

**PUNJAB STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
**SITE NO. 3, BLOCK B, SECTOR 18-A MADHYA MARG, CHANDIGARH**

Petition No. 52 of 2024  
Date of Hearing: 18.02.2025  
Date of Order: 19.02.2025

Petition under Section 94 and other relevant provisions of the Electricity Act 2003 read with condition No. 24 of the General conditions of tariff contained in tariff order for the year 2020-21 and similar condition(s) in the tariff orders for the years 2019-20 passed by this Hon'ble Commission and other relevant rules and Regulations as approved by Hon'ble Commission including 64, 68, 69, 70, 71 and 72 and other relevant provisions of Chapter XIII of the Conduct of Business Regulations 2005 as amended up to dated and regulations 44 to 47 of the Supply Code, 2014 for clarifying /Interpreting the provisions of the tariff orders for the year 2019-20 and 2020-21 to the effect that 25% increased energy charges shall not be levied upon petitioner Hospital being run by charitable institutions covered under Section 80-G of Income Tax Act, 1961, once the Petitioner hospital has not been provided uninterrupted power supply and in light of the order dated 27.08.2024 passed by the Hon'ble APTEL, New Delhi in Appeal No. 925 of 2023 and I.A. No. 2412 of 2023, titled as PSPCL vs. International Hospital.

And

In the matter of: Dayanand Medical College and Hospital, Civil Lines Ludhiana-141001, Punjab through its Chief Electrical Engineer, Sh. Raj Kumar Goyal, (email: rk\_goyal@dmch.edu)

...Petitioner

Versus

1. Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, having its office at the Mall, Patiala-147001, through its Chairman-cum-Managing Director.
2. Deputy Chief Engineer, City East Circle, PSPCL, Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana.
3. Senior Executive Engineer, City West Division, Fountain chowk, Ludhiana.
4. Assistant Executive Engineer, Commercial, City East Division, Special PSPCL, Ludhiana

...Respondents

Commission: Sh.Viswajeet Khanna, Chairperson  
Sh. Paramjeet Singh, Member

Petitioner: Sh. Aditya Grover, Advocate (through VC)

PSPCL: Ms. Swapna Seshadri, Advocate (through VC)  
Sh. Ajay Bansal, Dy.CE/TR-2

Sh. Gurmanpreet Singh, ASE/West

**ORDER**

The petition was taken up for hearing on admission. PSPCL has filed its reply on the maintainability of the petition, vide memo no. 5262 dated 17.02.2025. Vide order dated 05.12.2024, PSPCL was directed to file its reply on the maintainability of the petition within two weeks. However, PSPCL has filed its reply only on 17.02.2025 after a considerable delay. The delay in filing the reply by the parties stands as a hurdle in the expeditious disposal of the cases and PSPCL is directed to strictly adhere to the timelines for filing the reply(s). The Ld. Counsel for the petitioner requested for time to file rejoinder to the reply filed by PSPCL. The same may be filed within two weeks with a copy to PSPCL.

The petition shall be taken up for hearing on admission on 30.04.2025 at 11:30 AM.

Sd/-  
(Paramjeet Singh)  
Member

Sd/-  
(Viswajeet Khanna)  
Chairperson

Chandigarh  
Dated: 19.02.2025