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**ORDER
OF THE
WEST BENGAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
IN THE PROCEEDING
IN CASE NO. WBERC/B-11/23 (Part)**

IN REGARD TO FILING OF MULTI YEAR TARIFF APPLICATION
FOR THE SEVENTH CONTROL PERIOD STARTING FROM THE
ENSUING YEAR 2020 - 2021

PRESENT:

SRI SUTIRTHA BHATTACHARYA, CHAIRPERSON

SRI DURGADAS GOSWAMI, MEMBER

SRI PULAK KUMAR TEWARI, MEMBER

DATE: 30.04.2020



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ORDER

- 1.0 In the order dated 22.11.2019 in Case No. SM-20/19-20 in a suo-moto proceedings, the Commission decided that it would be appropriate for all the utilities under the ambit of the Commission to file MYT application for the Seventh Control Period consisting of 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23 after publication of the regulations after amendment of the West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions of Tariff) Regulations, 2011 for which a draft regulations had already been published in the public domain inviting suggestions and objections from the stakeholders and the time limit for filing tariff petition for the seventh control period was fixed on 31st January 2020.
- 2.0 The West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions of Tariff) (Third Amendments) Regulations, 2020 have been published under Notification no 65/WBERC dated 21.01.2020 in The Kolkata Gazette, Extra Ordinary on 22.01.2020 and on the basis of the application received from the utilities the Commission in the order dated 28.01.2020 in Case No. WBERC/B-11/23 extended the last date for submission of MYT application for the seventh control period upto 28.02.2020.
- 3.0 After that, on the basis of the further application received from the West Bengal State Electricity Distribution Company Limited (WBSEDCL), West Bengal State Electricity Transmission Company Limited (WBSETCL), The West Bengal Power Development Corporation Limited (WBPDC), The Durgapur Projects Limited (DPL), CESC Limited (CESC), India Power Corporation Limited (IPCL), Haldia Energy Limited (HEL) and Hiranmaye Energy Limited (HMEL), the Commission in the order dated 28.02.2020 in Case No. WBERC/B-11/23 (Part) extended the last date for submission of MYT application for the seventh control period upto 31.03.2020.
- 4.0 Subsequently, in view of sudden unforeseen worldwide outbreak of COVID-19, the Commission on the basis of the prayer of WBSEDCL, WBSETCL, WBPDC, DPL, CESC, IPCL, HEL and HMEL the Commission vide order dated 31.03.2020 in Case No. WBERC/B-11/23 (Part) further extended the time for submission of MYT





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application till 30.04.2020 with an observation that the last date may further be reviewed considering the future outcome of COVID-19.

- 5.0 Now, in view of the present country wide lockdown to contain the spread of COVID-19 WBSEDCL, WBPDC, CESC, HEL and DPL have prayed for further extension of time in the following manner:

Sl No.	Name of the Utility	Date upto which time extension has been sought
1.	WBSEDCL	30.06.2020
2.	WBPDC	30.06.2020
3.	CESC Limited	30.06.2020
4.	Haldia Energy Limited	30.06.2020
5	DPL	30.06.2020

- 6.0 Keeping in mind the continuing lockdown in the country and invoking its inherent power conferred under regulation 8.4 of the Tariff Regulations, the Commission decides to extend further the last date of submission of MYT application for the seventh control period for all the generating companies and licensees as referred in paragraph 4.0 till 30.06.2020 with the observation that the last date may further be reviewed with the evolving situation of COVID-19 in the country.
- 7.0 Every generating company and licensee as defined in terms of regulations 1.2.1 (lvii) and 1.2.1 (lxv) of the Tariff Regulations shall take a note of the above order.

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DATED: 30.04.2020



(T. K. MUKHERJEE)
SECRETARY

