

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

Petition No. 52 of 2023
Alongwith IA No. 18 of 2023
Date of Hearing: 08.05.2024
Date of Order: 13.05.2024

Petition under Section 86(1)(f) of the Electricity Act, 2003; Regulation 68 and 69 of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2005; and Article 17.3.1 of the Power Purchase Agreement dated 01.09.2008 seeking issuance of appropriate directions/orders for quashing/setting aside the unlawful demand raised by the Respondent by way of its letters dated 13.04.2023, 03.06.2023, 30.06.2023, 19.07.2023 and 10.08.2023 on account of rebate availed by the Petitioner against the payments of the Monthly Bills for the period w.e.f. April 2020.

And

Stay application to be filed before PSERC against claim of Rs. 181 crore raised by TSPL.

In the matter of : Punjab State Power Corporation Limited

.....Petitioner

Vs.

Talwandi Sabo Power Limited.

.....Respondent

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

PSPCL: Ms. Poorva Saigal, Advocate (through VC)
Sh. Ajay Bansal, Dy.CE/TR-II
Sh. Vineet Verma

TSPL: Sh. Venkatesh, Advocate

ORDER

The Petition was taken up for hearing on admission. During hearing on 01.11.2023, the Ld. Counsel for TSPL requested for time to file reply on the maintainability of the Petition. TSPL was allowed to file its reply and PSPCL was directed to file rejoinder thereto, if any, within one week thereafter. TSPL has filed its reply however, PSPCL has not filed rejoinder thereto. The Ld. Counsel for PSPCL submitted that contempt petition is

pending in this case before the Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court which is fixed for hearing on 28.08.2024 and the present matter may be fixed after the said date.PSPCL was allowed to file rejoinder vide order dated 02.11.2023 but the same has not been filed even to date. The Ld. Counsel for PSPCL has requested for time to file rejoinder to the reply filed by TSPL. PSPCL is granted the last opportunity to file the same within two weeks with a copy to TSPL (through hard & soft copy).

The Petition shall be taken up for hearing on admission on 24.07.2024 at 11.30 AM.

Sd/-
(Paramjeet Singh)
Member

Sd/-
(Viswajeet Khanna)
Chairperson

Chandigarh
Dated:**13.05.2024**