Before the

MAHARASHTRA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION World Trade Centre, Centre No.1, 13th Floor, Cuffe Parade, Mumbai 400005.

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Case No. 93 of 2014

Dated: 30 April 2014

CORAM: Smt. Chandra Iyengar, Chairperson Shri Vijay L. Sonavane, Member

In the matter of:

Shri Avinash Appa Gadge. ------Petitioner

V/s

- 1. The District Magistrate, Kolhapur.
- 2. The Executive Engineer, MSETCL, Kolhapur.
- 3. M/S. Orient Green Power Co. Ltd., Kolhapur ------- Respondents

Counsel/ Representative for the Petitioner: Shri Rishi Mishra, Advocate

Counsel/ Representative for the Respondents: 1) Shri D.M Mahajan, Dy. Exe. Engineer,

MSETCL

2)Shri R. Sethuraman, OGPL, Kolhapur.

Consumer Representative : Ashok Pendse, Thane Belapur Industries

Association,

Daily Order

Heard the Advocate for the Petitioner and representatives of the Respondents No.2 & 3.

The representative for the Respondent No.2, MSETCL requested for adjournment in the matter by seven days for detailed submission. Considering the request of the representative for the Respondent No.2, the Commission granted the adjournment in the matter.

The Commission observed that the representative from MSETCL was not prepared and attended the hearing without any document related to the Petition. The representative of MSETCL is directed to discuss the matter and convey the displeasure of the Commission to the Corporate office of MSETCL.

As no one was present from the Corporate office to attend the hearing the MSETCL is directed that one of the senior level executive working at Corporate Office of MSETCL shall attend all the hearing of MSETCL before the Commission to ensure smooth working and punctual compliance of the directives of the Commission.

The Principal Secretary, MERC is directed to write a letter to the Principal Secretary, (Energy), GOM, to convey the Commission's concerns and displeasure over MSETCL's lackadaisical approach towards the hearing of the Commission.

Commission directed to the Respondent No.2, MSETCL to file the detailed submission under affidavit before the Commission with a copy to the Petitioner.

Next date of the hearing will be communicated to the parties by the Secretariat of the Commission.

Sd/-(Vijay L. Sonavane) Member Sd/-(Chandra Iyengar) Chairperson