

**MADHYA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
BHOPAL**

Sub: Petition under section 63 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for adoption of tariff of Grid Connected Solar PV Systems selected through competitive bidding process for sale of power within the State in terms of the Guidelines for Implementation of Feeder Level Solarization under Component-C of PM-KUSUM Scheme (Office Memorandum F. No. 32/645/2017-SPV Division) issued by the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India on 04.12.2020.

Petition No. 22 of 2025

DAILY ORDER

(Hearing through video conferencing)

(Date of Hearing: 11th June' 2025)

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MP Urja Vikas Nigam Ltd.,
Urja Bhawan, Link Road No. 2,
Shivaji Nagar, Bhopal (MP) - 462016

-Petitioner

Managing Director,
MP Power Management Co. Ltd.,
Shakti Bhawan, Vidyut Nagar,
Rampur, Jabalpur - 482008

-Respondent

Shri Devashish Mathur, Advocate appeared on behalf of the petitioner.

Shri Manoj Dubey, Advocate appeared on behalf of the respondent.

At the hearing, learned counsel for Respondent submitted that they have raised certain issues in their sur-rejoinder dated 10.06.2025. These include objections to submission of MPUVNL regarding connectivity at 33/11 kV sub-station without concurrence of MPPMCL / Discoms, non-submission of information regarding finalization of 33/11 kV sub-stations even after lapse of 15 months and also of documents pertaining to execution of PPAs as on date. The issues of relaxation from installation of indigenous solar cells being available only upto 31.03.2024 and the scheme sunset time being 31.03.2026 are also raised in the sur-rejoinder of the Respondent. The Petitioner submitted that decision of connectivity was taken only after consultation with MPPMCL and the remaining issues can be addressed even after adoption of rates under Section 63 of the Electricity Act, 2003. Learned counsel for Respondent did not agree with the contention of Petitioner. The Commission observes that MPUVNL and MPPMCL are Companies of the State Government and have taken different positions on various issues in this matter. The Commission is of the view that it does not augur well for the State owned Companies to speak in contradictory voices. Commission directed the Petitioner and Respondent to reconcile their differences and then jointly approach the Commission for direction in the matter latest by 16.06.2025. This was agreed to by both the parties. Both the parties are further directed to consult their respective administrative departments under Government of Madhya Pradesh to expedite the process of reconciliation in this matter. If necessary, the hearing may be held on 18.06.2025.

(Prashant Chaturvedi)
Member

(Gopal Srivastava)
Acting Chairman