## MADHYA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION BHOPAL

Subject: In the matter of petition under clause (b) of proviso 1 of Section 86 of the Electricity Act 2003, seeking certain deviations from Model Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) for procurement of power from decentralized Solar Power Plants having capacity of five hundred (500) kW to two (2) MW to be set up under Component-A of Pradhan Mantri Kisan Urja Suraksha evam Utthan Mahabhiyan Scheme (PM KUSUM) Scheme introduced by Government of India (GoI) dated 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019.

Petition No. 06 of 2021

## **ORDER**

(Hearing through Video Conferencing) (Date of Motion Hearing: 6<sup>th</sup> July 2021) (Date of Daily Order: 9<sup>th</sup> July' 2021)

(1) Madhya Pradesh Urja Vikas Nigam Limited (MPUVNL), Urja Bhawan, Shivaji Nagar, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh

**Petitioners** 

(2) M. P. Power Management Company Limited (MPPMCL), Shakti Bhawan, PO Vidyutnagar, Rampur, Jabalpur (M.P.) – 482008

Shri Bhuvnesh Kumar Patel, CE appeared on behalf of the Petitioner No. 1. Shri Rajnish Kumar Reja, DGM appeared on behalf of the Petitioner No. 2.

MP Urja Vikas Nigam Ltd. and MP Power Management Company Ltd. have jointly filed the subject petition under Section 86(1)(b) of the Electricity Act 2003. MP Urja Vikas Nigam Ltd. has prayed for approval to deviations from certain articles under Model Power Purchase Agreement issued by the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE).

- 2. At the motion hearing held on 15.06.2021, the petitioner No. 1 was asked to inform the provision/(s) in the Standard Bidding Guidelines issued by the Government of India which provide for seeking approval of the Commission to deviations from the Model PPA.
- 3. At the motion hearing held on 6<sup>th</sup> July' 2021, the Commission observed that vide letter dated 26<sup>th</sup> June' 2021, the petitioner No. 1 and 2 has requested to withdraw the subject petition broadly submitted the following:
  - i. "During the pendency of the instant petition, MPUVNL vide letter dated 10.06.2021 also sought approval of MNRE on Deviation in Model Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) of PM KUSUM Scheme Component A.
  - *ii.* Consequently, MPUVNL post discussion with MPPMCL on 11<sup>th</sup> June' 2021 submitted a reply to MNRE.
  - iii. Pursuant to above, vide email dated 14<sup>th</sup> June' 2021 it has been informed that MNRE has no objection to the changes suggested in the PPA by MPUVNL.

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iv. In light of the said understanding between both the parties, the petitioner no more wishes to pursue the instant petition and wishes to withdraw the instant petition. In light of the above, it is prayed from the Hon'ble Commission to dispose of the same."			
4. Having heard the petitioners and considering the aforesaid submission, the petitioners are allowed to withdraw the subject petition.			
With the above observation and direction, the subject petition is disposed of.			
(Sł	nashi Bhushan Pathak) Member	(Mukul Dhariwal) Member	(S.P.S. Parihar) Chairman