

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

Petition No. 35 of 2024
Date of Hearing: 19.07.2024
Date of Order: 22.07.2024

Petition under Section 86 (1) (b) and 86 (1) (e) of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Power Purchase and Procurement Process of Licensees) Regulations, 2012 for the approval of Power Procurement of 1450 MW Solar Photo Voltaic (PV) power from SJVN Limited under tender for 1500 MW ISTS connected Solar PV Power Projects pursuant to the competitive bidding conducted by SJVN.

And

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

Vs

SJVN Limited Contracts & Procurement Section, REIA, Liaison Office
 6th Floor, Tower No. 1, Office Block, NBCC Complex, East Kidwai
 Nagar, New Delhi-110023.

...Respondent

Commission: Sh. Viswajeet Khanna, Chairperson
 Sh. Paramjeet Singh, Member

Petitioner: Sh. Anand K Ganesan, Advocate (through VC)
 Ms. Harmohan Kaur, CE/ARR&TR
 Sh. Harjeet Singh, ASE/TR-5
 Sh. Shashi Bhushan, ASE Solar-I

SJVN: Sh. Adarsh Tripathi, Advocate (through VC)

ORDER

The Petition was taken up for hearing on admission. On a perusal of the petition it is observed by the Commission that PSPCL has not impleaded the Solar Power Developers (SPD) as a party to the petition. The SPD's are a necessary party for proper adjudication of the matter and M/s Solarcraft Power India 8 Pvt. Ltd, M/s GRT Jewellers India Pvt. Ltd., M/s Furies Solren Pvt. Ltd, and M/s JSW Renew Energy (Raj) Energy Ltd. are impleaded as respondents in the Petition. Notice be issued to the respondents. PSPCL shall further submit the information as under:

- a) Status of adoption of discovered tariffs by the CERC;
- b) The landed cost of proposed power at State Periphery indicating the applicable cost components (i.e., Transmission charges/Losses, trader's margin etc.) separately in Paise/kWh.

- c) Total financial liability (in Rs. Cr) on account of payment of Trading Margin over the period of the proposed power arrangements.
- d) PSPCL's ability to utilise the proposed power capacity, considering that it has to draw banked power to the tune of about 3000MW during the peak/paddy season in addition to its already existing long-term power arrangements of more than 8000 MW on the Inter State Transmission System (ISTS).

The above information be submitted on affidavit within two weeks with a copy to the respondents (through hard & soft copy).

The Petition shall be taken up for hearing on admission on 28.08.2024 at 11.30 AM.

Sd/-

(Paramjeet Singh)
Member

Sd/-

(Viswajeet Khanna)
Chairperson

Chandigarh
Dated: **22.07.2024**