



संदर्भ संख्या/Ref. Number

केन्द्रीय कार्यालय/CORPORATE CENTRE

: CSO/OA/01

Dated : 23rd March, 2005

Sub: Interim-Procedure for Advance Reservation of Transmission capacity to Short-Term Open Access Customers for the month of April 2005.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to the CERC's regulation dated 21st February, 2005 on Open Access for inter-State transmission. The Short term Open Access as per amended regulations is to be implemented w.e.f. 1st April, 2005. The detailed procedure prepared by POWERGRID as the Central Transmission Utility (CTU) have been approved by CERC and is notified separately. Revised ST_rates for inter-State & inter-regional transmission system for the year 2005-2006 are also under finalization.

As per the amended regulations, the applications for advance reservation for the transmission capacity are to be received by 19th of the month. The same is not possible for the month of April, 05. Accordingly, the following procedure shall be adopted as an interim measure for advance reservation of transmission capacity for the month of April, 2005

- i) The applications already received by the RLDCs and the new applications received upto 1700 Hrs. of 28th March, 2005 shall be considered together on 29th day of March, 05 for processing.
- ii) The applications are to be submitted in the existing formats with terms of payments as stipulated in the prevailing procedure.
- iii) All applications shall be given same priority and in case of congestion the capacity shall be allotted on pro-rata basis.

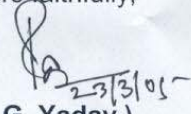
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- iv) The payment for the month of April, 05 will be as per amended regulation, 2005 to be implemented w.e.f. 1.4.2005. As the advance payment will be received as per existing procedure, the rates and charges applicable as per the amended regulation, 2005 shall be adjusted w.e.f. 1.4.2005. In case, the advance deposited is less as compared to due as per new regulations, the customers shall be advised to deposit additional amount. Similarly in case of advance deposited is more than due, the refund shall be made by RLDCs by 15th May, 2005.
- v) The applications from the month of April, 05 shall be considered in accordance with the detailed procedures notified separately as per the Amended Regulations.

The above procedure is as per the approval accorded by CERC vide letter No. 20/10(4)/2003-5/CERC dated 22ND March, 2005.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,



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