

Rajasthan Electricity Regulatory Commission, Jaipur

Petition No. RERC-1439/18

In the matter of determination of Aggregate Revenue Requirement (ARR) and Provisional Tariff for FY 2018-19 for Chhabra Super Critical Thermal Power Station (CSTPS) Stage II (unit 5&6)

Coram:	Sh. Shreemat Pandey,	Chairman
	Sh. S. C. Dinkar,	Member
	Sh. Prithvi Raj,	Member

Petitioner: Rajasthan Vidyut Utpadan Nigam Ltd.(RVUN)

Respondents:

1. Jaipur Vidyut Vitran Nigam Ltd. (JVVNL)
2. Ajmer Vidyut Vitran Nigam Ltd. (AVVNL)
3. Jodhpur Vidyut Vitran Nigam Ltd. (JdVVNL)

Date of hearing: 03.01.2019

Present:

1. Sh. Anil Middha, SE, RVUN
2. Sh. G. L. Sharma, Stakeholder

Date of order : 04.01.2019

ORDER

1. RVUN has filed this petition on 19.12.2018 for determination of Aggregate Revenue Requirement (ARR) and Provisional Tariff for FY 2018-19 for Chhabra Super Critical Thermal Power Station (CSTPS) Stage II (Unit 5&6).
2. Petitioner vide its application dt. 19.12.2018 has prayed to allow interim tariff for CSTPS Unit 5 w.e.f. 09.08.2018 and for Unit 6 from date of COD as petitioned for FY 2018-19.

3. The matter was heard on 03.01.2019 for determination of interim tariff for FY 2018-19 for CSTPS Stage II (Unit 5&6). Sh. Anil Middha, S.E. appeared for Petitioner and prayed to allow interim tariff as petitioned till final tariff is determined by the Commission.
4. Commission has considered the application dated 19.12.2018 submitted by Petitioner for interim tariff and submissions made by Sh. G. L. Sharma, Stakeholder.
5. Commission observes that the provisional tariff for FY 2017-18 for Unit 5 was allowed by the Commission vide its order dated 04.04.2018 from anticipated COD of Unit 5 (1.4.2017) to 31.03.2018. Commission also observes that Unit 5 has now achieved the COD on 09.08.2018 and Unit 6 is likely to achieve COD on 20.01.2019 as submitted by the Petitioner in its petition.
6. In view of the above and considering the facts placed before it, Commission deems it appropriate that provisional tariff for FY 2017-18 for Unit 5 allowed vide its order dated 04.04.2018, or tariff proposed in the petition for Unit 5 & 6 for FY 2018-19, whichever is lower, shall be the applicable interim tariff for CSTPS Unit 5 & 6 till final determination of tariff for FY 2018-19. The tariff thus worked out is as detailed below:
7. The interim tariff for FY 2018-19 for CSTPS Unit 5&6 as under:

Chhabra Super Critical Thermal Power Station (CSTPP) -Unit (5&6) (2x660 MW)

S. N.	Particulars (Rs/kWh) (A)	Allowed for unit 5 vide order dt. 04.04.18 for FY 2017-18 (B)	Petitioned for Unit 5 (C)	Petitioned for Unit 6 (D)	Allowed by Commission for Unit 5 FY 2018-19 (E)	Allowed by Commission for Unit 6 FY 2018-19 (F)
1.	Fixed charges	1.83	2.23	1.73	1.83	1.73
2.	Variable charges	2.13	2.19	2.19	2.13	2.13
3.	Total tariff	3.96	4.42	3.92	3.96	3.86

8. The tariff as allowed above is only on interim basis w.e.f. 09.08.2018 for CSTPS Unit 5 and from date of COD for Unit 6 till final determination of tariff for FY 2018-19 and is subject to adjustment as and when the final tariff is determined by the Commission.

(Prithvi Raj)
Member

(S. C. Dinkar)
Member

(Shreemat Pandey)
Chairman