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## Abstract

Short term procurement of 140 MW solar power and 100 MW wind through DEEP Portal to meet Solar and Non-solar RPO - Orders issued.

## Corporate Office (Commercial and Tariff)

BO (FTD) No. 713/2022 (No. CE(C&T)/ Solar- short term power purchase /2022-23), Dtd 16-08-2022

- Read: 1. B.O (FTD) No. 411/2022 (No. CE(C&T)/ Solar- short term power purchase /2022-23), Dated 20.05.2022.
  - 2. B.O (FTD) No. 636/2022 (No. CE(C&T)/ Renewable Power- short term procurement /2022-23), Dated 21.07.2022.
  - 3. Note No. CE(C&T)/Solar —short term power purchase/2022-23/506 Dated 27.07.2022 of the Chief Engineer (Commercial and Tariff) submitted to the Full Time Directors (Agenda No.23/8/22).

## ORDER

The tender for procurement of solar power on short term basis for 150 MW was invited through DEEP Portal for 10 months in the current financial year as per BO read as 1st above.

Inspite of wide publicity to this tender, the response for this tender was very meagre that only a single bidder (M/s CIAL Infrastructure Limited ) has participated in the bid and offering very feeble quantum of 10 MW @ 2.44/Unit.

As the rate per unit offered by M/s. CIAL Infrastructure Limited is slightly on higher side compared to the net per unit rate at which the latest solar renewable power procurement agreement has been executed by KSEBL with SECI (intermediary procurer) i.e., Rs.2.37/Unit (excluding trading margin of Rs.0.07/Unit), LOA was not issued. M/s. CIAL Infrastructure Limited on 20.07.2022 has consented to supply power @Rs.2.37/Unit, the matter is being processed for issuing LoA immediately.

But even in case of accepting the above offer of 10 MW solar power from M/s. CIAL Infrastructure Limited, there is still a shortfall of 140 MW solar power from the tendered quantity.

As per BO read as 2<sup>nd</sup> above, steps were initiated for procurement of 140 MW of solar power, 100 MW of Hydro power and 100 MW of Wind power on short term basis for meeting solar and non-solar RPO for the current and next financial years.

Considering the above, as directed by the Director(Transmission & System Operation), the Chief Engineer (Commercial and Tariff) as per note read as 3<sup>rd</sup> above, has

suggested for procurement of 140 MW of Solar power, and 100 MW of Wind power from November 2022 to May 2023, through DEEP portal on short term basis to meet the anticipated shortfall in RPO.

Having considered the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors in its meeting held on 01.08.2022,

- Resolved to accord sanction to float the tender in DEEP portal to procure 140 MW of solar power and 100 MW of Wind power on short term basis from 01.11.2022 to 31.05.2023 for meeting anticipated shortfall in RPO.
- Further resolved to approve the bid documents for short term power procurement of solar and wind power, for uploading in the DEEP Portal.

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Full Time Directors,

Sd/-LEKHA G. Company Secretary

TO

- The Chief Engineer (Commercial & Tariff)
- 2. The Chief Engineer (Trans & SO)

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Assistant Engineer