

**PUNJAB STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
SITE NO. 3, BLOCK-B, SECTOR 18-A MADHYA MARG, CHANDIGARH**

**Petition No. 21 of 2019
Date of Hearing: 23.10.2019
Date of Order: 29.10.2019**

Petition under Regulation 8.1(b) of the Supply Code 2014 by Punjab state Power Corporation Limited for seeking approval of the Commission for extension in time period of release of EHT Connection of 4500 KW Load/5000 KVA contract demand applied by Divisional Railway Manager (Elect./TRD), New Delhi through Senior Divisional Electrical Engineer (TRD) Northern Railway, New Delhi under category Railway Traction in Sub Division Kotshamir under Division Maur. (RID No. 18246).

And

In the matter of: Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, the Mall Patiala.

...Petitioner

Present: Ms. Kusumjit Sidhu, Chairperson
Sh. S.S.Sarna, Member
Ms. Anjali Chandra, Member

PSPCL: Sh. Bhupinder Sharma, CE/ARR & TR
Sh. VPS Kailay, SE/TR-5
Sh. Mukesh Kumar, ASE/TR-5
Sh. Loveleen Gupta, AEE/TR-5
Sh. Kamaljeet Singh Maan, Sr. Xen, Maur
Sh. Kirandeep Singh, RA, DS Division, Maur

Order

The Punjab State Power Corporation Ltd. (PSPCL) has filed the present petition under Regulation 8.1 (b) of Supply Code 2014 for seeking approval of the Commission for extension in the time period of release of EHT new connection of 4500 kW

Load/5000 kVA contract Demand to Divisional Railway Manger, Northern Railway, New Delhi, under category Railway Traction in Kotshamir Sub Division of PSPCL, under Distribution Division, PSPCL, Maur. The petition was admitted vide Order dated 10.10.2019 further directing to issue notice to the Divisional Railway Manager (Elec./TRD), New Delhi to file its reply/comments to the petition by 21.10.2019 with a copy to PSPCL. The petition was taken up for hearing on 23.10.2019 however, neither any representative appeared on behalf of Divisional Railway Manager (Elec./TRD), New Delhi nor any reply has been filed.

Observations and Decision of the Commission

The Commission has examined the averments made in the petition, the documents annexed with the petition and has heard representatives of PSPCL. PSPCL has prayed to extend the time to release the connection upto 28.02.2020. The Demand Notice No.1473 dated 30.10.2018 amounting to Rs.5,49,20,937/- was issued by PSPCL to Railways for the cost of the work to release the connection. The Demand notice was complied by the Railways on 5th March, 2019. The work involves 132 kV line from 132 kV Grid Sub Station, IGC Bathinda to Gehri Bhagi Railway TSS. The Deputy Chief Engineer/TLSC Division, PSTCL Patiala has to execute the work of construction of the line and the Sr. Xen Grid Const. Division, PSTCL, Moga has to execute the work of construction of 132kV bay at 132 kV Gird Sub Station, IGC Bathinda. The Cost of the line and bay stands transferred to DY CE/TLSC circle PSTCL Patiala and Sr. Xen Grid Construction Division, PSTCL Moga respectively by Sr. Xen, DS Division, PSPCL Maur on 8th May, 2019. TLSC, Division, PSTCL Patiala

has informed PSPCL on 18.07.2019 that the work order has been issued on 14.5.2019 for construction of 132kV line, which may require 8 months to complete the erection of 132 kV line. The Senior. Xen/Grid Construction Division PSTCL has informed PSPCL on 23.07.2019 that the civil work of the bay may be completed in 2-4 months. PSPCL has prayed before the Commission that in view of huge quantum of civil work involved, the release of connection be extended upto 28.02.2020, under Regulation 8.1 (b) of Supply Code 2014. After hearing the details of the work involved in erection of 132 kV line & 132 kV bay and work executed till date for release of the connection to Northern Railways, New Delhi, the Commission in exercise of powers under Regulation 8.1 (b) of the Supply Code 2014 grants extension to PSPCL upto 28.02.2020 for the release of EHT Connection to Northern Railways, New Delhi.

The Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-
(Anjuli Chandra)
Member

Sd/-
(S.S. Sarna)
Member

Sd/-
(Kusumjit Sidhu)
Chairperson

Chandigarh
Dated: 29.10.2019