

**JOINT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
FOR THE STATE OF GOA AND UNION TERRITORIES
GURGAON**

Coram
Dr. V.K. Garg, Chairperson
Sh. S.K.Chaturvedi, Member
Petition No. 68/2012

In the matter of

Petition for seeking approval of Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections.

And in the matter of:

1. Electricity Department, Govt. of Goa
2. Electricity Department, UT of Andaman & Nicobar
3. Electricity Department, UT of Chandigarh
4. Electricity Department, UT of Dadra and Nagar Haveli
5. Electricity Department, UT of Daman & Diu
6. Electricity Department, UT of Lakshadweep
7. Electricity Department, UT of Puducherry

Present:

1. Shri M. Jagannathan, AE, ED- Andaman & Nicobar
2. Shri Gaurav Lohani, Consultant, ED- Dadra & Nagar Heveli.
3. Shri Gaurav Lohani, Consultant, ED- Daman & Diu.
4. Shri K.Mathivanan, Superintending Engineer, ED- Puducheery
5. Shri T. Chanemougam, Executive Engineer, ED- Puducheery

ORDER

30.01.2013

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 83 of the Electricity Act, 2003 the Central Government constituted a two member (including Chairperson) Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for all Union Territories except Delhi to be known as "Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Union Territories" with Headquarters at Delhi as notified vide notification no. 23/52/2003- R&R dated 2nd May, 2005. Later with the joining of the state of Goa, the Commission came to be known as "Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for the State of Goa and Union Territories" as notified on 30th May, 2008. The Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission (for the State of Goa and Union Territories) started functioning with effect from August 2008 in the district town of Gurgaon, Haryana.

Electricity Department Chandigarh filed a petition before the Commission for seeking approval of Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections as per the provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003 and JERC (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2010.

The Commission started hearings and sent notices to its all the seven deemed licensees to file their respective Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections as per the provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003 and JERC (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2010.

Electricity Departments Goa, Chandigarh, Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Daman & Diu and Puducherry all deemed licensees submitted their respective Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections as per the provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003 and JERC (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2010.

Electricity Departments Andaman & Nicobar Islands and Lakshadweep deemed licensees have not yet filed their Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections as per the provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003 and JERC (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2010.

The Commission held hearings in Commission's headquarter at Gurgaon on 05.11.2012, 06.11.2012, 26.11.2012, 18.12.2012 and 30.01.2013.

The Commission has gone through the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections of ED- Goa, Chandigarh, Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Daman & Diu and Puducherry carefully and thoroughly and is of the following opinion:-

Electricity Department- Goa respondent

No representative of Electricity Department – Goa respondent no. 1 is present. The Commission had heard representative of the respondent. The Commission has also gone through suggestions/ comments of the respondent and examined the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections carefully and thoroughly and found the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections in line with the Electricity Act, 2003 as well as JERC (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2010. Therefore, the Commission approves the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections annexed "A".

Electricity Department- Andaman & Nicobar respondent

Electricity Department – Andaman & Nicobar respondent no. 2 filed Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections. The Commission examined the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections and observed that in the A&A Form the respondent has mentioned repealed Act. The Commission also pointed out some defects/modification in the A&A Form. The representative of the respondent prayed for Four weeks time for submitting corrected A&A Form. The Commission considered the request,

acceded the same and directed the respondent to submit corrected A&A Form within Four weeks time.

Electricity Department- Chandigarh petitioner

No representative of Electricity Department – Chandigarh respondent no. 3 is present. The respondent has already filed Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections. The Commission has heard representative of the respondent on 05.11.2012. The Commission has also gone through suggestions/ comments of the respondent and examined the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections carefully and thoroughly and found the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections in line with the Electricity Act, 2003 as well as JERC (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2010. Therefore, the Commission approves the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections annexed “B”.

Electricity Department- Dadra & Nagar Haveli respondent

Electricity Department – Dadra and Nagar Haveli respondent no. 4 has already filed Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections. The Commission has also heard representative of the respondent no. 4 on 18.12.2012. The Commission has also gone through suggestions/ comments of the respondent and examined the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections carefully and thoroughly and found the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections in line with the Electricity Act, 2003 as well as JERC (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2010. Therefore, the Commission approves the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections annexed “C”.

Electricity Department- Daman & Diu respondent

Electricity Department – Daman & Diu respondent no. 5 has already filed Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections. The Commission has also heard representative of the respondent no. 5 on 18.12.2012. The Commission has also gone through suggestions/ comments of the respondent and examined the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections carefully and thoroughly and found the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections in line with the Electricity Act, 2003 as well as JERC (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2010. Therefore, the Commission approves the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections annexed “D”.

Electricity Department- Lakshadweep respondent

Electricity Department – Lakshadweep respondent no. 6 has although submitted suggestions/ comments on Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections but has not yet submitted draft A&A form for approval. The Commission directs ED Lakshadweep to file A&A form by 27-02-2013 before the Commission for approval. ED Lakshadweep had sent a letter to this Commission stating that they agree to ED Chandigarh suggestion for inclusion of Aadhar as ID Proof

Electricity Department- Puducherry respondent

Electricity Department – Puducherry respondent no. 7 has already filed Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections. The Commission has also heard representative of the respondent no. 7 on 18.12.2012. The Commission has also gone through suggestions/ comments of the respondent and examined the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections carefully and thoroughly and found the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections in line with the Electricity Act, 2003 as well as JERC (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2010. Therefore, the Commission approved the Application & Agreement Form (A&A) for LT/HT connections annexed “E”.

Scheduled for hearing of respondents no. 2 & 6 on 27.02.2013 at 11:00 AM.

Sd/-
(S.K.Chaturvedi)
Member

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(Dr. V.K. Garg)
Chairperson

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(R.K. Malik)
Secretary