

UTTARANCHAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

ORDER

Draft Regulations for determination of tariff of Hydro Generating Stations in the State were published by the Commission and responses on the same were received and considered. Based on these responses it was concluded that:

- a) More comprehensive and reliable data is required for framing regulations for small hydro generating stations (up to 25 MW).
- b) For other hydro generating stations regulations as approved by the Commission may be notified.

2. Inadequacy of data for small hydro generating stations (up to 25 MW) continues to come in the way of framing of separate regulations for this category of generating units. While efforts in this direction are continuing, finalization of these regulations is likely to take some time. In the mean time for determination of such tariffs for generating units of this category the Commission hereby decides that:

3. "Till such time that separate regulations for determination of generation tariff of small hydro generating units (up to 25 MW) are framed, Uttaranchal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Hydro Generation Tariff) Regulations, 2004 notified on 14-05-2004 will guide determination of tariff for hydro stations having capacity up to 25 MW with such relaxations and variations which, in Commission's view, may become necessary".

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Chairman

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