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**ORDER
OF
WEST BENGAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

IN CASES NO.OA-88/10-11/3

IN REGARD TO THE APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY WEST BENGAL STATE ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION COMPANY LIMITED (WBSEDCL) FOR APPROVAL OF MODIFICATION OF SIMPLIFIED FORMS FOR PROVIDING NEW CONNECTION/ EXTENSION OF LOAD, CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP / CHANGE IN PURPOSE OF SUPPLY AGAINST EXISTING CONNECTION UNDER WEST BENGAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION (STANDARDS OF PERFORMANCE OF LICENSEES RELATING TO CONSUMR SERVICE) REGULATIONS, 2010 AS AMENDED THEREAFTER

PRESENT:

**SRI MALLELA VENKATESWARA RAO, CHAIRPERSON
SRI PULAK KUMAR TEWARI, MEMBER**

DATE: 27.09.2022



Order of the West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission on the application submitted by West Bengal State Electricity Distribution Company Limited for approval of modification of simplified forms for providing new connection/ extension of load, change of ownership/ change in purpose of supply against existing connection under West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Standar of Performance of Licensees Relating to Consumer Service) Regulations, 2010 as amended

Facts in Brief:

- 1.0 West Bengal State Electricity Distribution Company Limited (in short 'WBSEDCL') has submitted an application dated 20th June, 2022 in case no. OA-88/10-11/3 to the West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (in short 'Commission') for modification of simplified forms for providing new connection/ extension of load of ownership/ change in purpose of supply against existing connection.
- 2.0 WBSEDCL submitted that Commission has approved simplification of forms for providing supply as stated above in terms of regulation 13.13 of West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Standar of Performance of Licensees Relating to Consumer Service) Regulations, 2013 in case no. OA-88/10-11 dated 13/04/2017
- 3.0 WBSEDCL also submitted that the Special Secretary, Department of Urban Development and Municipal Affairs, Government of west Bengal requested vide letter no. 17808/1(4)/MA/O/C-4/M-31/2015(Pt-IV) Dated 24.12.2021 to fetch Municipal holding data namely Municipality Corporation/ Municipality name, ward no., Location/ Street/ Mohalla etc. along with holding no. at the time of receiving applications for new service connection/ extension of load from any intending/ existing Consumers for creating the database of Municipality holding.
- 4.0 WBSEDCL further submitted that the following modification may also be approved to be incorporated in the simplified form by the Commission in addition to the modification as mentioned in paragraph 3 hereinabove:
 - a) Name of Father/Mother of the consumer/ Applicant
 - b) AADHAAR Number of the consumer/ Application
 - c) Date of Birth of the consumer/Applicant
- 5.0 WBSEDCL has also submitted a draft application form as Annexure- A & B and Annexure- C duly incorporating the modification as proposed in Paragraphs 3.0 and 4.0 above for approval of the Commission.



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6.0 In view of above, WBSEDCL prayed before the Commission to approve the application for modification of simplified forms for providing new connection/ extension of load as mentioned in paragraphs 3.0, 4.0 and 5.0 above.

Observations of the Commission

7.0 The Commission observed that since the earlier forms where approved by the Commission, the prayer of WBSEDCL in regard to modification of the forms to the extent explained hereinabove may be accorded to in terms of Regulations, 13.13 of the SOP Regulation, 2013.

Order:

8.0 In view of the above observations the Commission accords the approval of the modification in simplified forms as suggested by WBSEDCL vide its petition, in question. WBSEDCL is also directed to update its detail procedure incorporating the modifications approved by the Commission and submit a copy of the same to the Commission for records.

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(PULAK KUMAR TEWARI)
MEMBER

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(MALLELA VENKATESWARA RAO)
CHAIRPERSON

Dated: 27.09.2022

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SECRETARY