

Before

UTTARAKHAND ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the matter of:

UPCL's Petition for approval of Business Plan for the Control Period FY 2025-26 to FY 2027-28.

AND

In the matter of:

Uttarakhand Power Corporation Limited

...Petitioner

Urja Bhawan, Kanwali Road, Dehradun

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Shri M.L. Prasad

Chairman

Shri Anurag Sharma

Member (Law)

Date of Order : January 08, 2025

This order relates to the Petition for approval of Business Plan for the Control Period FY 2025-26 to FY 2027-28 filed by Uttarakhand Power Corporation Limited (UPCL), hereinafter referred to as the Petitioner, on 26.12.2024.

2. The Petition filed by UPCL had certain critical infirmities/ deficiencies. The Commission vide its letter dated 30.12.2024 informed the same to UPCL asking it to rectify the said infirmities so that the Petition could be admitted. UPCL submitted its replies rectifying the deficiencies pointed by the Commission on 06.01.2025.
3. Based on the submissions of UPCL, the Commission decides to admit the Petition provisionally for further processing subject to the condition that UPCL shall furnish any information/ clarifications as deemed necessary by the Commission during the processing of the Petition and provide such information and clarifications to the satisfaction of the Commission within the time frame as may be stipulated by the Commission failing which the Commission would proceed to dispose off the matter as it deems fit based on the information available with it.

4. The Commission further directs the Petitioner to publish a public notice within 3 days from the date of this Order in the format given at Annexure-1 in at least two daily newspapers (one Hindi and one English) widely circulated in the area of its operation both in Hindi and English languages for comments by all stakeholders and public at large. The Petitioner is also directed to place the Petition on its website and its headquarters/other offices for inspection or making relevant extracts available to the public.
5. Further, during the previous Tariff proceedings, the Commission had directed UPCL to ensure that suggestion boxes are made available at all the sub-stations of UPCL to ensure maximum participation of people during the Tariff proceedings. The concerned SDO of the sub-stations should ensure sending all the comments/suggestions on the Business Plan Petition received in the drop boxes to the Commission's office every week.

(Anurag Sharma)
Member (Law)

(M. L. Prasad)
Chairman

**UTTARAKHAND POWER CORPORATION LIMITED
PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Inviting Comments on the Petition filed by UPCL for approval of Business Plan for
the fifth Control Period from FY 2025-26 to FY 2027-28 before the Uttarakhand
Electricity Regulatory Commission**

1. Uttarakhand Power Corporation Limited (UPCL), the sole Distribution and Retail Supply Licensee in the State, has filed a Petition before Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission (UERC or Commission) for approval of its Business Plan for the Control Period FY 2025-26 to FY 2027-28 giving details of the activities proposed to be carried out by it during this Control Period.
2. Detailed Petition can be seen free of cost on any working day at the Commission's office or at the offices of General Manager (Regulatory Management) at Victoria Cross Vijeta Gabar Singh Bhawan, Kanwali Road, Dehradun/General Manager (Distribution), Garhwal Zone, UPCL, 120-Haridwar Road, Dehradun/General Manager (Distribution), Kumaon Zone, UPCL, 132-KV Substation, Kathgodam, Haldwani. Relevant extracts can also be obtained from the above mentioned offices of the Petitioner.
3. The Petition is also available at the website of the Commission (www.uerc.gov.in) and at the Petitioner's website (www.upcl.org).
4. Responses/suggestions, if any, are sought from consumers and other stakeholders on the Petition. Responses may be sent to the Secretary, Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission, either in person, or by post at 'Vidyut Niyamak Bhawan', Near I.S.B.T, PO-Majra, Dehradun-248171 or through e-mail to secy.uerc@gov.in by **15.02.2025**. Responses/suggestions, if any, may also be dropped at the drop boxes installed at every sub-stations of UPCL in an envelope addressed to Secretary, Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission by the stipulated date.