PUNJAB STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

SITE NO. 3, BLOCK B, SECTOR 18-A, MADHYA MARG, CHANDIGARH

Petition No. 55 of 2021 Date of Order: 30.09.2021

Determination of Additional Surcharge under Section 42 (4) of the Electricity Act, 2003, read with Regulation 27 of the PSERC (Terms and Conditions for Intra-state Open Access) Regulations, 2011 to be made applicable on the open access consumers availing power from the sources other than Punjab State Power Corporation Limited from 01.10.2021 to 31.03.2022.

AND

In the matter of: Punjab State Power Corporation Limited,

The Mall Patiala

Present: Sh. Viswajeet Khanna, Chairperson

Ms. Anjuli Chandra, Member

Sh. Paramjeet Singh, Member

ORDER

PSPCL has filed the present petition for determination of Additional Surcharge for H2 of FY 2021-22 i.e. from 01.10.2021 to 31.03.2022. After considering the averments made in the petition, petition is admitted. As public interest is involved, public notice inviting objections/suggestions as required under Regulation 67 of the PSERC (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2005 be also issued.

Vide Order dated 03.05.2021 passed by the Commission in petition No. 19 of 2021, additional surcharge payable by open access consumers is applicable for the period upto 30.09.2021. Therefore, it is necessary to fix the provisional Additional

Surcharge till it is finally determined by the Commission for the period from 01.10.2021 to 31.03.2022.

Since the Order dated 03.05.2021 in Petition No. 19 of 2021 determining the Additional Surcharge payable by open access consumers is applicable for the period up to 30.09.2021, the Commission decides to continue with the same provisionally during H2 of FY 2021-22, till the final order for Additional Surcharge for the period of 01.10.2021 to 31.03.2022 is issued by the Commission. As and when the Order for Additional Surcharge for the period of 01.10.2021 to 31.03.2022 is issued, the same shall become applicable from the date as mentioned therein and will have overriding effect on this Order.

The petition shall be taken up for hearing as well as public hearing on 27.10.2021 at 11.00 AM.

Sd/-(Paramjeet Singh) Member Sd/-(Viswajeet Khanna) Chairperson

Chandigarh

Dated: 30.09.2021