



THE UTTAR PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

LUCKNOW

Petition No. 2129 of 2024

QUORUM

Hon'ble Shri Arvind Kumar, Chairman

Hon'ble Shri Sanjay Kumar Singh, Member

IN THE MATTER OF

Petition under Sections 63 and 86 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for relief under Force Majeure (Article 11) and Change in Law (Article 12) of TSA dated 07.08.2019, related to construction of 765/400/220 kV GIS S/s Rampur and 400/220/132 KV GIS S/s Sambhal along with associated Transmission Lines by POWERGRID Rampur Sambhal Transmission Limited.

AND

IN THE MATTER OF

POWERGRID Rampur Sambhal Transmission Limited

(Formerly known as Rampur Sambhal Transco Limited)

B-9, Qutab Institutional Area, Katwaria Sarai, New Delhi – 110016

Address for correspondence:

C/o ED (TBCB),

Power Grid Corporation of India Limited, Saudamini,

Plot no.2, Sector -29, Gurugram 122001

..... **Petitioner**

VERSUS

1. **Paschimanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited,**

Through its Chief Engineer,

Hydel Colony, Victoria Park – Meerut – 250001.

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2. **Madhyanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited,**
Through its Chief Engineer, 4-A Gokhale Marg, Lucknow – 226001.
3. **Purvanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited,**
Through its Executive Engineer, Bhikharipur, P.O DLW Varanasi – 221010.
4. **Dakshinanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited,**
Through its Superintendent Engineer,
Urja Bhawan, NH-2, 9 (Agra Delhi bypass road), Sikandara Agra – 282002
5. **Kanpur Electricity Supply Company Limited,**
Through its Director, 14/71 Civil lines, Kanpur – 208001.
6. **Uttar Pradesh Power Transmission Corporation Limited,**
Through its Managing Director,
Shakti Bhawan, 14, Ashok Marg, Lucknow – 226001,
7. **Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Limited,**
Through its Managing Director,
Shakti Bhawan, 14, Ashok Marg, Lucknow - 226001.
8. **REC Power Development and Consultancy Limited,**
Through its Chief Executive Officer
(Bid Process Coordinator)
(Formerly REC Power Distribution Company Limited)
REC Corporate Head Quarters,
D Block, Plot No. I – 4, Sector – 29, Gurugram – 122 001

..... Respondents

THE FOLLOWING WERE PRESENT

1. Ms. Pallavi Saigal, Advocate, Petitioner

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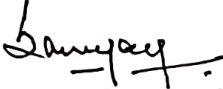


2. Ms. Puja Priyadarshini, Advocate, UPPCL
3. Sh. Deeptanshu Chandar, Advocate, UPPCL
4. Md. Altaf Mansoor, Advocate, UPPTCL
5. Sh. Tanay Chaudhary, Advocate, UPPTCL
6. Md. Faisal, DGM, PRSTL
7. Sh. S.C. Joshi, SE, UPPCL
8. Sh. Rakesh Kumar, SE, UPPTCL

ORDER

(DATE OF HEARING: 25.03.2025)

1. Ms. Pallavi Saigal, Counsel, appearing on behalf of the Petitioner, M/s POWERGRID Rampur Sambhal Transmission Limited (PRSTL) submitted that the pleadings in the matter are completed, and the matter may be listed for arguments.
2. During the hearing, the Commission observed that the matter is adjudicatory in nature, being filed under Section 86(1)(f) of the Electricity Act, 2003 and therefore, it is mandatory to have presence of Member (Law) in the quorum. In this regard, Hon'ble Supreme Court vide its judgement dated 12.04.2018 in Civil Appeal No. 14697 of 2015, has concluded that in any adjudicatory issue covered under Section 86(1)(f), it is mandatory that there should be a person of law as a Member of the Commission.
3. In view of above, and owing to vacancy in the position of Member (Law), the Commission directs to keep the matter in abeyance and list the matter subsequent to appointment of the Member (Law).


(Sanjay Kumar Singh)
Member




(Arvind Kumar)
Chairman

Place: Lucknow

Dated: 07.04.2025