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Sub: Electricity Tariff revision proposals for the year 2014-2015

Dear Sir,

We wish to know your view on moving the Hon'ble High Court for a stay of the 'suo-motu' tariff revision proposals of TNERC for the year 2014-2015.

- 1. We have sought from TNERC the ARR and related data for the proposals vide our letter No.TECA: 2014-15/DB/TNERC-35 dated October 7, 2014. We are not hopeful that these data would be made available in time for us to make a proper representation to TNERC before the due date, i.e., 23.10.2014.
- 2. We are also planning to make another request to TNERC for data this week which is needed by the consultants engaged by us to prepare the representation.
- 3. We have sought some data on 09.10.2014 from TANGEDCO by a RTI petition on its Financial Restructuring Plan. This data is also needed for our representation on the tariff proposals.
- 4. We enclose a note from Mr. D H Hanumantha Rao, Former Member TNERC, on the proposals. He has suggested that TNERC should punish TANGEDCO / TANTRANSCO by extending the validity of its 2013 Tariff orders till 31.03.2016, and also levying a time on TANGEDCO / TANTRANSCO. He further suggests that 2 of the three members of TNERC should be recuse themselves from the tariff proceedings their decisions as employees of TANGEDCO / TANTRANSCO, to be dealt in the tariff proceedings.
- 5. TANGEDCO / TANTRANSCO's tariff revision proposals for the year 2015- 2016 are due by 30.11.2014. It is likely that they would also be done in a similar method.
- 6. We believe that you had a preliminary discussion on this matter with some other associations.
- 7. We await your views on how to proceed further in this matter.

With Warm Regards,

D Balasundaram President