

IN THE APPELLATE TRIBUNAL FOR ELECTRICITY
(Appellate Jurisdiction)

COURT I

APPEAL NO. 210 OF 2019

Dated: 27.04.2023

Present: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ramesh Ranganathan, Chairperson
Hon'ble Mr. Sandesh Kumar Sharma, Technical Member

In the matter of:

Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Ltd. & Anr. Appellant(s)

Versus

Central Regulatory Commission & Ors. Respondent(s)

Counsel for the Appellant(s) : Mr. Sidhant Kumar
Mr. Manya Chandok

Counsel for the Respondent(s) : Ms. Taniya Sareen
Ms. Shristi Khandaria
Mr. Aneesh Bajaj for R-2

Mr. Aniket Prasoon
Ms. Priya Dhankhar
Mr. Rishabh Bhardwaj for R-3

ORDER

Though more than a year has been elapsed from 24.02.2022, on which date the Appellant's request for being exempted from filing a certified copy of the Impugned Order was rejected, the certified copy of the Impugned Order has not yet been filed. Ms. Manya Chandok, learned Counsel for the Appellant seeks two more weeks' time to file the said certified copy. The time, which could have otherwise been spent in hearing appeals, is needlessly wasted in examining such matters.

As we see no reason to deny the Appellant another opportunity, two weeks' time is granted to the Appellant from today to file the certified copy of the Impugned Order on condition that the Appellant pays costs of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) to the Respondent-

Commission within two weeks, and files proof of payment of costs in the Registry within one week thereafter.

Ms. Taniya Sareen, learned Counsel for the 2nd Respondent and Ms. Priya Dhankhar, learned Counsel for the 3rd Respondent, state that, since an elaborate reply was filed in the IA, they do not wish to file a separate reply in the main appeal. Their submission is recorded.

Subject to compliance with the aforesaid directions regarding payment of costs and filing proof thereof, let the Appeal be included in the **‘List of Finals of Court-II’** to be taken up from there, in its turn.

(Sandesh Kumar Sharma)
Technical Member

(Justice Ramesh Ranganathan)
Chairperson

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