

**CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION  
NEW DELHI**

**Coram:**

- 1. Shri Ashok Basu, Chairman**
- 2. Shri G.S. Rajamani, Member**
- 3. Shri K.N. Sinha, Member**

**Petition No. 53/2002**

**In the matter of**

Petition for approval of tariff for CTP augmentation in Southern Region for the period 1.4.2001 to 31.3.2004

**And in the matter of**

Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd.

.. **Petitioner**

**Vs**

1. Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Ltd., Bangalore
2. Transmission Corporation of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad
3. Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, Chennai
4. Electricity Department, Govt. of Pondicherry, Pondicherry
5. Electricity Department, Govt. of Goa, Panaji

... **Respondents**

**ORDER**

This petition was heard on 21.2.2003. We were in the process of finalising the tariff order. In order to seek certain clarifications on financial issues in respect of assets covered by the present petition, the matter was discussed by the staff of the Commission with the officials of the petitioner company on 26.6.2003. After the discussions, the petitioner has submitted a letter dated 2.7.2003 wherein it has been stated that FERV claim on the un-serviced outstanding loans as on 31.3.2001 for Hyderabad Auto Transformer was based on exchange rate difference from 31.3.1997 to 31.3.2001, taken as Rs.36.18/USD as on 1.4.1997, though in effect exchange rate difference from 31.3.1995 to 31.3.1997 was also required to be considered. The exchange rate applicable as on 31.3.1995 was Rs.31.71/USD. As a result of the information now furnished, the petitioner has

revised the additional FERV capitalised by (+) Rs.36,60,930/- and has requested that this additional capitalised FERV may be considered for approval of tariff.

2. The petitioner cannot be allowed benefit of additional capitalised FERV as prayed for in the letter dated 2.7.2003, as the respondents have no notice of the additional claim put forth by the petitioner. We consider it appropriate that a formal application praying for amendment of the petition may be filed on behalf of the petitioner in accordance with the proper procedure, if it claims the benefit of additional FERV as stated in the said letter dated 2.7.2003. Accordingly, we grant liberty to the petitioner to file an appropriate application for amendment latest by 25.8.2003, with advance copy to the respondents who may file their replies by 10.8.2003 with a copy to the petitioner. The petitioner may file its rejoinder, if so advised, by 20.9.2003. In case no application for amendment is filed in accordance with liberty given, no further opportunity for the purpose shall be granted.

3. List this petition on 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2003.

**Sd/-  
(K.N. SINHA)  
MEMBER**

**Sd/-  
(G.S. RAJAMANI)  
MEMBER**

**Sd/-  
(ASHOK BASU)  
CHAIRMAN**

New Delhi dated the 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2003