CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

NEW DELHI

Petition No. 275/TT/2023

Subject Petition for determination of transmission tariff from COD to

31.3.2024 in respect of the transmission asset i.e. Replacement of 1*315 MVA, 400/220 kV ICT by 1*500 MVA, 400/220 kV ICT at Ludhiana (PG) Sub-station under 'Augmentation of Transformation Capacity at 400/220 kV

Ludhiana (PG) Sub-station in Northern Region.

Date of Hearing 15.12.2023

Coram Shri Jishnu Barua, Chairperson

Shri Arun Goyal, Member Shri P.K. Singh, Member

Petitioner Power Grid Corporation of India Limited

Respondents Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Limited and 16 others

Parties Present Shri Amit Yadav, PGCIL

Shri Vivek Kumar Sigh, PGCIL

Shri B.B. Rath, PGCIL

Record of Proceedings

The representative of the Petitioner made the following submissions:

- (i) Instant petition is filed for the determination of transmission tariff from the COD to 31.3.2024 in respect of the transmission asset i.e. Replacement of 1*315 MVA, 400/220 kV ICT by 1*500 MVA, 400/220 kV ICT at Ludhiana (PG) Sub-station covered under 'Augmentation of Transformation Capacity at 400/20 kV Ludhiana (PG) Sub-station' in Northern Region.
- (ii) Investment Approval of the transmission project was accorded on 3.2.2022. The scheduled COD of the subject transmission scheme was in February 2023, against which the subject transmission asset was declared under commercial operation on 21.5.2022. The transmission asset was executed early on the request of Punjab State Transmission Company Limited (PSTCL), and discussions and deliberations were held in various forums in this regard.
- 2. After hearing the Petitioner, the Commission directed the Petitioner to submit the following additional information on an affidavit by 5.1.2024, with an advance copy to the Respondents:



- (i) The details of works for which Additional Capital Expenditure has been projected in 2022-23 and 2023-24, including the works against which balance/retention payments are projected to be made.
- (ii) Revised tariff forms for the 2019-24 period for the transmission asset along with linked Excel.
- 3. The Commission also directed the Respondents to file their replies by 19.1.2024 with an advance copy to the Petitioner, who may file its rejoinder, if any, by 29.1.2024. The Commission further directed the parties to complete the pleadings within the aforesaid timelines and observed that no extension of time would be entertained
- 4. The petition will be listed for further hearing on 21.2.2024.

By order of the Commission

sd/-(V. Sreenivas) Joint Chief (Law)