CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION NEW DELHI

Coram:

- 1. Shri Ashok Basu, Chairman
- 2. Shri K.N. Sinha, Member
- 3. Shri Bhanu Bhushan, Member
- 4. Shri A.H. Jung, Member

Petition No.70/2003

In the matter of

Approval of tariff for 315 MVA, 400 kV, 3rd ICT at Biharshariff along with associated bays under Bihar Grid Strengthening Scheme in Eastern Region from 1.10.2003 to 31.3.2004.

And in the matter of

Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. Petitioner Vs Bihar State Electricity Board & others Respondents

ORDER

Through the present petition, the petitioner, Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. (PGCIL) has sought approval of transmission charges for one ICT at Biharshariff in Eastern Region, which was expected to be declared under commercial operation with effect from 1.10.2003.

2. The Commission by its order dated 10.12.2003 had allowed the annual transmission charges @ 122.48 lakh on provisional basis from the date of commercial operation. The petitioner was also directed to file the amended

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petition for approval of tariff based on the audited accounts as on the date of commercial operation.

3. The ICT at Biharshariff had been commissioned on 1.4.2004 for which the petitioner has made a separate application for approval of tariff (Petition No.73/2005) for the period 1.4.2004 to 31.3.2009 based on the revised norms applicable for the said period. The application is under consideration of the Commission.

4. Accordingly, the present petition is disposed of with further direction, that the provisional transmission charges approved by order dated 10.12.2003 shall continue to apply till such time tariff is determined in Petition No.73/2005.

Sd/-Sd/-Sd/-(A.H.JUNG)(BHANU BHUSHAN)(K.N. SINHA)(ASHOK BASU)MEMBERMEMBERMEMBERCHAIRMAN

New Delhi dated the 18th October 2005