## **Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission**

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## **Public Notice**

<u>Inviting comments in the matter of requests made by the Solar Power Plant Developers for extension of Scheduled Commercial Operation Date for development of solar power plant.</u>

UPCL has recently made a request to extend the Scheduled Commercial Operation date for 2.5 MW Canal Bank SPV on Yamuna Power Channel at Dakpathar being built by UJVN Ltd. In addition, UJVN Ltd. is getting a 6.25 MW Canal Bank SPV near Dhalipur and 9.5 MW Canal Bank SPV near Kulhal constructed for which the Commission had allowed the SCOD as 11.02.2025. However, these projects have got delayed due to delay due to various reasons as mentioned in their request (copy available on the website).

UREDA in the past had also sought directions from the Commission on the request made by the Solar power plant developers seeking extension of Scheduled Commercial Operation Date for the development of solar capacity allotted to them under "Tariff based Competitive Bidding Process for Type-1 Projects under the Solar Energy Policy of Uttarakhand, 2013" due to delay in land acquisitions and other such reasons mentioned in the petition (copy available on the website). The Commission vide its Order dated 27.03.2025 had directed UREDA to cancel Letter of Award of the respective bidders whose projects have got delayed.

The Commission, in the interest of the State/developer/consumer and in order to one time holistically consider these issues, deems it proper to obtain comments from all the stakeholders. Therefore, in the matter, the stakeholders are invited to submit their comments/ suggestions on the request made by UPCL/UJVN Ltd. seeking additional time for commissioning of the projects together with comments on the extension request of 12 solar PV plant developers that has been rejected by the Commission. The responses may be sent to the Secretary, Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission, either in person, or by post at 'Vidyut Niyamak Bhawan', Near ISBT, PO-Majra, Dehradun-248171 or through e-mail to secy.uerc@gov.in latest by **08.09.2025**.

Secretary