## ORISSA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION **BIDYUT NIYAMAK BHAWAN** UNIT-VIII, BHUBANESWAR - 751 012

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Present: Shri S. P. Nanda, Chairperson

> Shri K.C. Badu, Member Shri B. K. Misra, Member

## Case No. 87/2011

M/s. Jayashree Chemicals Ltd.(JCL) Petitioner

Vrs.

OPTCL, Bhubaneswar Respondent

In the matter of: An application for extension of time for installation

> PLCC/SCADA System in Ganjam 132 KV Grid Substation as per the communication of the Chief

General Manager (O&M), OPTCL dated.28.10.2011.

For the Petitioner: Shri B.K.Nayak, Advocate.

Shri S.K.Puri, A.G.M.(Elect.), OPTCL. For the Respondent:

**Date of Hearing: 15.11.2011 Date of Order: 21.11.2011** 

## **ORDER**

- 1. The petitioner, M/s JCL, for expansion/modernization of its caustic soda plant situated in the district of Ganjam required 16 MW power at 132 KV from 132 KV feeder bay at 132/33 KV Ganjam Grid S/S. The petitioner has completed the 132 KV feeder bay and agreed to the condition of OPTCL for installation of PLCC/SCADA equipments at Ganjam S/S as soon as the modification works carried out by OPTCL in the Ganjam S/S is completed.
- 2. Shri Nayak learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner, submitted that it has already procured the materials required for sending the Real Time Data and also provide Voice and Data Communication facility, required by SLDC, as per Orissa Grid Code. He further submitted that, due to delay in execution of modification works by OPTCL, M/s JCL is unable to comply with the directions of this Commission issued in its order dated. 13.05.2011 passed in Case No.30 of 2011 as regards to completion of the installation of PLCC/SCADA equipments within 31.10.2011. The petitioner on the suggestion of OPTCL has approached the Commission for extension of time, as the modification work at Ganjam S/S by OPTCL will take some more time for completion. In view of the above, the

- petitioner prayed to grant three months more time for such installations, without levy of any penalty, as the associated works may take another one month time after completion of the works by OPTCL.
- 3. Sri Puri, AGm (Elect.), OPTCL submitted that the temporarily shifting of stringing of 132 KV incoming line from Chatraput Grid S/S to Ganjam Grid S/S form the dead end tower at Ganjam S/S to the gantry of the newly constructed 132 KV feeder bay of M/s. JCL (in order to effect direct power supply to M/s. JCL during renovation works) is expected to be completed by 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2011. In view of the above pending works, OPTCL do not have any objection for consideration of extension of time upto 15.12.2011 to the petitioner for installation and commissioning of SCADA/PLCC system in their 132 KV feeder.
- 4. Heard the parties and on perusal of the case records, the Commission observes that the delay is due to the non-completion of modification work at Ganjam grid S/S by OPTCL and difficulties in getting the permission for shut down for associated works by OPTCL. Hence, considering the submission by both the parties, the Commission feels that it is prudent to allow some more time for the establishment of PLCC/SCADA although the Commission had earlier ordered for completion of such installations on or before 31.10.2011. Accordingly the Commission directs the respondent to complete its proposed modification works on or before 15.12.2011 so that the petitioner can install the PLCC/SCADA system in Ganjam S/S on or before 31.01.2012, failing which the Commission would be constrained to impose penalty on OPTCL for each day of default. The petitioner is also hereby directed to take parallel action in consultation with OPTCL for associated foundation works etc. so that the installation of PLCC/SCADA shall be completed within the above specified time. If the petitioner fails to install the PLCC/SCADA within the time as stipulated above and the reason of failure is attributed to the petitioner, the petitioner shall also be levied with penalty for each day of default from 01.02.2012.
- 5. Accordingly the case is disposed of.

Sd/-Sd/-(B.K.Misra)(K.C.Badu)(S.P.Nanda)MemberMemberChairperson