Section 86 of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with Order XXI of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 for execution of order dated 04.12.2019 in Petition No. 28 of 2018 and initiation of proceedings under Section 142 read with Section 146 of the Electricity Act, 2003 against Punjab State Power Corporation Limited in relation thereto.

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Commission: Sh. Viswajeet Khanna, Chairperson

Sh. Paramjeet Singh, Member

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Ms. Harmohan Kaur, CE/ARR&TR

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Sh. Gursharan Singh ASE/Fuel Sh. Simranjit Singh, AEE/Fuel

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ORDER

Vide Order dated 11.08.2023, Petition No. 46 of 2023 filed by PSPCL and Petition No. 47 of 2023 filed by NPL were clubbed for hearing. During hearing on 11.08.2023, the Ld. counsel for PSPCL impressed upon the immediate stay of the invoice No. NPL/CD/JU/PSPCL/SEI/230602/1 raised by NPL claiming Rs. 164.14 Crores towards procurement of 2.36995 Lakhs MT of imported/alternate coal from October 2017 to March 2018. On this NPL stated that at least the principal amount be paid pending the final decision of the matter. Both the parties consented that principal amount be paid meanwhile. Accordingly, the Commission directed PSPCL to release the principal energy charges for the imported coal as raised by NPL pending the final decision in the petition. In view of the above directions of the Commission, the I.A No. 12 of 2023 stands disposed of.

NPL has filed rejoinder in Petition No. 47 of 2023 to the reply filed by PSPCL only on 31.10.2023. The Ld. Counsel for PSPCL requested for time to examine the same for arguing the matter.

The Petitions shall be taken up for hearing on admission on 10.01.2024 at 11.30 AM.

Sd/-

(Paramjeet Singh) (Viswajeet Khanna)
Member Chairperson

Chandigarh

Dated: 02.11.2023