COURT OF THE LOK PAL (OMBUDSMAN), ELECTRICITY, PUNJAB, PLOT NO. A-2, INDUSTRIAL AREA, PHASE-1, S.A.S. NAGAR (MOHALI).

(Application under Regulation 3.26 of PSERC (Forum and Ombudsman) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2020 for non-implementation of order dated 31.01.2025 in Appeal No. A-15/2024).

APPLICATION No. 01/2025 Proceedings Dated: 17.04.2025

In the Matter of:

M/s. Aarti Steels International Limited, Village-Harhian, Machhiwara Road, Ludhiana. Contract Account Number: 3008358000 (LS)

... Applicant

Versus

Addl. Superintending Engineer, DS Division, PSPCL, Samrala.

...Respondent

Present For:

Applicant:

Sh. Krishan Kumar, Applicant's Representative.

Respondent :

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Er. Kanwal Preet Singh Sidhu, Additional Superintending Engineer, DS Division, PSPCL, Samrala.

 Er. Preet Singh/, AEE, DS Sub Division, PSPCL, Machhiwara.

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The order dated 31.01.2025 of this Court in Appeal No. A-15 of 2024 was required to be implemented by the Addl. SE/DS Division, PSPCL, Samrala (Respondent) within 21 days of receipt of this order as per Regulation 3.26 of PSERC (Forum and Ombudsman) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2020. The Applicant has filed an application under Regulation 3.26 in this Court on 24.03.2025 that the decision had not been implemented by the Respondent till date and proceedings be initiated against the Respondent. The application was sent to the Respondent with a request to intimate the current status of implementation of decision dated 31.01.2025 of this Court under intimation to the Applicant vide letter nos. 179-180/OEP/CO-01/2025 dated 24.03.2025. Thereafter, a hearing was fixed in this Court for 17.04.2025 and intimation to this effect was sent to both the parties vide letter nos. 228-229/OEP/CO-01/2025 dated 11.04.2025.

Today, during hearing, the Respondent informed this Court vide Memo No. 2275 dated 16.04.2025 that they have approached the Supreme Court of India against the order in LPA-509 & 510 of 2015. The Supreme Court of India has vide order dated 21.03.2025 (uploaded on site dated 07.04.2025) to approach the Punjab and Haryana High Court for "Review Petition". As per order of the Supreme Court of India, the Legal Department, PSPCL has given the legal opinion to file the "Review Petition" before the Punjab and Haryana High Court. The Respondent has requested this Court to allow him time. As such, time is granted.

The next date of hearing is fixed for **28.04.2025 at 12.30 PM**. Both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing.

