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CORRIGENDUM

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In the Notice having Ref. No. WBERC/B-63/Publication/1/0415 and published in this newspaper on 26.06.2008, for the sentence “Both APR and FPPCA are actually truing up exercise to determine the difference between the projections and actuals in respect of fixed costs and variable costs respectively for a particular year.”, please read “Both APR and FPPCA are actually truing up exercises to determine, following the provisions of the Tariff Regulations, the admissible fixed costs and variable costs respectively for a year based on projections and actuals for that year.”

By order of the Commission,

Place: Kolkata
Dated: 26th June 2008

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West Bengal Power Development Corporation Limited, the generating company, and West Bengal State Electricity Distribution Company Limited, West Bengal State Electricity Transmission Company Limited, CESC Limited, Durgapur Projects Limited and DPSC Limited, the licensees, have submitted applications for determination of tariff for the second control period under multi-year tariff frame work, specified in terms of section 61(f) of the Electricity Act, 2003, to the West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Commission). The second control period consists of three years from 2008-09 to 2010-11. The gists of these applications mentioned above have been published in different daily newspapers for information of the public in general. It will appear from the gists of the applications mentioned above that opportunities have been given to the public in general for inspection of the applications, taking certified copies of the same and submission of objections / suggestions / comments on the applications mentioned above by the stipulated dates. The figures given in the applications, gists of which have been published in the newspapers, are, however, projections made by the generating company and the licensees. The Commission will determine the Annual Revenue Requirements (ARR) and also the tariffs for all the three years of the second control period mentioned above in respect of the generating company and the licensees after prudent check of the proposals based on the provisions of the West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Condition of Tariff) Regulations, 2007 (Tariff Regulations) and relevant records and data and after due consideration of the objections / suggestions / comments received from the public. In terms of the Tariff Regulations, the Commission will first determine the ARR for all the three years of the control period *i.e.* for 2008-09 to 2010-11. After determining the ARR, the Commission will determine for each applicant the revenue recoverable through tariff, the average cost of supply and also the detailed tariffs for all categories of consumers (for a distribution licensee) each year separately for that year after adjusting the amounts recoverable / refundable determined through Annual Performance Review (APR) in the manner as may be decided by the Commission and also Fuel and Power Purchase Cost Adjustment (FPPCA), if not already allowed to be recovered / refunded through separate order, for the relevant year. Both APR and FPPCA are actually truing up exercise to determine the difference between the projections and actuals in respect of fixed costs and variable costs respectively for a particular year. As for example, this year in determining for an applicant the revenue recoverable through tariff, the average cost of supply and also the detailed tariffs for all categories of consumers (for a distribution licensee) for 2008-09, the Commission will adjust with the ARR determined for 2008-09 the amounts recoverable / refundable determined through APR for 2006-07 in the manner as may be decided by the Commission and also FPPCA for 2006-07, if not already allowed to be recovered or refunded through separate order. Similarly, for an applicant the revenue recoverable through tariff, average cost of supply and also the detailed tariffs for all categories of consumers (for a distribution licensee) for 2009-10 and 2010-11 will be determined by the Commission next year and the year after next after adjusting the amounts determined through APR in the manner as may be decided by the Commission and FPPCA (if not allowed to be recovered / refunded through separate order) for 2007-08 and 2008-09 respectively with the ARR already determined for 2009-10 and 2010-11. And as a result there may be upward or downward revision of tariff for each year of the second control period (2008-09 to 2010-11) than the projections made by the generating company and the licensees.

This is for information of public in general.

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