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CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION



No. Engg/Tr. Pricing/Validation/L-1/44/2010/CERC

Dated: 3/07/2012

To.

The Members of the Validation Committee and Generating Companies

(as per list).

Subject: Minutes of the Fifth Meeting of the Validation Committee for the year 2012-13, for the implementation of CERC (Sharing of Inter-State Transmission Charges and Losses) Regulations, 2010.

Sir.

Please find enclosed herewith the minutes of the Fifth Meeting of the Validation Committee for the year 2012-13, for the implementation of CERC (Sharing of inter-State Transmission Charges and Losses) Regulations, 2010 held on 27th June, 2012 in the NRLDC Conference Room at New Delhi, for information and necessary action.

Encl: As above,

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Secretary, CERC

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2		Menghani, Joint Chief (Engg.)	36-Janpath, New Delhi -110001
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		Joint Chief (Fin.)	Commission
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			New Delhi - 110 066
4.		Shri C. Shanmugam	Central Electricity Authority
		Director, GM Division	6 th Floor, N-Wing
			Sewa Bhawan , R.K.Puram,
			New Delhi-110066
5.	CTU/ Powergrid	Shri N.K.Jain,	Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd
		GM (Comm.)/ alternate	
		member Shri Prashant Sharma,	Near IFFCO Chowk,
		GM (Comm.)	Gurgaon-122001
6.		Shri Dilip Rozekar, DGM	Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd
		(SEF)/ alternate member Shri	Plot No. 2, Sector-29,
		RVMM Rao, Ch. Design	Near IFFCO Chowk,
		Engineer (SEF)	Gurgaon-122001
7.	POSOCO	Shri V.V. Sharma,	Northern Regional Load Despatch
		General Manager	Centre
			18-A Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg,
			Katwaria Sarai,
			New Delhi-110016
8.		Shri P.R. Raghuram,	Southern Regional Load Despatch
		General Manager	Centre
			29, Race Course Cross Road,
			Bangalore, Karnataka-560009
9.		Shri V.K. Agarwal,	National Load Despatch Centre
		General Manager	18-A Shaheed Jeet Singh,
			Marg,Katwaria Sarai,
			New Delhi-110016
10.		Shri U.K. Verma,	Eastern Regional Load Despatch Center
		General Manager	14, Golf Club Road, Tollygunge,
			Kolkata-700 033 (W.B.)
11.	NRPC	Shri P.S. Pahwa,	Northern Regional Power Committee
		Member Secretary	18-A Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg,
		Intelliget Secretary	Katwaria Sarai, New Delhi-110016
12	\dashv	Shri Ravinder Singh,	Punjab State Transmission Corporation
		Punjab State Transmission	Ltd (PSEB head office)
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13.	WRPC	Shri S.D. Taksande,	Western Regional Power Committee
		Member Secretary (I/C)	Plot No. F-3, MIDC Area, Marol,
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			Mumbai-400093
14.		Shri P.A.R Bende,	Chief Engineer (LD),
		Chief Engineer (LD),	MPPTCL
		MPPTCL	Shakti Bhawan
			Jabalpur-482008
15.	SRPC	Shri S.R. Bhatt,	Southern Regional Power Committee
		Member Secretary (In-Charge)	29, Race Course Cross Road,
			Bangalore-560009, Karnataka
16.		Director (Transmission),	KPTCL,
		KPTCL	Cauvery Bhavan, K.G. Road,
			Bangalore - 560009
17.	ERPC	Shri A.K. Bandyopadhyay,	Eastern Regional Power Committee
		Member Secretary (In-charge)	14, Golf Club Road, Tollygunge,
			Kolkata-700 033 (W.B.)
18.		Shri T.T. Jha,	Bihar State Electricity Board
		Member (Transmission),	1 st Floor, Vidyut Bhawan, Bailey Road,
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19.	NERPC	Shri A.K. Mishra,	North Eastern Regional Power
		Member Secretary (In-charge)	Committee
			Meghalaya State Housing Finance Co-
			Operative Society Ltd.BLDG.,
			Nongrim Hills, Shillong-793003
20.		Shri Jatin Baishya,	State Load Despatch Centre Complex
		Senior Manager,	Kahelipara,
			Guwahati

LIST OF GENERATING COMPANIES

Sl.	Name of the	Name of the persons and	Address
No.	Statutory Bodies	Designation	
1.	NTPC	Shri Inderjit Kapoor,	NTPC Bhawan, Core 7, Scope Complex,
		Director (Commercial)	Institutional Area, Load Road, New
			Delhi – 110003
2.	NHPC	Shri S.K. Agarwal,	NHPC office Complex, Sector-33,
		Executive Director (O&M)	Faridabad – 121003 (Haryana)
3.	NEEPCO	Shri N.K. Chakraborty,	Brookland Compound, Lower New
		Executive Director	Colony, Shillong - 793003
4.	NLC	Shri Sekar K,	No.135, Periyar E.V.R. High Road,
		Director (Commercial)	Kilpauk, Chennai - 600 010. Tamil Nadu,
			India
5.	SJVNL	Shri R.K. Agrarwal,	SJVN, IRCON Building, Ground Floor,
		General Manager (Commercial)	Saket, New Delhi-110017

Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (Engg. Division)

Minutes of the Fifth Meeting of the Validation Committee for the Year 2012-13 held on 27/6/2012 at NRLDC, New Delhi.

The Chairman of the Validation Committee, Shri Pankaj Batra, Chief (Engg.), CERC welcomed the participants at NRLDC and all the other RLDCs who were attending the meeting through teleconferencing. List of the participants are enclosed at *Annexure*.

- 1. Chief (Engg.), CERC mentioned that there were limited issues for discussion in this Validation Committee Meeting, as decided in the last meeting viz. the methodology of Load- Generation Balancing for the purpose of load flow studies, the filing of petitions by Power grid in CERC for the transmission assets with COD up to December, 2012 by the end of June, 2012 and date of commissioning of some generating stations.
- 2. Chief (Engg.), CERC stated that as per the decision in the fourth meeting of Validation Committee held on 21.5.2012, in order to decide the methodology of load generation balancing for the period Oct, 2012 to March 2013, NLDC had to compile and compare the projected demand and generation figures for 2011-2012 with the actual figures. NLDC also had to compare the projected generation figures for the period Oct, 2012 to March, 2013 with the generation target figures by MoP. He then requested NLDC to give the presentation in this respect.
- 3. NLDC then made a presentation showing the comparison of figures. It was noted that in respect of most of the DICs, there was small variation in figures of projected demand and generation as compared to actual for the period 2011-2012. There were few cases of large variations in figures, which were discussed and it was found that there were proper justification for the variation of figures, like shortage of coal/gas, improvement in supply of fuel for nuclear power plants, low rainfall and non-inclusion of wind energy generation figures & surrender of Kayamkulam power by Tamil Nadu etc. After, seeing the results and detailed deliberations, it was decided that the present methodology of up- scaling the demand for load generation balance would be continued for the period Oct, 2012 to March, 2013 in the NEW grid. For the Southern Regional Grid, it was decided that the demand would be restricted to generation within the region plus the import capability of the southern Grid through inter regional corridors. Similarly, it transpired that there was normally small difference in the figures of proposed generation and the target generation figures by MoP.
- 4. GM (NLDC) informed that communication from Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and Orissa were received by NLDC with the request of revising figures of projected demand/generation. Chief (Engg.), CERC stated that Karnataka had also sent letter to CERC for revising the projected generation figures. However, justification for the change of figures was not given. Regarding the revision of figures, it was decided that the States would send the written communication for justification for revised figures by 25.7.2012.

- 5. Regarding Commissioning of Kayaunkulam Nuclear Power Station, SE (SRPC) informed that he had approached NPCIL for getting the confirmed date of commissioning of this project, but NPCIL could not give a fixed date. It was deliberated that the status of Kudankulam generating station would be confirmed by SRPC in the next meeting, proposed to be held in the end of July, 2012.
- 6. Regarding the commissioning schedule of private generators, WRLDC informed that the earlier data submitted by them should be considered, except the revised figure of generation for Adani Tiroda as 607 MW. The representative of Gujarat SLDC informed that the generation from Sugen was uncertain due to fuel linkage problem. He also informed that new generation of 500 MW Ukai extension unit- 6 is expected in December, 2012 in Gujarat State sector.
- 7. SRPC intimated the commissioning dates of Simhadri (SEPL)(135MW X 2) generating units, first unit of Minakshi Power (MEPL) (135MW), LANCO (Kondapalli Stage-II)(250MW), Mettur Stage-III(600MW) and North Chennai(600MW) generating stations as Oct, 2012. The commissioning date of second unit of Minakshi Power(135MW) was stated to be January, 2013.
- 8. Regarding filing of the petition by Powergrid for the new transmission lines to be covered in the Oct, 2012 to March, 2013 for PoC charges calculation, the Powergrid representative submitted that since they had not incurred much expenditure up till now, due to the fact that most of the transmission assets were ICTs, for which payment is made towards the end, they would be able to file the petitions by the end of July, 2012. After, deliberation it was decided that Power grid would file the petitions by 25.7.2012 and submit the technical parameters of its transmission assets. RPCs were requested to intimate all ISTS licensees to furnish the technical parameters of its new lines to be considered for the period Oct 2012 to March 2013.
- 9. WRLDC was requested to ask Jindal Power Ltd. (JPL) to file the petition for tariff for its transmission lines at the earliest and furnish the technical parameters to NLDC by 25.7.2012.
- 10. GM (NLDC) raised the issue of expiry of the term of two years notified by the Commission for the designating NLDC as implementing agency. Chief (Engg.), CERC stated that this issue would be looked into by the Commission.
- 11. Regarding the reason for 45% PLF of Sterlite generating units (Installed Capacity of 1627 MW), the ERLDC representative informed that this was due to transmission constraints as well as less fuel availability.
- 12. After the deliberation following action points were decided:
- a) PowerGrid to file petitions, by 25.07.2012, to CERC for tariff determination for the new transmission elements to be considered for calculation of PoC for the period Oct,12-March,13.
- b) Power Grid to submit technical details of new transmission elements to NLDC immediately.
- c) States of Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh and Orissa to submit the revised figures by 25.07.2012, with proper justification for revision.
- d) SRPC to communicate the commissioning schedule of Kudankulam generating Station to NLDC by the next meeting.
- e) WRLDC to co-ordinate with Jindal Power Limited (JPL) regarding filing of petition and submission of technical data for JPL's line by 25.07.2012.
- f) CERC to look into the issue of expiry of 2 years term designating NLDC as implementing Agency.

<u>List of Participants in the Fifth meeting of the Validation Committee on 27th June 2012 at NRLDC, New Delhi</u>

CERC

- 1. Shri Pankaj Batra, Chief (Engg.) In Chair
- 2. Shri H.K. Pandey, Dy. Chief (Engg.)
- 3. Shri Satish Chander, Sr. Tech. officer

CEA

4. Shri Ravinder Gupta, Director

NRPC

5. Shri P.K. Pahwa, GM, NLDC

POWERGRID

- 6. Shri Prashant Sharma GM (Comml.)
- 7. Shri N.K. Jain, GM (Comml.)

NLDC, POSOCO

- 8. Shri V.K. Agrawal, GM
- 9. Shri A. Mani, AGM
- 10. Shri Mohit Joshi, Engineer
- 11. Shri A Sen Gupta, Engineer
- 12. Shri Gaurav Verma, Engineer
- 13. Ms. Vaishally Bhardwaj, Engineer

NRLDC

14. Shri Rajiv Porwal, GM

PSPCL

15. Shri Amandeep Singh, AEE

OTPC

16. Shri Samarjeet Thakur, Manager

SLDC, Gujarat

17. Shri B.B. Mehta, A.C.E

SLDC, MP

18. Shri P.A.R. Bende, C.E.

List of Participants (Generating Companies)

NHPC

- 19. Ms.Tulika Sinha, Dy. Manager
- 20. Shri Rajesh Joshi, AM (E)

List of Participants (Through Video Conferencing with NLDC)

WRLDC

- 21. Shri P.Pentayya, GM
- 22. Shri A. Gartra, DGM
- 23. Smt. Pushpa Seshadri, Mgr(OS)

WRPC

- 24. Shri S.D. Taksande, Member Secretary
- 25. Shri Satyanarayan S, SE
- 26. Shri P.D. Lone, EE

SRPC

- 27. Shri S.R. Bhat, Member Secretary I/C
- 28. Shri Anil Thomas, AEE

SRLDC

- 29. Shri P.R. Raghuram, GM
- 30. Shri V. Balaji, CM (MO)
- 31. Shri Madhukar G, Sr. Engineer

KPTCL

- 32. Shri J. Ramakantha, EEE/SLDC
- 33. Shri. M. Renu Prasad, EEE/ EA to DT

ERLDC

- 34. Shri U.K. Verma, GM
- 35. Shri D.K.Srivastava, AGM
- 36. Shri Prithwish Mukhopadhyay, AGM
- 37. Shri S. Banerjee, CM
- 38. Shri M.K.Thakur, Sr. Engineer
- 39. Shri S.K.Sahay, Engineer

ERPC

- 40. Shri B. Sarkhel, SE(PS)
- 41. Shri Mohan Jha, EE

WBSETCL

- 42. Shri A. Raichavhaun, ACE
- 43. Shri A. Nag, SE
- 44. Shri Anup Kumar Dutta, AE
- 45. Shri A. Biswas, Addl. C.E.

- 46. Shri D. Chakraborty, C.E.
- 47. Shri. Umakanta Sahoo, Manager
- 48. Smt. Madhumita Mishra, Dy. Manager

OPTCL/ODISHA

- 49. Shri S.K. Panigrahi, Manager
- 50. Shri Prashant Kumar Das, Manager

DVC

51. Shri S. Ganguly, SE (E)

SLDC

52. Shri S.K. Hota, GM

NERPC

- 53. Shri Lalrimsanga, AS
- 54. Shri S.K. Ray Mohapatra, SE

NERLDC

- 55. Shri P.P. Bandyopadhay, DGM
- 56. Shri A. Mallick, Chief Manager
- 57. Shri R. Chakarabarti, Engineer

NEEPCO

- 58. Shri Arop Ch. Sarmal, Sr. Manager (E)
- 59. Shri D. Chorbhery, Lr. Mgr.

MeECL

- 60. Shri T. Gidon, EE
- 61. Shri F.S. Lyndem, A.E

AEGCL

62. Shri J.K. Bhasiya, Senior Manager