CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION NEW DELHI

Petition No. 14/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No. 5/2017

Subject : Petition under Section 79 (1) (a) and (f) of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with the provisions of the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions of Tariff) Regulations, 2014 for relies on account of a Change in Law affecting Stage-II of the Badarpur Thermal Power Station.

Date of hearing : 7.9.2017

- Coram : Shri Gireesh B. Pradhan, Chairperson Shri A.K. Singhal, Member Shri A.S. Bakshi, Member Dr. M.K. Iyer, Member
- Petitioner : NTPC Limited.
- Respondents : BSES Rajdhani Power Limited (BRPL) and Others.
- Parties present : Shri Sitesh Mukherjee, Advocate, NTPC Shri Deep Rao, Advocate, NTPC Shri Rahul Bajaj, Advocate, NTPC Shri Nishant Gupta, NTPC Shri Buddy Rangnadhan, Advocate, BRPL & BYPL Shri Hasan Murtaza, Advocate, BRPL & BYPL Shri Malvika Prasad, Advocate, BRPL & BYPL Shri Sameer Singh, BRPL & BYPL Shri Aniket Prasoon, Advocate, TPDDL Shri Abhishek Kumar, Advocate, TPDDL Shri Uttam Kumar, TPDDL Shri Kartikey Tripathi, TPDDL Shri S.K. Sinha, Delhi SLDC

Record of Proceedings

Learned counsel for BYPL and BRPL submitted that the petitioner has filed the present petition for payment of capacity charges for BTPS Stage II and the petitioner has also filed Petition No. 33/MP/2016 for seeking payment of capacity charges for 4 units of BTPS till operationalization of the same. Learned counsel further submitted that

since, the prayers made in the present petition and Petition No. 33/MP/2016 are similar, both the petitions should be tagged for hearing.

2. Learned counsel for NTPC objected to tagging of the present petition alongwith Petition No. 33/MP/2016 and submitted that the cause of action, factual matrix and relevant periods for which relief has been claimed in Petition No. 33/MP/2016 and the present petition are completely distinct and separate.

3. Learned counsel for NTPC sought permission to file submissions in respect of tagging of the present petition alongwith Petition No. 33/MP/2016. Request was allowed by the Commission.

4. The Commission directed NTPC to file its submissions with respect to consolidation of the present petition alongwith Petition No. 33/MP/2016, by 6.10.2017 with an advance copy to the petitioner, who may file its response, if any, on or before 18.10.2017. The Commission directed that due date of filing the submissions and response should be strictly complied with. No extension shall be granted on that account.

5. The petition shall be listed for hearing on 26.10.2017.

By order of the Commission Sd/-(T. Rout) Chief (Legal)