

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

**Petition No.7 of 2013
Date of hearing: 07.05.2013
Date of Order: 09.05.2013**

In the matter of : Petition under Clause 5.1, Clause 5.5 and Clause 6.3 (b) of Regulation 5 of Electricity Supply Code praying for the issuance of direction to the respondents to erect the 132 KV voltage line at the earliest as the same has already been sanctioned by the respondents and in pursuance thereto the requisite amount has already been deposited by the present petitioner with the respondent.

AND

In the matter of: SEL Manufacturing Company Limited, Village Sekhon Majara, Rahon-Machhiwara Road, Tehsil Nawashahar, District S.B.S.Nagar, Punjab

Versus

1. Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, The Mall, Patiala
2. Punjab State Transmission Corporation Limited, The Mall, Patiala,

Present: Smt.Romila Dubey, Chairperson
 Shri Virinder Singh, Member
 Shri Gurinder Jit Singh, Member

For petitioner: Shri R.S.Minhas, V.P. Engg.
 Shri Ramandhir (Officer)

For PSPCL: Shri Karamjit Singh, Dy.C.E./Nawanshahar
 Shri Sanjeev Gupta, SE/TR-2

For PSTCL: Shri B.S.Sandhu, Dy.CE/TLSC Patiala
 Shri Ravi Luthra, Addl.SE/Comml.

ORDER

The Commission after hearing the parties at length on 26.03.2013 had decided to constitute a Committee to explore a suitable solution to the problem

being faced in erecting 132 kV line and any other alternate arrangement that can be made for supply to the company at specified voltage as under:-

1. Superintending Engineer/DS, Nawan Shehar **Member/Convener**
2. Superintending Engineer/TLSC Circle, PSTCL, Patiala **Member**
3. An officer from District Administration not below the rank of Tehsildar to be nominated by Deputy Commissioner, Nawan Shehar. **Member**

The Committee was directed to file a report by 30.04.2013.

The Committee has filed the report vide Financial Advisor, PSTCL memo No.1079 dated 30.04.2013. The Committee has come to the conclusion that this line needs to be erected as per already approved route-plan.

The petitioner, PSTCL and PSPCL made their submissions in detail and all ways and means for erecting the line keeping in view the resistance of the land owners to the erection of line as per approved route of 132 kV transmission line, were discussed during hearing. After hearing all parties and with their mutual consent, it was decided as under:-

1. 132 kV SC line from 132 kV Sub-station, Jadla to SEL Manufacturing Company Limited, Sekhon Majara shall be erected as per approved route-plan.
2. The petitioner shall be responsible for paying compensation to land owners as per the mutually agreed rates which may be decided in consultation with local administration and land owners.
3. All material required for construction of this line shall be procured and made available at site to TLSC Organization of PSTCL by the petitioner as per requirement to be worked out and conveyed to the petitioner by S.E./TLSC, PSTCL, Patiala. The material shall be as per specifications/design of PSTCL.
4. The erection of the line shall be done by TLSC Organization of PSTCL on labour rates to be borne by the petitioner. After deduction of these

charges, the balance out of total amount deposited by the petitioner shall be refunded to the petitioner by PSPCL.

5. PSPCL was required to seek approval of the Commission for extension of period of 120 days in terms of proviso to Regulation 6.3(b) of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) Regulations, 2007, but has failed to do so. Therefore PSPCL shall be liable to pay interest to the petitioner for the total amount deposited by the petitioner as cost of line /security (works) and security (consumption)/ACD in terms of Regulation 6, 17 and 19.3 (b) of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) Regulations, 2007 as amended from time to time.

The petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-
(Gurinder Jit Singh)
Member

Sd/-
(Virinder Singh)
Member

Sd/-
(Romila Dubey)
Chairperson

Chandigarh
Dated: 09.05.2013