THE UTTAR PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

LUCKNOW

Petition No. 2003 of 2023

QUORUM

Hon'ble Shri Arvind Kumar, Chairman

Hon'ble Shri Sanjay Kumar Singh, Member

IN THE MATTER OF

Petition seeking suitable amendments in Uttar Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Promotion of Green Energy through Renewable Purchase Obligation) Regulations, 2010 and subsequent amendments thereof in accordance with the RPO trajectory formulated by the Ministry of Power, Govt. of India and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 181 of the Electricity Act, 2003 and Regulation 17 of the UPERC (Promotion of Green Energy through Renewable Purchase Obligation) Regulations, 2010.

AND

IN THE MATTER OF

Uttar Pradesh New & Renewable Energy Development Agency (UPNEDA),

Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow, U.P. – 226010.

..... Petitioner

THE FOLLOWING WERE PRESENT

1. Shri Narendra Singh, SPO-II, UPNEDA
2. Shri Divyanshu Bhatt, Advocate, UPNEDA

ORDER

(DATE OF HEARING: 11.02.2025)

1. Present petition has been filed seeking suitable amendment in Uttar Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Promotion of Green Energy through Renewable

Purchase Obligation) Regulations, 2010 and subsequent amendments thereof in accordance with the RPO trajectory formulated by the Ministry of Power, Govt. of India vide Order No. 09/13/2021-RCM dated 22.07.2022 and subsequent Corrigendum issued in this behalf.

2. During the previous hearing on 10.12.2024, the Petitioner was not present. The Commission, in its Order dated 24.12.2024, had granted one more opportunity to the Petitioner to pursue the matter.

3. During the present hearing, Counsel for the Petitioner submitted that the instant petition was filed in June 2023 seeking its formal adoption. However, several changes have taken place since the Petition has been filed as a result of which the Petition, in its present form, would not survive. In light of the foregoing, the Counsel for the Petitioner requested the Commission to allow for the withdrawal of the Petition.

4. The Commission is of the view that the prayer made in the Petition falls under the legislative functions of the Commission. Hence, even if the request for withdrawal of Petition had not been made, relief sought by the Petitioner could not have been granted.

5. In view of the submission made by the Petitioner's Counsel, that they no longer wish to pursue the matter and request for withdrawal of the Petition, the Commission allows the same.

6. Accordingly, the Petition is disposed of.

(Sanjay Kumar Singh)
Member

(Arvind Kumar)
Chairman

Place: Lucknow
Dated: 20 .02.2025