



Delhi Electricity Regulatory Commission

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Sub : Intra-State Deviation Settlement Mechanism consequent to CERC (Deviation Settlement Mechanism and Related Matters) Regulations, 2022

ORDER

(Date of Order: 26/12/2022)

- 1) This Commission had issued an Order dated 21/04/2009 regarding Un-scheduled Interchange charges consequent to notification of CERC (*Un-Scheduled Interchange charges and related matters*) Regulations, 2009 dated 30/03/2009. Recently, Delhi SLDC vide its letter dated 1/11/2022 informed the Commission that Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (CERC) has notified CERC (*Deviation Settlement Mechanism and Related Matters*) Regulations, 2022 which is to be made applicable from 5/12/2022. Further, Delhi SLDC requested the Commission to urgently schedule a meeting with all Pool participants for finalizing the principles pertaining to Intra-State Deviation Settlement Mechanism (DSM) based on the said Regulations.
- 2) Accordingly, taking cognizance of the above request of Delhi SLDC, which has been entrusted with the responsibility, *inter-alia* for grid control and despatch of electricity within the State as per Section 32 of the Electricity Act, 2003, the officers of the Commission conducted meeting with all Pool participants and SLDC on 11/11/2022.
- 3) During the said meeting, Delhi SLDC proposed to convene a Special Grid Coordination Committee (Special GCC) meeting in their office with all Pool participants and discuss about the modalities of enforcing Intra-State DSM as per CERC (*Deviation Settlement Mechanism and Related Matters*) Regulations, 2022. Special GCC was accordingly held in the office of the DTL on 25/11/2022 whose minutes were forwarded to the Commission on 1/12/2022.
- 4) Considering the above and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 86 (1), (c), (g), (h), (i) & (k) of the Electricity Act, 2003, decides and directs as follows related to implementation of Intra-State Deviation Settlement Mechanism consequent to CERC (*Deviation Settlement Mechanism and Related Matters*) Regulations, 2022:

a) Normal Rate of Intra-State Deviation Settlement Mechanism

The Commission directs Delhi SLDC to consider the same rate while preparing Intra-State Deviation Settlement Mechanism accounts as considered by Northern Region Power Committee (NRPC) while preparing Inter-State Deviation Settlement Mechanism accounts for the State of Delhi.

b) Over-draw and Under-draw limit for Intra-State Level

The limits for State GENCOs shall be governed by CERC (*Deviation Settlement Mechanism and Related Matters*) Regulations, 2022. The Commission notices that Regulation 8 of CERC (*Deviation Settlement Mechanism and Related Matters*) Regulations, 2022 provides special treatment for buyers having schedule less than 400 MW. The Commission also considering the Percentage Share of Energy Consumption by Delhi DISCOMs of last three years, directs Delhi SLDC to consider the DISCOM wise Over-draw/Under-draw limit, as follows:

Delhi Distribution Licensees	Over-draw/Under-draw limit
1) TPDDL	29 MW
2) BRPL	41 MW
3) BYPL	21 MW
4) NDMC	10% of Schedule or 5 MW, whichever is lower
5) MES	10% of Schedule or 3 MW, whichever is lower
6) Northern Railway	10% of Schedule or 1 MW, whichever is lower

c) Settlement of Auxiliary Power drawn by Generators in case of Shut Down and Start up Power

The Commission directs Delhi SLDC to continue the existing practice of considering rate of last available Energy Charge Rate (ECR) of Generating Station in case of drawl of power to run auxiliaries during shut down of the said Generating Station. Settlement of deviation from such scheduled Auxiliary Power is being done through DSM. The charges for drawl of Start-up Power, before CoD, including its deviation shall be Normal Rate of charges for deviation.

d) Applicability of DSM on Waste to Energy Management Plant

The Commission directs Delhi SLDC to implement the specific provisions of CERC (*Deviation Settlement Mechanism and Related Matters*) Regulations, 2022 related to Waste to Energy (WtE) Plants for those WtE Plants which are commissioned after issuance of this Order.

- 5) This Order shall come into force with immediate effect, accordingly the Order dated 21/04/2009 stands repealed to this extent only. This Order may be reviewed, if deemed fit.
- 6) Ordered accordingly.

Sd/-

(Dr. A.K. Ambasht)
Member

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(Justice Shabihul Hasnain 'Shastri')
Chairperson