## M/s Brua Hydrowatt Pvt. Ltd. Vs. the HPPTCL & Others.

Petition No. 35 of 2022

## 24.09.2022

Present: Sh. Vinay Mehta, Ld. Counsel for the Petitioner.

Sh. Vikas Chauhan, Ld. Counsel for Respondent No.1 alongwith Sh. Vijay Kumar Thakur, GM (Project) HPPTCL.

Sh. Shanti Swaroop, Legal Consultant for Respondent No. 2.

Sh. Deepak Bhandari, Senior Manager for Respondent No. 3

Sh. Abhishek Sethi Ld. Counsel for Respondent No. 4.

## **DAILY ORDER**

Respondent No.4 has filed reply which is taken on record. The rejoinder, if any, be filed well before next date. Rejoinder to reply of Respondent No.1 has come on record. No rejoinder to the reply of Respondent No.3 is intended to be filed.

Further time prayed for reply on behalf of Respondent No.2 that reply could not be prepared due to unavoidable circumstances. Time allowed as prayed. Last opportunity granted. Let reply by Respondent No.2 be filed within two weeks with advance copy to the opposite parties and the Petitioner shall also file rejoinder, if any, within a week thereafter on receipt of the copy of reply.

The perusal of the Petition shows that the Petitioner has deposited court fee of Rs.30,000/- only whereas the Petition has been filed under Section 86 (1) (f) of the Electricity Act as there is a dispute between the generating company and the Respondents. As per the HPERC (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2005 as amended by 11<sup>th</sup> amendment, the Petitioner being Renewable Energy Generator is required to pay Court fee of Rs.2,00,000/-. Therefore, the Petitioner is directed to make good the

deficiency of the Court fee amounting to Rs.1,70,000/- within a period of 15 days from today. The Registry will carefully scrutinize the Petition and in case more Court fee is required to be paid, the deficiency will be placed before the Commission on the next date of hearing.

List this case on 27.10.2022 at 11:30 AM. Till then Order dated 28.06.2022 is extended.

-Sd- -Sd- -Sd-(Yashwant Singh Chogal) (Bhanu Pratap Singh) (Devendra Kumar Sharma) Member (Law) Member