BEFORE THE GUJARAT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION GANDHINAGAR

Petition No. 2410 of 2024.

In the Matter of:

Petition under Section 86 (1) (a), (b), (e) and (k) of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with Article 8 of the PPA dated 30.05.2018 seeking compensatory tariff and revision of total tariff to INR 13.53/kWh (for the FY 2023-24), with effect from 01.11.2024 and escalation in the variable costs (including O&M costs, fuel costs, etc.) thereof annually at the rate of 8.5% p.a. for the 7.5 MW RDF based waste-to energy project of the Petitioner located at Jamnagar to compensate the Petitioner from unprecedented cost escalation.

Petitioner	:	Goodwatts WTE Jamnagar Private Limited
Represented By	:	Ld. Adv. Tabrez Malawat alongwith Mr. Krutarth Oza, Mr. Vivek Rana, Mr. Aatray Pandya and Mr. Aditya Handa
		V/s.
Respondent No. 1	:	Gujarat Urja Vikas Nigam Limited
Represented by	:	Ld. Adv. Ms. Shrishti Khindaria with Ms. Girija Dave Mr. Rakesh Soni, Mr. Rahul Pareek
Respondent No. 2	:	Gujarat Urban Development Company Limited
Represented by	:	Nobody was present.
Respondent No. 3	:	Gujarat Energy Development Agency
Represented by	:	Ld. Adv. Ms. Khyati Chugh
Respondent No. 4	:	Climate Change Department, Govt. of Gujarat
Represented by	:	Nobody was present.
Respondent No. 5	:	Urban Development & Urban Housing Department, Government of Gujarat
Represented by	:	Nobody was present.

CORAM:
Pankaj Joshi, Chairman
Hiren Shah, Member
Jatin N. Thakkar, Member

Date: 11/09/2026.

ORDER

1. The present Petition has been filed by the Petitioner Goodwatts WTE Jamnagar Pvt. Limited seeking compensatory tariff and revision of total tariff to INR 13.53/kWh (for the FY 2023-24), with effect from 01.11.2024 and escalation in the variable costs (including O&M costs, fuel costs, etc.) thereof annually at the rate of 8.5% p.a. for the 7.5 MW RDF based waste-to energy project of the Petitioner located at Jamnagar to compensate the Petitioner from unprecedented cost escalation.

2. The Petitioner has *inter alia* sought the following reliefs in Petition No. 2410 of 2024.

    a) *Admit the present Petition.*

    b) *Hold and declare that the Petitioner is entitled to total tariff at the rate of INR 13.53/kWh (for the FY 2023-24) with effect from 01.11.2024 and escalation in the variable costs (including O&M costs, fuel costs, etc.,) thereof annually at the rate of 8.5% p.a. and pass consequential reliefs.*

    c) *Direct Respondent No. 5 (UDD) or Respondent No. 2 GUDC [as may be decided by Respondent No. 5 i.e., UDD] to make additional payment in form of compensatory tariff of INR 6.46/kWh over and above the existing tariff of Rs. 7.07/kWh being paid by Respondent No. 1 of INR 6.31/kWh and Rs. 0.76/kWh being paid by the Respondent No. 4 (CCD) as per the PPA dated 30.05.2018.*

    d) *Devise Regulatory mechanism to compensate the Petitioner by exercising the regulatory power to effectively offset adverse impact of*

the cost escalation on account of factors enumerated in present Petition by appropriately and adequately determining the project specific tariff of the Petitioner in present facts and circumstances.

e) Exercise regulatory power to adjudicate the present matter and to allow the prayers as sought above, and

f) Pass any such other Orders as this Hon'ble Commission may deem fit and just in the present scenario.

3. The present matter was listed for hearing on 08.09.2026. During the hearing, Ld. Advocate appearing on behalf of the Petitioner, submitted that the Petitioner does not want to pursue the present matter in light of another Petition No. 2700 of 2026 filed by them before the Commission based on subsequent development and therefore, the Petitioner wants to withdraw the present Petition unconditionally and also agreed to file affidavit of withdrawal of the present Petition for which one week's time has been sought.

4. Ld. Adv. Ms. Shrishti Khindaria, appearing on behalf of the Respondent GUVNL submitted that the Respondent GUVNL has no objection to the unconditional withdrawal of the present Petition as sought by the Petitioner.

5. Heard the parties. We note that when the matter was called out for hearing, nobody was present on behalf of the Respondents No. 2, 4 & 5. We further note that these Respondents have neither remained present during today's proceedings nor made any written communication explaining their inability to remain present. We note the submissions of the Petitioner that the Petitioner does not want to pursue the present matter in view of another Petition No. 2700 of 2026 filed by them before the Commission and that the Petitioner has agreed to file affidavit within one week for unconditional withdrawal of the present Petition, to which the Respondents have no objection. In view of the above and recording the

statements made by the counsels of the Petitioner as well as the Respondent and subject to filing of affidavit for unconditional withdrawal of the present Petition by the Petitioner within a week's time, we decide to dispose of the present Petition as unconditional withdrawal by the Petitioner.

6. With this, the present Petition stands disposed of.

7. Order accordingly.

Sd/-	**Sd/-**	**Sd/-**
[Jatin N. Thakkar]	**[Hiren Shah]**	**[Pankaj Joshi]**
Member	**Member**	**Chairman**

Place: Gandhinagar.

Date: 11/09/2026.