

**BEFORE THE MAHARASHTRA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
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**NOTICE**

**In**

**Case No. 152/AD/2023**

**In the matter of:**

<b>M/s. Reddy Construction</b>	.....	<b>Petitioner(s)</b>
<b>V/s.</b>		
<b>Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution Company Limited (MSEDCL)</b>	.....	<b>Respondent(s)</b>

**Subject: -** Petition of M/s. Reddy Construction under Section 86(1) of the EA 2003 for (i) approval of “change in law” and (ii) for seeking a compensation against additional cost incurred on account of implementation of the goods and services tax on procurement of solar modules and other solar equipment increased from 5% to 12% vide notification number 08 of 2021, notification issued in relation thereto by the state of Maharashtra, -central tax (rate) dated 30.09.2021 read with notification number 08 of 2021 - integrated tax (rate) dated 30.09.2021 in terms of article 9 of the PPA dated 04.02.2022 entered between M/s. Reddy Construction and MSEDCL for development of 3 MW capacity power project at village – Gondri, Lodga, Tehsil - Ausa, District - Latur.

1. I am directed to communicate that e-Hearing in this matter is scheduled on, **Tuesday, 2 January, 2024 at 10.30 am.** Kindly refer the Practice Directions dated 14 November, 2022 available on MERC website ([www.merc.gov.in](http://www.merc.gov.in)) for the Operational Procedure and Protocol to be followed for e-Hearing before the Commission.
2. Petitioner(s) and Respondent(s) shall communicate the name(s), email ID(s), and contact number(s), of their Representative(s) (maximum 3 persons) who will be attending e-Hearing, well in advance at least two days before the e-Hearing. MERC – IT Team will communicate the credentials for login into e-Hearing Application and will also provide assistance for using this Application.
3. In case of technical constraint of Video-Conferencing platform, credential for login will be given to one or two persons only. All others can attend the e-Hearing through live streaming link provided on website of the Commission.
4. Documents to be referred during the e-Hearing shall be uploaded on ‘Petition E-filing Portal’ only, at least two days before the scheduled e-Hearing for reference of the Commission and all concerned parties. During the e-Hearing, parties shall refer these uploaded documents only.

5. All communication related to e-Hearing shall be made on '[ehearing@merc.gov.in](mailto:ehearing@merc.gov.in)' mentioning MERC Case number.
6. NOTICE is hereby given to you to attend e-Hearing through video conferencing through an authorized functionary or duly authorized advocate before this Commission on said date and time.
7. TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that if you fail to appear on the said date and time, the matter will be heard in your absence on the said date or any subsequent date to which the matter may be posted, as directed by the Commission, without any further notice. Failure of the Parties to appear before the Commission on the date of e-Hearing, the Parties shall be a sole responsible for its cause and consequences.
8. Issued in Mumbai under my hand and as directed by the Commission on **Tuesday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2023.**

Sd/-  
(Anilkumar Ukey)  
Director Legal, (I/c.)

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