CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION NEW DELHI

Coram: Shri P.K. Pujari, Chairperson Dr. M. K. Iyer, Member

Date of order: 5th of November, 2018

In the matter of

Petition under Section 79 of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with Article 12 of the Power Purchase Agreements executed between the Petitioners and Respondents, for seeking approval of 'Change in Law' events due to enactment of the 'GST Laws'.

And in the matter of

1. Petition No.188/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No.30/2018

ACME Bhiwadi Solar Power Private Limited Plot No. 152, Sector - 44, Gurugram -122002, Haryana.

...Petitioner

Vs.

- Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited 1st Floor, A - Wing, D-3, District Centre, Saket, New Delhi – 110 017
- Eastern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Ltd. P & T Colony, Seetamma Dhara, Vishakhapatnam-503 013
- Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Ltd. Kesavayanagunta, Tiruchanoor Road, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh- 517 501

2. Petition No. 189/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No. 31/2018

ACME Karnal Solar Power Private Limited Plot No. 152, Sector - 44, Gurugram – 122 002, Haryana.

... Petitioner

...Respondents

Vs.

1. Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited

District Centre, Saket, New Delhi – 110 017 Eastern Power Distribution Cor P & T Colony, Seetamma Dhar

1st Floor, A - Wing, D-3,

- Eastern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Ltd P & T Colony, Seetamma Dhara Vishakhapatnam-503 013
- Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Ltd Kesavayanagunta, Tiruchanoor Road, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh- 517 501

3. Petition No. 190/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No. 32/2018

ACME Hisar Solar Power Private Limited Plot No. 152, Sector - 44, Gurugram – 122 002 Haryana.

Vs.

Vs.

- Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited 1st Floor, A - Wing, D-3, District Centre, Saket, New Delhi – 110 017
- Eastern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Ltd P & T Colony, Seetamma Dhara Vishakhapatnam-503 013
- Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Ltd Kesavayanagunta, Tiruchanoor Road, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh- 517 501

4. Petition No. 201/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No. 33/2018

ACME Kaithal Solar Power Private Limited Plot No. 152, Sector - 44, Gurugram – 122 002 Haryana.

... Respondents

... Petitioner

... Respondents

... Petitioner

- Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited 1st Floor, A - Wing, D-3, District Centre, Saket, New Delhi – 110 017
- 2. Bangalore Electricity Company Limited Pardigm Plaza, A.B. Shetty Circle, Pandeshwar, Mangalore- 575 001
- Mangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited Corporate Office, Krishna Rajendra Nagar, Bangalore- 560 001
- Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation Limited No. 29, CESC Corporate Office, Hinkal, Vijaynagar, 2nd Stage, Mysuru- 570 017
- 5. Gulbarga Electricity Supply Company Limited Main Road Gulbarga - 585102
- Hubli Electricity Supply Company Ltd PB Road. Navanagar Hubballi, Hubli, Karnataka – 580 025

5. Petition No. 202/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No. 35/2018

ACME Koppal Solar Power Private Limited Plot No. 152, Sector - 44, Gurugram – 122 002 Haryana.

... Petitioner

Vs.

- Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited 1st Floor, A - Wing, D-3, District Centre, Saket, New Delhi – 110 017
- 2. Bangalore Electricity Company Limited Pardigm Plaza, A.B. Shetty Circle, Pandeshwar, Mangalore- 575 001
- Mangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited Corporate Office, Krishna Rajendra Nagar, Bangalore- 560 001

... Respondents

- Gurugram 122 002 Haryana.
 - 1st Floor, A Wing, D-3, District Centre, Saket, New Delhi – 110 017

1. Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited

ACME Vijaypura Solar Power Private Limited

Plot No. 152, Sector - 44,

- 2. Bangalore Electricity Company Limited Pardigm Plaza, A.B. Shetty Circle, Pandeshwar, Mangalore- 575 001
- 3. Mangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited Corporate Office, Krishna Rajendra Nagar, Bangalore- 560 001
- 4. Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation Limited No. 29, CESC Corporate Office, Hinkal, Vijaynagar, 2nd Stage, Mysuru- 570 017
- 5. Gulbarga Electricity Supply Company Limited Main Road Gulbarga - 585102
- 6. Hubli Electricity Supply Company Ltd PB Road. Navanagar Hubballi,

- 4. Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation Limited No. 29, CESC Corporate Office, Hinkal, Vijaynagar, 2nd Stage, Mysuru- 570 017
- 5. Gulbarga Electricity Supply Company Limited Main Road Gulbarga - 585102
- 6. Hubli Electricity Supply Company Ltd PB Road. Navanagar Hubballi, Hubli. Karnataka - 580 025

6. Petition No. 203/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No. 36/2018

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Vs.

Hubli, Karnataka - 580 025

7. Petition No. 204/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No. 37/2018

ACME Babadham Solar Power Private Limited Plot No. 152, Sector - 44, Gurugram – 122 002 Haryana.

... Petitioner

Vs.

Vs.

- 1. Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited 1st Floor, A - Wing, D-3, District Centre, Saket, New Delhi - 110 017
- 2. Bangalore Electricity Company Limited Pardigm Plaza, A.B. Shetty Circle, Pandeshwar, Mangalore- 575 001
- 3. Mangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited Corporate Office, Krishna Rajendra Nagar, Bangalore- 560 001
- 4. Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation Limited No. 29, CESC Corporate Office, Hinkal, Vijaynagar, 2nd Stage, Mysuru- 570 017
- 5. Gulbarga Electricity Supply Company Limited Main Road Gulbarga – 585102

8. Petition No. 230/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No. 34/2018

ACME Kurukshetra Solar Energy Private Limited Plot No. 152, Sector - 44, Gurugram - 122002, Haryana.

1. NTPC Limited Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodi Road, New Delhi – 110 003. ... Respondents

... Petitioner

... Respondents

- NTPC Vidyut Vyapar Nigam Limited Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodi Road, New Delhi – 110 003.
- 3. Bangalore Electricity Company Limited Pardigm Plaza, A.B. Shetty Circle, Pandeshwar, Mangalore- 575 001
- Mangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited Corporate Office, Krishna Rajendra Nagar, Bangalore- 560 001
- Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation Limited No. 29, CESC Corporate Office, Hinkal, Vijaynagar, 2nd Stage, Mysuru- 570 017
- 6. Gulbarga Electricity Supply Company Limited Main Road Gulbarga - 585102
- Hubli Electricity Supply Company Ltd PB Road. Navanagar Hubballi, Hubli, Karnataka – 580 025

9. Petition No. 231/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No. 38/2018

Vs.

ACME Rewari Solar Power Private Limited Plot No. 152, Sector - 44, Gurugram – 122 002 Haryana.

 NTPC Limited Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110 003.

- NTPC Vidyut Vyapar Nigam Limited Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110 003.
- 3. Bangalore Electricity Company Limited

... Respondents

.... Petitioner

Pardigm Plaza, A.B. Shetty Circle, Pandeshwar, Mangalore- 575 001

- 4. Mangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited Corporate Office, Krishna Rajendra Nagar, Bangalore- 560 001
- Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation Limited No. 29, CESC Corporate Office, Hinkal, Vijaynagar, 2nd Stage, Mysuru- 570 017
- 6. Gulbarga Electricity Supply Company Limited Main Road Gulbarga - 585102
- 7. Hubli Electricity Supply Company Ltd PB Road. Navanagar Hubballi, Hubli, Karnataka – 580 025

... Respondents

10. Petition No. 232/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No. 39/2018

ACME Mahabubnagar Solar Energy Private Limited Plot No. 152, Sector - 44, Gurugram - 122002, Haryana.

... Petitioner

Vs.

- NTPC Limited Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodi Road, New Delhi - 110003.
- NTPC Vidyut Vyapar Nigam Limited Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodi Road, New Delhi - 110003.
- Southern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited 6-1-50, Corporate Office, Mint Compound, Hyderabad 500063, Telangana – 500063
- Northern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited H. No. 2-5-31/2, Corporate Office, Vidyut Bhavan, Nakkalgutta, Hanamkonda,

Warangal-506001

... Respondents

11. Petition No. 233/MP/2017 alongwith I.A. No. 40/2018

ACME Yamunanagar Solar Power Private Limited Plot No. 152, Sector - 44, Gurugram – 122 002, Haryana.

... Petitioner

Vs.

- NTPC Limited Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodi Road, New Delhi – 110 003.
- NTPC Vidyut Vyapar Nigam Limited Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodi Road, New Delhi – 110 003.
- Southern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited 6-1-50, Corporate Office, Mint Compound, Hyderabad 500063, Telangana – 500063
- 4. Northern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited H. No. 2-5-31/2, Corporate Office, Vidyut Bhavan, Nakkalgutta, Hanamkonda, Warangal-506001

12. Petition No. 13/MP/2018

ACME Yamunanagar Solar Power Private Limited Plot No. 152, Sector - 44, Gurugram – 122 002 Haryana.

... Petitioner

... Respondents

Vs.

 NTPC Limited Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodi Road, New Delhi – 110 003.

Corrigendum in Petition No. 188/MP/2017 & other related matters

Vs.

- 1. M.P. Power Management Co. Ltd. (MPPMCL) Block No. 11, 1st Floor, Shakti Bhawan, Rampur, Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh – 482 008
- Metro Bhawan, Fire Brigade Lane, Barakhamba Road, New Delhi – 110 001

Plot No. 152, Sector – 44,

Gurugram,

Haryana 122 002

- 3. Madhya Pradesh Poorv Kshetra Vidyut Vitran Company Limited Registered Office: Block No. 7, Shakti Bhavan, Rampur, Jabalpur (M.P.) - 482 008
- 4. Madhya Pradesh Poorv Kshetra Vidyut Vitran Company Limited Registered Office: Nisbtha Parisar Bijli Nagar Colony, Govindpura, Bhopal (M.P.) - 462 023
- Madhya Pradesh Poorv Kshetra Vidyut Vitran Company Limited Registered Office: G.P.H. Compound, Polo Ground,

2. Delhi Metro Rail Corporation

ACME Jaipur Solar Power Private Limited

13. Petition No. 33/MP/2018 alongwith I.A. No. 50/2018

4. Northern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited H. No. 2-5-31/2, Corporate Office, Vidyut Bhavan, Nakkalgutta, Hanamkonda, Warangal-506 001

6-1-50, Corporate Office, Mint Compound, Hyderabad Telangana – 500 063

3. Southern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited

Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodi Road. New Delhi - 110 003.

NTPC Vidyut Vyapar Nigam Limited

... Respondents

... Petitioner

Indore (M.P.) - 452 015

14. Petition No. 34/MP/2018

Azure Power Jupiter Private Limited Asset No.301-4, World Mark 3, Aerocity New Delhi -110 017

- NTPC Limited Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110 003.
- NTPC Vidyut Vyapar Nigam Limited Core - 7, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110 003.

15. Petition No. 47/MP/2018

Azure Power Thirty Six Private Limited Asset No.301-4 World Mark 3 Aerocity, New Delhi - 110 017

- Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited 1st Floor, A - Wing, D-3, District Centre, Saket, New Delhi – 110 017
- Eastern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Ltd P & T Colony, Seetamma Dhara Vishakhapatnam-503 013

Vs.

Vs.

- Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Ltd Kesavayanagunta, Tiruchanoor Road, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh- 517 501

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CORRIGENDUM

In order dated 9.10.2018 in Petition No.188/MP/2017 and other related matters, the following inadvertent typographical errors are hereby rectified:

1. The name of the Petitioner in Petition No. 13/MP/2018 at Serial No. 12 shall be read

as "Azure Power Thirty Seven Private Limited" instead of "ACME Yamunanagar Solar

Power Private Limited".

2. On Page 13, "Parties Present" shall be read as under:

Parties Present:

Shri Hemant Sahai, Advocate, ACME Shri Abhishek Kumar, Advocate, ACME Ms. Meghana Aggarwal, Advocate, ACME Ms. Mazag Andrabi, Advocate, ACME Shri Varun Kapur, Advocate, ACME Shri Sitesh Mukherjee, Advocate, Azure Power Shri Vishal Binod, Advocate, Azure Power Shri Manish Singh, Azure Power Ms. Ranjitha Ramachandran, Advocate, NTPC, SECI and MPPMCL Ms. Poorva Saigal, Advocate, NTPC, SECI and MPPMCL Shri Shubham Arya, Advocate, NTPC, SECI and MPPMCL Shri Nishant Gupta, NTPC Shri V. Bharadwaj, MPPMCL Shri Basav Prabhu S. Patil, Senior Advocate, Telangana Discoms Shri Ashish Tiwari, Advocate, Telangana Discoms Shri Sriharsha Peechara, Advocate, Telangana Discoms Shri Geet Ahuja, Advocate, Telangana Discoms Shri S. Vallinayagam, Advocate, AP Discoms Shri Tarun Johri, Advocate, DMRC Shri Ankur Gupta, Advocate, DMRC

3. The table in Paragraph No.341 shall be rectified as under:

"341. The Commission observes that the Petitioners have claimed increase in total Cost due to increase in tax incidence as below:

	(Amo	unt	in	Crores))
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	(Amount in Crores)				
	Petition No.	Total Cost Post	Total Cost Pre GST	Increase	
		GST Laws	Laws (inclusive of	in Tax	
		(inclusive of all	all taxes)	Incidence	
		taxes)			
1	188/MP/2017	341.76	327.75	14.01	
2	189/MP/2017	345.38	331.28	14.10	
3	190/MP/2017	345.22	331.13	14.09	
4	201/MP/2017	290.06	278.64	11.42	
5	202/MP/2017	294.93	283.76	11.17	
6	203/MP/2017	287.28	276.42	10.86	
7	204/MP/2017	286.58	275.30	11.28	
8	230/MP/2017	343.76	329.32	14.44	
9	231/MP/2017	185.52	177.90	7.62	
10	232/MP/2017	185.52	177.90	7.62	
11	233/MP/2017	123.68	188.10	5.59	
12	13/MP/2018	NA	NA	21.65	
13	33/MP/2018	1301.96	1249.52	52.44	
14	34/MP/2018	NA	NA	4.70	
15	47/MP/2018	NA	NA	14.40	

4. All other terms of the order dated 9.10.2018 in Petition No.188/MP/2017 and other related matters remain unaltered.

Sd/-(Dr. M. K. Iyer) Member

Sd/-(P.K. Pujari) Chairperson