

TELANAGANA STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION 5th Floor, Singareni Bhavan, Red Hills, Hyderabad-500 004

Dated: 18 - 04 - 2018

Present

Sri Ismail Ali Khan, Chairman

O.P. No. 21 of 2017

Southern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited (TSSPDCL)

O.P. No. 22 of 2017

Northern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited (TSNPDCL)

In the matter of determination of cross subsidy surcharge and additional surcharge for FY 2018-19.

AMENDMENT ORDER

The Commission has determined the cross subsidy surcharge and additional surcharge for FY 2018-19 by order dated 27.03.2018 in the above said O. Ps. The Commission issues the following amendments to the cross subsidy surcharge and additional surcharge order for FY 2018-19.

2. The para 2.1.5 shall be read as under:

"2.1.5 The Commission has given due consideration to the stakeholders' submissions and the replies of the Licensees while determining the CSS and AS for FY 2018-19. CSS and AS shall not be applicable to solar projects commissioned during the period 01.07.2014 to 31.05.2015 i.e., the intervening period between the AP Solar Policy 2012 and new Telangana Solar Power Policy 2015 as per the Telangana State Govt. letter no. 1380/Budget.A2/2015 dated 29.03.2016. Effective date for availing the incentive will be from the issue of the Telangana Solar Power Policy i.e., 01.06.2015."

- 3. The para 6.5 shall be read as under:
 - "6.5 As per para 8(b) of the AP Solar Power Policy, 2012 effective from 26.09.2012 (Solar Policy, 2012) for solar power projects located (SPP) within the state and selling power to third parties within the state, 100% exemption is provided on the CSS for seven years from the date of implementation of the Policy. As per para 11 (g) of the Telangana Solar Power Policy, 2015 effective from 01.06.2015 (Solar Policy 2015) for solar power projects (SPP) located within the Telangana state and selling power to third parties within the state, 100% exemption is provided on the CSS as determined by TSERC for five years from the date of commissioning of the SPP. Also, as per para 7 of the Solar Policy, 2012 and para 11 (e) of the Solar Policy, 2015, banking of 100% of energy shall be permitted for all captive and open access / scheduled consumers during all 12 months of the year. Based on the aforesaid the developers have entered into PPAs with third parties. The solar policies do not specifically mention about AS but to encourage the renewable energy projects established under the Solar Policy 2012 and Solar Policy 2015, AS shall not be levied on such SPPs commissioned during the operative period of the Solar Policy, 2012 and Solar Policy 2015. The projects not commissioned under the Solar Policy 2012 and Solar Policy 2015 will be liable to pay AS to DISCOMs. This applies to wind generators also which are under operation and with PPAs. For new wind based projects, AS shall be levied."
- 4. The rest of the order dated 27.03.2018, remains unaltered.

This order is corrected and signed on this the 18th day of April, 2018.

Sd/-(ISMAIL ALI KHAN) CHAIRMAN

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