

NOTICE

Subject: Petition of Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution Company Limited (MSEDCL) for in principle approval for procurement of the power re-allocated by Ministry of Power, Government of India from NTPC power stations to Maharashtra for short term period.

- **Case No. 68/MP/2022**

The Petitioner Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution Company Limited (MSEDCL) filed Petition for in principle approval for procurement of the power re-allocated by Ministry of Power, Government of India from NTPC power stations to Maharashtra for short term period.

The main prayers of the Petitioner are as under-

- 1.1. *To admit the present Petition.*
- 1.2. *To accord the in principal approval for procurement of the power re-allocated by Ministry of Power, GoI to Maharashtra from NTPC power stations for short term period.*
- 1.3. *To accord the approval for signing of supplementary PPA with NTPC, if required.*
- 1.4. *To consider the submission made by the Petitioner and consider the same positively while deciding the Petition;*
- 1.5. *To condone any error/omission and to give opportunity to rectify the same;*
- 1.6. *To permit the Petitioner to make further submissions, addition and alteration to this Petition as may be necessary from time to time.*

1. I am directed to communicate that e-Hearing in this matter is scheduled on, **Tuesday, 19 April, 2022 at 10.30 am.** Kindly refer the Practice Directions dated 18 February, 2021 available on MERC website (www.merc.gov.in) for the protocol to be followed for and during the e-Hearing.
2. I am directed to communicate that the Petitioner is directed to serve a copy of its above-mentioned Petition in soft copy to the Respondents/Parties and hard copy of the original Petition immediately alongwith acknowledgement to the office of the Commission.
3. The Respondents are directed to submit the say with documents if any, in soft copy on the above-mentioned Petition immediately within 15 days with a copy to the Petitioner and single original copy with affidavit to the Commission immediately.
4. The Parties shall file Petition/ Application/Documents /Replies etc. in the office of the Commission in single original copy with affidavit. In addition, all the documents shall also be filed through e-mail on “ehearing@merc.gov.in” (soft copy in Word and PDF) along with

the scanned copy of the acknowledgment of filing the original hard copy, citations produced during the proceedings.

5. I am directed to communicate that the Notice for e-Hearing in this matter will be issued separately. Kindly refer the Practice Directions dated 18 February 2021 available on MERC website (www.merc.gov.in) for the protocol to be followed for and during the e-Hearing.
6. Petitioner(s) and Respondent(s) shall communicate the name(s), email ID(s), contact number(s), and the address(es) of their Representative(s) (maximum 3 persons) who will be attending e-Hearing. MERC – IT Team will communicate the credentials for login into e-Hearing Application and will also provide assistance for using this Application.
7. Documents to be referred during the e-Hearing shall be emailed to 'ehearing@merc.gov.in' at least one day before the scheduled e-Hearing in office hours only. The said documents will be uploaded in e-Hearing Application for reference of the Commission and all concerned parties. During the e-Hearing, parties shall refer these uploaded documents only.
8. All communication related to e-Hearing shall be made on 'ehearing@merc.gov.in' mentioning MERC Case number.
9. Kindly note that the Commission has launched 'Petition E-filing Portal' from 15 August 2021. All new Petitions filed post 15 August 2021 needs to be filed through 'Petition E-filing Portal'. Similarly, all Reply/Rejoinder or any other document in such cases also needs to be filed through 'Petition E-filing Portal'. Parties may refer Practice Directions dated 15 August 2021 in this regard on the website of the Commission <https://www.merc.gov.in>

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