CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION NEW DELHI

Petition No. 9/MP/2016

Subject: Petition under Section 79(1) (c) and Section 79(1) (k) of the

Electricity Act, 2003 read with Regulation 8 of the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (Grant of Connectivity, Long Term Access and Medium Term Open Access in inter-State Transmission and related matters) Regulations, 2009 and Regulation 111-113 (Inherent Powers) and Regulation 115 (Power To Remove Difficulties) of the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission

(Conduct of Business) Regulations, 1999.

Date of hearing: 8.3.2016

Coram : Shri Gireesh B. Pradhan, Chairperson

Shri A.K. Singhal, Member Shri A.S. Bakshi, Member Dr. M.K. Iyer, Member

Petitioner : National High Power Test Laboratory Private Limited

Respondents : Power Grid Corporation of India Limited and others

Parties present: Ms. Swaprna Seshadri, Advocate for petitioner

Ms. Pragya Singh, POSOCO Shri Ashok Rajan, POSOCO Shri S.R. Narasimahan, POSOCO

Ms. Jyoti Prasad, PGCIL Shri Swapnil Verma, PGCIL Shri R.K. Malviya, MPPTCL

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Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has sought connectivity to ISTS as it requires miniscule power for 250 ms for testing of the transformer. She further submitted that the petitioner is ready to pay the charges as determined by the Commission. Learned counsel submitted that since, the petitioner is not taking any open access, no open access charges or transmission charges be levied on the petitioner. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that all the conditions imposed by POSOCO are acceptable to the petitioner and the petitioner undertakes to abide by any reasonable procedure finalized by POSOCO/WRLDC/CTU.

- 2. The Commission directed the Chief (Engg.) of the Commission to convene a meeting with the petitioner, the respondents and the representative of MPPTCL within a week to resolve the issues and submit a report to the Commission. The Commission will take a view thereafter.
- 3. The Commission reserved the order in the petition.

By order of the Commission

SD/-(T. Rout) Chief (Law)