

COURT-1

IN THE APPELLATE TRIBUNAL FOR ELECTRICITY
(Appellate Jurisdiction)

APL No. 63 OF 2026 & IA No. 1973 OF 2025 & IA No. 1974 OF 2025 &
IA No. 690 OF 2026

Dated: 24th April, 2026

Present: Hon`ble Ms. Seema Gupta, Officiating Chairperson
Hon`ble Mr. Virender Bhat, Judicial Member

In the matter of:

Uttar Gujarat Vij Company Limited Appellant(s)

Versus

Arka Energy & Ors. Respondent(s)

Counsel on record for the Appellant(s) : Ranjitha Ramachandran
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ORDER

IA No. 690 of 2026

(for condonation of delay of 21 days in filing reply)(R-1,R-2,R-3 & R-4)

Despite repeated reminders of the need to file pleadings within the time sought for by the Counsel themselves, requests such as these are

still being made seeking further extension of time for completing pleadings.

We consider it appropriate to condone the delay on condition that the Respondent Nos. 1, 2,3 & 4 pay costs of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand only) to the Central Transmission Utility of India Limited (CTUIL) within three weeks, and file proof payment in the Registry within one week thereafter. Subject to compliance with the aforesaid directions, the delay of 21 days in filing reply by the 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Respondent is condoned, and the reply filed by 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Respondent be taken on record. The application is disposed of.

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Rejoinder, if any, to the reply filed by the 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Respondent may be filed within three weeks.

Since affidavit of service of notice on Respondent No.4 has already been filed, failure to effect service of court notice on Respondent No.4 is of no consequence.

Post the matter on **06.07.2026.**

Virender Bhat
Judicial Member

Seema Gupta
Officiating Chairperson

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