PUNJAB STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION SCO NO. 220-221, SECTOR 34-A, CHANDIGARH

Petition No. 44 of 2014 Date of Order: 21.10.2014

In the matter of:

Petition under regulation 47 to 50 of PSERC (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters), Regulations, 2007, read with clause 51 of the Conditions of supply and clause 69 of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2005, for seeking interpretation / clarification regarding Service Connection Charges demanded by the respondent from the petitioners, having electricity connections in Cluster Scheme of the respondent., as the total load of the cluster would remain same as prayed by the petitioners and further as the existing line is able to cater the increase load and the whole line cost has already been paid by the petitioners.

AND

- In the matter of: 1. Vardhman Industries Ltd., through its authorized signatory Shri Raman Kumar, registered office 2nd floor, Jeevan Deep Building, Parliament Street, New Delhi.
 - Vallabh Tinplate (P) Ltd., through its authorized signatory Sh.Raman Kumar, registered office 2nd floor, Jeevan Deep Building, Parliament Street, New Delhi.

Versus

Punjab State Power Corporation Limited through its Managing Director, The Mall, Patiala.

Present: Smt.Romila Dubey, Chairperson

Shri Virinder Singh, Member Shri Gurinder Jit Singh, Member

ORDER

Vardhman Industries Ltd. and Vallabh Tinplate (P) Ltd. incorporated companies are petitioner No. 1 and petitioner No. 2 respectively in this petition. The Petitioner No.2 is stated to be a subsidiary company of petitioner No. 1 and both have filed this petition through common authorized

signatory. The petitioners have filed this petition under regulations 47 to 50 of Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters), Regulations, 2007, read with clause 51 of the 'Conditions of Supply' and Regulation 69 of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2005, seeking interpretation / clarification regarding Service Connection Charges demanded by Punjab State Power Corporation Limited (PSPCL), the respondent, from the petitioners having electricity connections in Cluster Scheme of the respondent., as the total load of the cluster would remain same and existing line is able to cater the increase in load and the whole line cost has already been paid by the petitioners. The petition was admitted vide Order dated 13.08.2014 and PSPCL was directed to file reply by 02.09.2014. PSPCL filed reply dated 04.09.2014 with copy to the petitioners. The petitioners filed rejoinder dated 16.09.2014.

After hearing the petitioners and PSPCL on 16.09.2014, the Commission closed further hearing of the petition. Order was reserved. The petitioners have now filed an application dated 16.10.2014 for withdrawal of the petition, at this stage, stating that the petitioners have also filed objections / suggestions regarding the proposed provisions of Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters), Regulations, 2007 (under review) on the issues involved in the petition and in view of this, the petitioners want to withdraw the petition, at this stage, with a liberty to file a fresh petition, if necessity arises later.

The petitioners are allowed to withdraw this petition with liberty to file a fresh petition, if any, at a later stage.

The petition is disposed of as withdrawn.

Sd/- Sd/- Sd/(Gurinder Jit Singh) (Virinder Singh) (Romila Dubey)
Member Member Chairperson

Chandigarh Dated: 21.10.2014

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