

**GUJARAT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
GANDHINAGAR**

Order No. 05 of 2025

CORAM:

Shri Mehul M. Gandhi, Member
Shri S.R.Pandey, Member

Date: 11 /11/2025

In the matter of:

Determination of Average Pooled Power Purchase Cost (APPC) for the Financial Year 2024-25 – reg.

1. The GERC (Procurement of Power from Renewable Energy Sources) (First Amendment) Regulations, 2014 provides for determination of APPC on annual basis. The relevant regulations of the said Regulations are reproduced below:

“2.1 (aa) ‘Average Power Purchase Cost’ means the weighted average pooled price at which the distribution licensee has purchased the electricity including cost of self-generation, if any, in the previous year from all the energy suppliers long-term and short-term, but excluding those based on renewable energy sources, as the case may be.”

“5.4: The Commission shall determine the ‘Average Power Purchase Cost’ of the distribution licensee concerned on annual basis. The Average Power Purchase Cost determined by the Commission shall be required to be paid by the distribution licensee when the distribution licensee purchases the electrical component of the renewable energy projects registered under the REC scheme notified by the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission.”

2. The Commission vide Order No. 4 of 2024 dated 28.08.2024 has determined the Average Pooled Power Purchase Cost (APPC) for FY 2022-23, applicable for FY 2023-24 for different licensees separately.

3. The Commission now determines the APPC for the year 2023-24, applicable for FY 2024-25. The state has different distribution licensees which are purchasing different quantum of electricity at different price from different sources. Hence, the APPC is determined for different licensees separately. Since the licensee such as Aspenpark Infra procured power from the State distribution licensees, the APPC of these licensees are not determined. Further, the Commission has observed that the licensees, Deendayal Port Authority (DPA) and Jubilant Infrastructure Ltd. (JIL) have filed their Tariff Applications for FY 2025-26, comprising of Truing up for FY 2023-24 late, and hence the Tariff Orders in the said Applications are pending before the Commission. Accordingly, the APPC of DPA and JIL are not determined. Additionally, the True up for TPL-Dholera for FY 2023-24 has been deferred vide the Tariff Order dated 08.07.2025 in Case No. 2429 of 2024. The APPC of TPL-Dholera, therefore, is not determined.

Hence, the following order:

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4. In exercise of the powers conferred under Clause 5.4 of the GERC (Procurement of Energy from Renewable Sources) (First Amendment) Regulations, 2014, the Gujarat Electricity Regulatory Commission hereby determines the APPC for FY 2023-24, applicable for FY 2024-25 for different licensees separately, as tabulated below:

Particulars	Calculation of APPC for FY 2024-25 based on data for FY 2023-24					
	GUVNL	TPL-Distribution	TPL-Dahej**	MUL**	GIFT PCL**	Total for the State
MUs						
Gross Power Purchase	1,24,923.52	12,948.37	798.88	679.11	45.56	1,39,395.44
Less: Wind	7,689.57	875.61	24.46	55.16	-	8,644.80
Less: Solar	9,950.38	403.00	8.64	0.27	1.39	10,363.68
Less: Other Renewables	119.23	-	-	0.10	5.08	124.41
Less: REC	-	-	-	-	-	-
Less: Transmission Charges (TC)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Less: UI	765.00	49.24	9.41	2.74	2.88	706.21
Less: Rebate	-	-	-	-	-	-

Calculation of APPC for FY 2024-25 based on data for FY 2023-24						
Particulars	GUVNL	TPL-Distribution	TPL-Dahej**	MUL**	GIFT PCL**	Total for the State
MUs						
Less: Sale of Power	42.92	-	-	-	-	42.92
Less: Purchase from State Discoms	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net Power Purchase	1,07,886.43	11,620.51	756.36	626.32	36.21	1,20,925.83
Particulars	Cost (Rs. Crore)					
Gross Power Purchase	68,733.43	9,506.88	532.39	325.91	27.62	79,126.23
Less: Wind	2,734.23	416.51	12.01	14.75	-	3,177.51
Less: Solar	3,712.39	281.78	6.43	0.17	0.85	4,001.63
Less: Other Renewables	52.37	0.80	0.07	0.08	3.12	56.44
Less: REC	9.85	-	-	0.03	-	9.87
Less: Transmission Charges (TC)	8,214.61	394.41	61.29	0.18	-	8,670.49
Less: UI	231.70	-	-	3.78	2.87	232.61
Less: Rebate	1,088.98	19.83	0.11	5.12	-	1,114.03
Less: Other Payments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Less: Sale of Power	42.14	-	-	-	-	42.14
Less: Purchase from State Discoms	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net Power Purchase	53,110.57	8,393.55	452.48	309.35	20.77	62,286.72
Particulars	APPC for FY 2023-24 (Rs./Unit)					
APPC (Rs./Unit)	4.92	7.22	5.98	4.94	5.74	5.15

(* The above APPC shall be subject to a ceiling of APPC of the State.

** The details are based on Tariff Petition / Tariff Orders / Additional Supporting Documents)

5. We order accordingly.

Sd/-

[S.R. Pandey]
Member

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[Mehul M. Gandhi]
Member

Place: Gandhinagar

Date: 11/11/2025