

## **RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS**

DATE OF HEARING	:	May 28, 2009 at 16.00 hrs.
PETITIONER	:	MSEDCL
RESPONDENT	:	Not mentioned.
MATTER	:	Petition seeking continuation of zero load shedding model for Thane and Vashi, and for approval of Reliability Charges to be recovered thereof. <b>(Case No.18 of 2009)</b>  Petition seeking continuation of zero load shedding model for Pune and for approval of Reliability Charges to be recovered thereof. <b>(Case No.19 of 2009)</b>
CORAM	:	Shri. V.P. Raja, Chairman Shri. A. Velayutham, Member

Shri. M.K. Deore, Executive Director (CP), appeared on behalf of MSEDCL.

The Petitioner filed Petition Nos.18 and 19 of 2009, seeking continuation of zero load shedding model for Pune and for approval of Reliability Charges to be recovered thereof, and for continuation of zero load shedding model for Thane and Vashi and for approval of Reliability Charges to be recovered thereof respectively.

After hearing both the cases, the Commission directed the Petitioner to submit a comprehensive Petition covering inter-alia the following issues in particular:-

1. Steps taken by MSEDCL to incentivise decentralised additional power generation capacity and the roadmap for the same.
2. Steps taken by MSEDCL to minimise load shedding in its licensed area of supply, and the roadmap for the same.
3. The road map of MSEDCL to supply continuous power to the consumers specifying the mile stones to be achieved with time frame.
4. Steps taken by MSEDCL for appointment of franchisee through competitive bidding process, and the road map for the same.
5. MSEDCL has to submit the data for increase in power availability due to global meltdown and ground water exploration, and at the same time considering the fact that additional power will be required for the agricultural crops.

The Commission directed the Petitioner to submit their comprehensive Petition within one month, i.e., latest by June 30, 2009 and to serve a copy of the Petition to the Consumer Representatives.

After receipt of the comprehensive Petition by MSEDCL, the Commission will issue the Order after due Public process, and till the issuance of the Order in the above matter, the Order in Case No. 10 of 2008 dated May 30, 2008 seeking approval to procure additional power for mitigating load shedding in Vashi Circle–Navi Mumbai and Thane Urban Circle, levy of reliability charges and for appointment of Interim Franchisee and Order in Case No.5 of 2008 dated June 20, 2008 seeking approval for appointment of Interim Franchisee and approval of Reliability Charges to be recovered from Pune Consumers, will be in operation.

If MSEDCL fails to submit its comprehensive Petition latest by June 30, 2009, the Order in Case No.10 of 2008 and Order in Case No.5 of 2008 will be discontinued from July 1, 2009, after affording an opportunity of hearing to MSEDCL.

**List of Persons who attended the hearing on 28.5.2009 at 16.00 hrs**

1. Shri. D.R. Saboo, Supdt. Engineer (VC), MSEDCL
2. Shri. P.S. Nirmale, S.E. (TVC), MSEDCL
3. Shri. J.D. Kulkarni, TP, TCL
4. Shri. A. Charan, RP, TCL
5. Shri. A.K. Khare, TP, TCL
6. Shri. M.K. Deore, ED (CP)
7. Shri. Subhash G. Dhakare, Ex. Engineer, MSEDCL, Pune
8. Shri. M.M. Shivade, JE, MSEDCL (PZ)
9. Shri. A.L. Wani, EE LM Section, MSEDCL
10. Shri. R.G. Prakash
11. Mrs. E. Sarita, Feedback Ventures
12. Shri. N. Ponrantham, Intervener
13. Dr. v. Thanumurthy, Mumbai Citizens Welfare Forum
14. Shri. P.N. Sribharan, Mumbai Citizens Welfare Forum
15. Shri. Rakshpal Abrol,
16. Shri. Amol A. More, JE (TPC), MSEDCL
17. Shri. M.M. Digraskar, EE (TOC), MSEDCL
18. Shri. G.J. Thakkar
19. Shri. Ashok Pendse, MGP
20. Shri. K.S. Desai
21. Shri. Eknath Sonawane, TSSIA
22. Shaleen Radhu
23. Shri Ravi Anand