

**BEFORE THE GUJARAT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION  
GANDHINAGAR**

**Petition No. 2283 of 2023.**

**In the matter of:**

**Miscellaneous Petition under Section 63 read with Section 86 (1) (b) of the Electricity Act, 2003 in regard to competitive bidding process conducted vide RfS dated 18.03.2020 (Phase IX) issued by GUVNL.**

Petitioner : Gujarat Urja Vikas Nigam Limited  
Represented by : Ld. Adv. Ms. Srishti Kindaria along with Mr. Amit Chavda

Vs.

Respondent No. 1 : TEQ Green Power Private Limited  
Represented by : Ld. Adv. Magaz Andrabi

Respondent No. 2 : Veena Energy Renewables Urja Private Limited  
Represented by : Ld. Adv. Ms. Akansha Tanvi.

Respondent No. 3 : Tata Power Company Limited  
Represented by : Ld. Adv. Mr. Anand Srivastava along with Adv. Ms. Priya Goyal

Respondent No. 4 : Gujarat Power Corporation Limited  
Represented by : Nobody remain present

**CORAM:**

**Mehul M. Gandhi, Member  
S. R. Pandey, Member**

**Date: 20/01/2024.**

**DAILY ORDER**

1. The matter was listed for hearing on 28.12.2023.
2. Ld. Adv. Ms. Shrishti Kindaria on behalf of the Petitioner submitted that the present Petition is filed under Section 63 read with Section 86 (1) (b) of the Electricity Act, 2003 in regard to the competitive bidding process conducted vide RfS dated 18.03.2020 (Phase IX) issued by GUVNL related to the procurement of power from the Solar Power Projects to be set up in Dholera Solar Park in Gujarat.
  - 2.1. Pursuant to the said bidding process, the Respondent GUVNL approached the Commission and filed the Petition No. 1906 of 2019 before the Commission under Section 63 read with Section 86 (1) (b) of the Electricity Act, 2003 for seeking the adoption of tariff discovered under the Competitive Bidding process conducted by the GUVNL. Thereafter, the Commission has vide its Order dated 29.01.2021 disposed of the Petition filed by the Respondent GUVNL. Being aggrieved by the said Order of the Commission, the successful bidders have filed separate appeals challenging the Order dated 29.01.2021 of the Commission in Petition No. 1906 of 2019 before the Hon'ble APTEL. The Hon. APTEL vide its Judgement dated 07.08.2023, while dispose of the aforesaid Appeals along with IAs filed by the successful bidders also set aside the Order of the Commission dated 29.01.2021 and also made clear that in case the jurisdiction of the Commission is invoked by any of the parties to this appeal, the said Petition shall be considered on its merits without being influenced by the observation made or the queries raised, in the aforesaid two Orders dated 01.01.2021 and 29.01.2021. Hence, Petitioner has filed the fresh Petition before the Commission.
3. Ld. Adv. on behalf of the Respondents have requested and sought time which is not objected by the Petitioner.

4. Heard the parties. We note that present Petition has been filed by the Petitioner under Section 63 of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with Guidelines for tariff based Competitive Bidding Process conducted by the Respondent by way of RfS No. GUVNL/700 MW/Solar (Phase IX) dated 18.03.2020 for development of Solar PV Projects at Dholera Solar Park .
5. We also note that the Respondents have sought time to file their reply in the present matter which is not objected by the Petitioner. Accordingly, the Respondents are directed to file its reply, if any, within 2 weeks-time from date of hearing with a copy to the Petitioner. The Petitioner would be at liberty to file its rejoinder to reply within one-weeks' time with a copy to the Respondents after receipt of the reply from the Respondents. The matter is adjourned.
6. Next date of the hearing will be 23.01.2024 at 11.30 AM.
7. Order accordingly.

**Sd/-**  
**(S.R. Pandey)**  
**Member**

**Sd/-**  
**(Mehul M. Gandhi)**  
**Member**

Place: Gandhinagar

Date: 20/01/2024.