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To

The Publicity Officer,
Directorate of IP&T,
A&N Administration,
Port Blair.

Sub:- Publication of Public Notice in respect of Petition for Approval of Tariff and PPA for Establishment of 5 MW Solar Power Plant and 2 MW Biomass Based Power Plant – Reg.

Sir,

Kindly arrange to publish the following Press Note in local media for wide publicity.

PRESS NOTE

PUBLIC NOTICE IN RESPECT OF PETITION NO. 93/2013 FOR APPROVAL OF TARIFF AND PPA FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF 5 MW SOLAR POWER PLANT AND PETITION NO. 94/2013 FOR 2 MW BIOMASS BASED POWER PLANT - FILED BY ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT, UT OF ANDAMAN & NICOBAR BEFORE JOINT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION (FOR GOA AND UTS)

Notice is hereby given to all consumers and stake holders that the Electricity Department, UT of Andaman & Nicobar, a Deemed Licensee, has filed the Petition for Approval of Tariff and PPA for Establishment of 5 MW Solar Power Plant and 2 MW Biomass Based Power Plant - Filed By Electricity Department, UT of Andaman & Nicobar before Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission (For Goa and Uts)

The filing has been taken on record by the Hon'ble Commission in Petition No. 93/2013 & 94/2013 for 5 MW Solar Power Plant & 2MW Biomass Based Power Plant at South Andaman respectively. The same is as summarized hereunder :

1. *Establishment of 5 MW SPV Power Plant at Garacharma Hill, South Andaman:-*

The A&N Administration signed a MoU during 27th November, 2009 with NTPC to make a gradual shift to the green power. This MoU include development of 5 MW Solar PV Based project in South Andaman. The NTPC selected M/s Photon Energy System Ltd., Hyderabad through open competitive bidding. The tentative date of commissioning of this SPV Power Plant is 31st March, 2013. The Power Purchase Agreement have been signed on 14th July, 2011 with NTPC to purchase power for 25 years at generic tariff determined by CERC Order dated 9th November, 2010. Since the 5 MW Solar PV Project PPA was signed after 31st March, 2011, the tariff determined as Rs. 15.39 by CERC in this Order for the year 2011-12 shall be applicable subject to commissioning of aforesaid plant by 31st March, 2013. The A&N Administration has filed a Petition before JERC for approval of Tariff PPA vide No. 93/2013.

2. *Establishment of 2 MW Biomass Based Power Plant at Mithakhari, South Andaman:-*

The A&N Administration through open competitive bidding floated Request For Qualification (RFQ) during February, 2011 for establishment of 2 MW Biomass Based Power Plant. Three qualification applications received and all of them found eligible as per the terms and conditions of RFQ. The RFP was issued to three bidders during July, 2011. Only two developers submitted the RFP on 20th September, 2011 M/s Suryachakra Green Fuels Pvt. Ltd, Hyderabad quoted the lowest rate of tariff i.e. Rs. 9.81/Unit. The letter award has been issued to M/s SPFGL. The 2 Hect. Land has been handed over to the developer at Mithakhari, South Andaman. The construction work will start after signing of PPA. The A&N Administration has filed a Petition before JERC for approval of tariff and PPA vide No. 94/2013.

3. Copies of filings and application referred at para-1 above are available in the office of the Superintending Engineer, Electricity Department Port Blair – 744101.
4. Interested parties may inspect / peruse the said petitions and take note thereof during office hours at the office.
5. Copies of the above documents can also be obtained from the above offices on payment of Rs.100/- for each set from **“Accounts Officer, Electricity Department, Port Blair”**.
6. The detailed petition document is also available on Electricity Department, A&N website <http://electricity.and.nic.in>
7. Objections/ suggestions, if any on the above petitions filed by the Electricity Department, UT of Andaman & Nicobar, together with supporting material may be filed with the Secretary, Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission (JERC) for Goa & UTs, Second floor, HSIIDC Office complex, Vanijya Nikunj, Complex, Udyog Vihar, Phase-V, Gurgaon – 122016 (Haryana) and one copy to Electricity Department Andaman & Nicobar in person or through registered post or through Email so as to reach the Secretary JERC at above address at secy-jerc@nic.in and seelectricity@yahoo.co.in on or before (17.03.2013).
8. The Objection / suggestions as above should carry full name and postal address of the person sending the objections If the objection is filed on behalf of any organization or any class of consumers, same should also be mentioned.
9. It may also specifically mention if the person putting in objection / comments also wants to be heard in person.
10. The Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission (JERC), after perusing the written objection received in response to this notice may invite such objectors as it considers appropriate for a hearing on the specified dates which will be notified by the commission in due course through a Public Notice.

Superintending Engineer

Yours faithfully,

सहायक अभियंता (योजना)- Assistant Engineer (PL)

For अधीक्षक अभियंता - Superintending Engineer

Copy to:

1. The Assistant Secretary (Power), A& N Administration for information.
2. The Secretary, Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Goa & UTs, 'Vanijya Nikunj', 2nd Floor, Udyog Vihar, Phase V, Gurgaon, (122016) Haryana. for information.
3. The Executive Engineer (NRSE), Electricity Deptt., Prothrapur, Port Blair for information.
4. The Accounts Officer (Circle), Electricity Deptt., Vidyut Bhawan, Port Blair for information.
5. The Cashier, Circle Office, Electricity Deptt. Port Blair for information and necessary action.
6. Notice Board.
7. File No. EL/PL/1-39(c),
8. EL/PL/1-37(b)/SA

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