

# MADHYA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

BHOPAL

**Sub: In the matter of Petition filed under Section, 14, 15 AND 86(1)(d) of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with MPERC (Procedure of Application for License) Regulations, 2004, with respect to Grant of Transmission License to M.P. Power Transmission Package-I Limited.**

**Petition No. 02 of 2023**

## **DAILY ORDER**

**(Hearing through video conferencing)**

**(Date of Hearing: 11<sup>th</sup> April' 2023)**

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**M.P. Power Transmission Package – I Limited.,**

2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Niryat Bhawan, Rao Tularam Marg

Vasant Vihar, Opposite Army Hospital & Referral,

New Delhi – 110057, INDIA

- **Petitioner**

**Vs.**

**1. Managing Director,**

**M.P. Power Management Company Ltd.,**

Block No-15, Shakti Bhawan, Vidyut nagar

Rampur, Jabalpur – 482008

**2. Managing Director,**

**M.P. Power Transmission Company Limited.,**

Shakti Bhawan, Vidyut nagar

Rampur, Jabalpur – 482008

**3. Chief Executive Officer**

**REC Power Development and Consultancy Limited**

(Formerly REC Power Distribution Company Limited)

(A wholly owned subsidiary of REC Limited)

REC Corporate Head Quarter, D Block,

Plot No. I-4, Sec-29 Gurugram – 122001

- **Respondent(s)**

Shri Yogesh Bhatnagar Advocate appeared on behalf of the petitioner.

Shri Manoj Dubey, Advocate appeared on behalf of respondent no. 1

Shri Debashish Chakravarty appeared on behalf of respondent no. 2

Shri P.S. Hariharan, appeared on behalf of respondent no. 3

Shri Yogesh Bhatnagar, Advocate, appearing on behalf of the petitioner M.P. Power Transmission Package – I Limited., stated that they have submitted compliance of daily order dated 07.04.2023 of Commission through affidavit dated 31.03.2023. Notice was published as required under section 15(2) of the Electricity Act , 2003 and no objections were received. Further, they have written letter to Airport Authority, Government of India for NOC as required under section 15(2)(ii) of the Electricity Act, 2003 but the same is awaited.

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2. Respondent no.1 stated that they do not wish to file any written reply and that they have no objections of issue of license to the petitioner as per rules and regulations.
3. Respondent no. 2 through letter dt. 20.03.23 has submitted that they have no objection in grant of transmission license to petitioner.
4. Respondent no. 3 also stated that they have no objections in grant of transmission license to petitioner and that they have submitted their response through affidavit dated 06.04.23.
5. The Commission has observed that section 15(5) of the Electricity Act, 2003 stipulates as under:-

15 (5) Before granting a licence under section 14, the Appropriate Commission shall -

- (a) publish a notice in two such daily newspapers, as that Commission may consider necessary, stating the name and address of the person to whom it proposes to issue the licence;
- (b) consider all suggestions or objections and the recommendations, if any, of the Central Transmission Utility or State Transmission Utility, as the case may be.

The Commission also observed that regulation 1.25 of the MPERC (Procedure of Application for License) Regulations, 2004 provides that the Commission shall also publish a notice in two such daily newspapers, as the Commission may consider necessary, stating the name and address of the person to whom it proposes to issue the license.

6. In view of the provisions of section 15(5)(a) of the Electricity Act, 2023 and regulation 1.25 of the MPERC (Procedure of Application for License) Regulations, 2004, Commission Secretary is directed to publish notice in daily newspapers. The case shall be fixed for public hearing thereafter.

**(Prashant Chaturvedi)**  
Member

**(Gopal Srivastava)**  
Member (Law)

**(S.P.S. Parihar)**  
Chairman