#### **Before**

# UTTARAKHAND ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

#### In the matter of:

Power Transmission Corporation of Uttarakhand Limited's Petition for True up for FY 2015-16, Annual Performance Review for FY 2016-17 and Revised Aggregate Revenue Requirement FY 2017-18.

#### **AND**

...Petitioner

#### In the matter of:

Power Transmission Corporation of Uttarakhand Limited Vidyut Bhawan, Saharanpur Road, Majra, Near ISBT, Dehradun - 248001, Uttarakhand

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Shri Subhash Kumar Chairman Shri K.P. Singh Member

Date of Order: December 8, 2016

#### Order

This order relates to the admission of the Petition for true up for FY 2015-16, Annual Performance Review for FY 2016-17 and Revised Aggregate Revenue Requirement for FY 2017-18 filed by Power Transmission Corporation of Uttarakhand Limited (hereinafter referred to as "Petitioner" or "PTCUL"), hereinafter referred to as the Petitioner, on 25.11.2016.

- 2. The Petition filed by PTCUL had certain infirmities/deficiencies which were conveyed to PTCUL vide Commission's letter dated 01.12.2016 asking it to rectify the said infirmities so that the Petition could be admitted. PTCUL vide its letter dated 06.12.2016 has removed critical deficiencies.
- 3. Based on the submissions made by PTCUL, the Commission decides to admit the Petition provisionally for further processing subject to the condition that PTCUL shall furnish any further 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 may 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 detailing the salient features and facts of the ARR petitions & proposals filed by it 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.

(K. P. Singh) Member (Subhash Kumar) Chairman

-Annexure-1

### POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION OF UTTARAKHAND LTD

Vidyut Bhawan, Saharanpur Road, Majra, Near ISBT, Dehradun - 248001, Uttarakhand

# <u>Inviting Comments on the Petition filed by PTCUL for approval of the proposed</u> <u>Transmission Charges for FY 2017-18</u>

## Salient Points of the ARR/Tariff Petition

Power Transmission Corporation of Uttarakhand Limited (PTCUL), a Transmission Licensee in the State of Uttarakhand has filed a petition before the Commission for approval of truing up of FY 2015-16 based on audited Accounts & Annual Performance Review (APR) for FY 2016-17 and the Revised ARR for FY 2017-18. The summary of the proposals of the intra-State network for the aforesaid is given in the following Table:

## Summary of APR &ARR of PTCUL for intra-State transmission network

(₹ Crore)

	Particulars	UERC Tariff Regulations, 2011 FY 2015-16 (True up)		UERC Tariff Regulations, 2015			
S. No				FY 2016-17 (APR)		FY 2017-18 (ARR)	
		Approved in APR Order for FY 2014-15	Claimed for true up	Approved in the MYT Order for FY 2016-17	Revised Estimates	Approved in the MYT Order for FY 2017-18	Proposed
1	Depreciation	57.32	77.60	62.49	60.92	69.17	82.51
2	Interest on Long Term Loans	61.55	59.33	64.14	54.50	66.92	79.64
3	Return on Equity	14.76	29.44	14.98	38.66	20.36	57.68
4	O&M Expenses	117.15	96.32	132.41	140.37	144.43	159.76
5	Guarantee Fees	2.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	Interest on Working Capital	10.51	11.61	10.45	11.02	11.67	15.42
8	Income Tax	-	26.44	-	-	-	-
9	Add: Sharing of Gain/Loss	-	16.82	-	-	-	-
10	Provision for carrying cost on PDF	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Gross Expenditure	263.48	317.56	284.77	305.47	312.55	395.01
12	Less: Non-Tariff Income	1.44	6.11	2.67	6.42	2.80	6.74
13	Net Expenditure	262.04	311.45	281.80	299.05	309.75	388.27
14	Add: True up of previous years including carrying cost	40.71	40.71	-6.52	-6.52	0.00	66.45
15	Add: Impact of revised year wise capitalisation of REC-II Scheme for previous years	0.00	0.00	-4.16	-4.16	0.00	0.00
16	Less: ARR for SLDC	7.45	9.12	10.08	14.35	13.72	19.81
17	Net ARR	295.30	343.03	261.04	274.02	296.02	434.91
18	Revenue (Surplus)/Gap	-	47.73	-	-	-	-

- 2. PTCUL has proposed a total hike of 66.61% for FY 2017-18 (which includes the truing up impact of FY 2015-16 alongwith the carrying cost on the same) over the approved transmission charges for FY 2016-17. In case, the entire claim of PTCUL including that of truing up of FY 2015-16 is also accepted by the Commission, additional hike of 2.50% in consumer tariff shall be required over and above the hike proposed by UPCL.
- 3. Detailed proposals can be seen free of cost on any working day at the Commission's office or at the office of Managing Director, Power Transmission Corporation of Uttarakhand Limited, Vidyut Bhawan, Saharanpur Road, Majra, Near ISBT, Dehradun 248001, Uttarakhand. Relevant extracts can also be obtained from the above mentioned offices of the Petitioner.
- 4. The proposals are also available at the website of the Commission (www.uerc.gov.in) and at PTCUL's website (www.ptcul.org).
- 5. Objections/suggestions are invited from the consumers and other stakeholders on the above proposals. These 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., P.O. Majra, Dehradun-248171 or through e-mail to secy.uerc@gov.in as a statement of objections or comments with copies of the documents and evidence in support thereof so as to reach the Secretary by 31.01.2017.