

ARUNACHAL PRADESH STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION ITANAGAR

No. APSERC/RA-7/I/2024-25/ 9/9

Dated the 25th March, 2025.

To

The Chief Engineer

Transmission, Planning and Monitoring Zone Department of Power, Government of Arunachal Pradesh Vidyut Bhawan, Itanagar.

NOTICE FOR SUO MOTO PROCEEDING UNDER CLAUSE 3.1, SUB-CLAUSE 15 OF THE ARUNACHAL PRADESH STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION (MULTI YEAR TARIFF) REGULATIONS, 2024.

Taking serious note on the continuous contravention in compliance of the statutory obligations under Regulation 2.5 of "Arunachal Pradesh State Electricity Regulatory Commission (multiyear tariff) regulations, 2024", which mandates the generating company, Transmission Licensee, State Load Despatch Centre (SLDC) and Distribution Licensee to submit application for determination of the Multi Year tariff for the Transmission, Distribution Business, Retail Supply Business, SLDC fees and charges.

Transmission, Planning and Monitoring Zone (TP&MZ), a deemed transmission licensee has submitted only one tariff petition, which was only for the financial year, 2018-2019. Since then, no applications as per the terms of Multi Year Tarif Regulation, 2018 nor of 2024 have been submitted by the TP&MZ till this date.

In spite of several communications in form of letters, notices and subsequent reminder been duly served upon you by the Commission, still there is non-seriousness attitude on your part in complying with the direction of the Commission.

That on dated 16.12.2024, a reminder notice was communicated to you for compliance of the statutory provisions, but again you disrespected the direction of the Commission.

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The Commission as a last resort served you a final notice on dated 22.01.2025 with a strict direction that failure to comply will result in the Suo Moto proceeding for Tariff Determination under MYT Regulation, 2024. Further it was made clear that legal action under Section 142 and other relevant sections of the Electricity Act, 2003 shall be initiated.

On dated 13.02.2025, a reply was communicated to the Commission with a prayer to grant an extension of one month to so as to file the tariff petition. Since it has been more than the time you had sought for, yet you have not adhered to file the tariff petitions as required under the said Regulations.

The Commission sees the act as wilful and deliberate defiance of the direction. This Notice is served upon you under Clause 3.1, Sub-Clause 15 of the Arunachal Pradesh State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Multi Year Tariff) Regulations, 2024 taking Sou-Motu proceeding mandating the filing of the said application.

The Suo-Moto hearing has been fixed on 29.04.2025 at 11 AM in Commission's Court room.

You are hereby directed to appear in person or duly authorised representative on the date fixed for Suo-Moto hearing.

Take note that in events no satisfactory explanation in regard to non-filing of applications as per the terms of Multi Year Tarif Regulation, 2024 or you remain absent without any reasons, the Commission shall initiate legal actions as per Section 142 of the Electricity Act, 2003.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

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