

Before
UTTARAKHAND ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the matter of:

- 1) Notice under section 142 read with section 146 of the Electricity Act, 2003 and in the matter of Non-compliance of Commission's Directions issued vide Order dated 01.02.2013.
- 2) Notice under section 142 of the Electricity Act, 2003 in the matter of violation of Regulation 5(13) of UERC (Release of New LT Connections, Enhancement and Reduction of Loads) Regulations, 2007.
- 3) Investigation of LT New Connection report of EDD-Kashipur and EDD-Rudrapur for FY 2011-12 through an independent agency.

And

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| 1. Sh. S.S. Yadav, MD, UPCL |Respondent 1 |
| 2. Sh. Pradeep Kumar, EE(D), EDD-Rudrapur |Respondent 2 |
| 3. Sh. Shishir Srivastava, the then EE(D), EDD-Kashipur |Respondent 3 |

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Shri C.S. Sharma	Member
Shri K.P. Singh	Member

Date of Hearing: March 26, 2014

Date of Order: March 26, 2014

Heard the respondents in the above matters of *suo-moto* proceedings initiated by the Commission for non-compliance of the directions issued in the Commission's Order dated 01.02.2013 and subsequent directions issued thereafter.

It is ordered:-

1. The Respondent 1 shall submit by 30.04.2014 the corrective measures initiated by the management to prevent/minimize delays in providing new service connection beyond the period prescribed in Act & Regulation and to avoid consequent imposition of penalty. The system for monitoring timely release of connections and deterrent for not adhering to time schedule be informed.
2. The Respondent 1 shall submit the action taken against Respondent 2 & 3 for submitting wrong reports to the Commission within 3 months.
3. The distribution licensee is permitted to deposit the penalty of ₹25,80,210.00 as computed under provisions of Regulation 5(12) of UERC (Release of New LT Connections, Enhancement and Reduction of Loads) Regulations, 2007 within 30 days from the date of issuance of this Order.
4. Respondent No. 2 & 3 shall ensure prompt submission of reports required under Regulation 5(15) of UERC (Release of New LT Connections, Enhancement and Reduction of Loads) Regulations, 2013 within 15 days of end of each month. A view on imposition of penalty on them or otherwise would be taken after evaluating their performance for months of April, May and June, 2014.

(K.P. Singh)
Member

(C.S. Sharma)
Member