Before the

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Case No. 16 of 2017

Dated: 13 April, 2017

CORAM: Shri Azeez M. Khan, Member Shri Deepak Lad, Member

In the matter of

Petition of Shri Ashok Kulkarni for investigation of the books of accounts of Tata Power Company in respect of various contracts awarded for painting, dredging, coal handling, coal freight, shipping cost etc. from FY 2003-04

Shri Ashok Kulkarni ...Petitioner

V/s.

The Tata Power Company Ltd. (TPC) ...Respondent No. 1

BEST Undertaking (BEST) ...Respondent No. 2

Reliance Infrastructure Ltd. (RInfra) ...Respondent No. 3

<u>Appearance</u>

For the Petitioner : Ms. Gaurangi Patil (Adv.)

For the Respondent No. 1 : Smt. Vaidehi Naik (Adv.)

For the Respondent No. 2 : Shri S. S. Jadhav (Rep.)

For the Respondent No. 3 : Shri Ghanshyam Thakkar (Rep.)

Authorized Consumer Representative : Shri Ashok Pendse, TBIA

Daily Order

The Commission had listed 4 cases for hearing, including the present matter.

At the commencement of proceedings in the matter at 11.30 am., none appeared on behalf of the Petitioner. Advocate for TPC sought an adjournment of the hearing, and two weeks' time for filing its Reply. As per TPC's request, the hearing was adjourned.

Subsequently, the Office of the Commission brought to the notice of the Commission that the attendance sheet of the Case hearing has been signed by the Petitioner. However, the

Petitioner did not mention his presence in the Court during the proceedings the entire day. The Advocate for the Petitioner reported late, at around 13.30 Hrs., and also did not mention the Case before the Commission

Next date of the hearing shall be communicated by the Secretariat of the Commission.

Sd/-(Deepak Lad) Member Sd/-(Azeez M. Khan) Member