Before

UTTARAKHAND ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the matter of:

UJVN Ltd.'s Petition seeking approval of its Business Plan for FY 2013-14 to FY 2015-16.

AND

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UJVN Ltd.Petitioner

"UJJWAL", Maharani Bagh, GMS Road, Dehradun

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Shri Jag Mohan Lal Chairman

Shri C.S. Sharma Member

Shri K.P. Singh Member

Date of Order: 01st February 2013

Order

This order relates to the Petition filed by UJVN Ltd., hereinafter referred to as the Petitioner, on 29.11.2012 for approval of its Business Plan for FY 2013-14 to FY 2015-16.

- 2. The Petition filed by UJVN Ltd. had certain critical infirmities/deficiencies and hence, the same was returned to UJVN Ltd. Vide Commission's letter dated 17.12.2012.
- 3. UJVN Ltd. vide its letter dated 05.01.2013 submitted that the Business Plan was put up

before its Board of Directors (BoD) on 21.12.2012 for approval. The BoD suggested certain amendments in the same and, accordingly, sought time extension till 28.02.2013 to submit the amended Business Plan. The Commission vide its letter dated 08.01.2013 informed UJVN Ltd. that considerable time extension had already been allowed to it to file the complete Business Plan and the time extension sought by it would inordinately delay the process of tariff determination and directed the Petitioner to submit the Business Plan latest by 25.01.2013 failing which the Commission would proceed in the matter as determined appropriate by it based on the information available with it. In addition, certain deficiencies were observed in the Business Plan submitted by the Petitioner on 29.11.2012 which were also intimated to UJVN Ltd. vide Commission's letter dated 08.01.2013 and UJVN Ltd. was asked to rectify the said infirmities so that the Petition may be admitted by the Commission. UJVN Ltd. vide its letter dated 24.01.2013 submitted the Business Plan alongwith the information sought by the Commission.

- 4. However, the Business Plan has not been approved by the BoD of the Petitioner Company. Considering that considerable time extension has already been granted to UJVN Ltd. for submission of its complete Business Plan, the Commission provisionally admits the Petition for further processing subject to the condition that UJVN Ltd. shall furnish the BoD approval within 15 days of the date of the Order and any further information/clarifications as deemed necessary by the Commission during the processing of the Petition and provides such information and clarifications to the satisfaction of the Commission within the time frame as may be stipulated by the Commission failing which the Petition would be treated as deemed returned on the due date for last information sought by the Commission and the Commission would proceed to dispose off the matter as it deems fit based on the information available with it.
- 5. The Commission further directs the Petitioner to publish a public notice within 3 days from the date of this Order detailing the facts of the Business Plan filed by it for FY 2013-14 to FY 2015-16 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 (C.S. Sharma) Member (Jag Mohan Lal) Chairman

UJVN LIMITED

<u>Inviting Comments on Petition filed by UJVN Limited for approval of the Business Plan for FY</u> 2013-14 to FY 2015-16

Salient Points of the ARR/Tariff Petition

- 1. UJVN Limited, a Government owned company, has filed the Petition for approval of its Business Plan for FY 2013-14 to FY 2015-16 giving details of the activities proposed to be carried out by it during this Control Period.
- 2. Detailed proposals as submitted by UJVN Ltd. can be seen free of cost on any working day at the Commission's office at First Floor, Institution of Engineers (India) Building, Near I.S.B.T., Saharanpur Road, Clement Town, Dehradun or at the office of UJVN Ltd., "UJJWAL", Maharani Bagh, GMS Road, Dehradun. Relevant extracts can also be obtained from the above mentioned office of UJVN Ltd.
- 3. The proposals filled by the UJVN Ltd. are also available at the website of the Commission (www.uerc.gov.in) and at the UJVN Ltd.'s website (www.uttaranchaljalvidyut.com).
- 4. Responses/suggestions, if any are sought from all consumers and other stakeholders on the above proposals. Responses may be sent to the Secretary, Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission, either in person, or by post at First Floor, Institution of Engineers (India) Building, Near I.S.B.T., Saharanpur Road, Clement Town, Dehradun or through e-mail to uttaranchalerc@rediffmail.com as a statement of objections or comments with copies of documents and evidence in support thereof so as to reach the Secretary, UERC by 15.03.2013.