CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION **NEW DELHI**

Petition No.237/AT/2024

Subject : Petition under Section 63 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for adoption of

> tariff discovered through competitive bidding process regarding selection of Hybrid Power Generators for supply of 1000 MW power ISTS-connected Wind-Solar Hybrid Power Projects anywhere in

India (NTPC Tranche V) on Build, Own and Operate basis.

: NTPC Limited (NTPC) Petitioner

Respondents : ReNew Solar Power Private Limited and Ors.

Date of Hearing : 22.7.2024

Coram : Shri Jishnu Barua, Chairperson

Shri Ramesh Babu V., Member

Parties Present : Shri Adarsh Tripathi, Advocate, NTPC

Record of Proceedings

Learned counsel for the Petitioner submitted that the present Petition has been filed seeking the adoption of tariff of the 1000 MW Wind-Solar Hybrid Power Projects connected to inter-State Transmission System and selected through the competitive bidding process as per the "Guidelines for Tarif Based Competitive Bidding Process for Procurement of Power from Grid Connected Wind Solar Hybrid Power Projects" dated 21.8.2023 ("Hybrid Guidelines") issued by the Ministry of Power, Government of India.

- 2. Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the Petitioner, the Commission ordered as under:
 - (a) Admit. Issue notice to the Respondents.
 - (b) The Respondents to file their respective replies, if any, within two weeks with a copy to the Petitioner, who may file its rejoinder within a week thereafter.
 - (c) The Petitioner to furnish the following information/clarification, on an affidavit, within two weeks:
 - (i) Certificate issued by the Bid Evaluation Committee certifying that (i) the bidding process and evaluation have been conducted in conformity to the provisions of the RfS document, and (ii) the price of the selected offer is reasonable and consistent with the requirement as per Clause 12.2 of the Hybrid Guidelines.
 - (ii) Reasons for delay in approaching the Commission as per Clause 12.4 of the Hybrid Guidelines.
 - (iii) Status of the tying-up of the awarded capacity under the PPAs and PSAs.

The Petition will be listed for hearing on 27.8.2024. 3.

> By order of the Commission Sd/-(T.D. Pant) Joint Chief (Law)