

**ANDHRA PRADESH POWER GENERATION CORPORATION LIMITED**  
**ABSTRACT**

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APGENCO- Sharing of Expenditure of Southern Regional Power Committee, (CEA) Bangalore by Members of SRPC-Order-Issued.

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G.OO.No. 342 /Generation-I/2006.

Date: 28.09.2006.

Read the following:

Chief Engineer, Elec.,/Generation-I Note dated:02.09.06 &14.09.06

**ORDER:**

- 1) Note cited above is circulated by Chief Engineer/Gen-I in connection with sharing of Expenditure of SRPC ,CEA, Bangalore by members of SRPC and content of the note is as follows:
  - a) The Government of India under Electricity Act 2003 has established Regional Power Committees [RPC] in India in place of Regional Electricity Boards [REB]. Government of India under the provision of section 2, sub section 55 of the Electricity Act 2003 vide resolution F.No 23/1/2004 -R&R dated 25<sup>th</sup> May 2005 and subsequent amendment 29<sup>th</sup> Nov 2005 published in the Gazette of India has established the Southern Regional Power Committee [SRPC] comprising the states of Kerala, Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Tamilnadu and Union Territory of Pandicherry and the Head Quarters of SRPC located at Bangalore.
  - b) The functions of SRPC are
    - Agree on matters concerning the stability and smooth operation of the integrated grid.
    - Economy and efficiency in the operation of the power system in the Southern Region.
    - To coordinate planning of maintenance of generating machines of various generating companies of the region including those of inter-state generating companies supplying electricity to the Region on annual basis and also undertake review maintenance program on monthly basis.
  - c) As per the above Resolution every generating company and its representative as a member which has established a Generating Station in the Region would be represented and as per the further amendment on 29<sup>th</sup> Nov 2005, para 3 of above resolution, from each of the states in the region, the State Generating company, Transmission Utility (STU), State Load Dispatch Center (SLDC) and One Distribution company by rotation (where more than one company exists) would be represented. Every independent power producer (IPP) having more than 1000MW installed capacity in the region should have one representative each.
  - d) According to above resolution and subsequent amendment, APGENCO as a generating company in the state of Andhra Pradesh, has become part of SRPC and Managing Director as a member for the committee.

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- e) After formation of SOUTHERN REGIONAL POWER COMMITTEE (SRPC) Ist meeting was held at Chennai on 06.06.2006 and under minutes of meeting 4.10 for reimbursement of SRPC secretariat as follows:
- f) Presently, the expenses incurred on the salary of staff and other expenses of SRPC secretariat are met from the budget funds of **Central Electricity Authority**. As per the clause 8 of Government of India Resolution dated 25.05.05, the SRPC shall have a secretariat of its own which will be headed by Member secretary of the committee. The Member secretary as well as other staff of the secretariat shall be provided by the central electricity authority in the manner as was done to the erstwhile Southern Regional Electricity Board. In letter No: 6/10/90-Trans dated 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2006 from under secretary, Ministry of Power, The following has been stated:
- g) *As regards the proposal of CEA as contained in their letter No:1/2/1998-PA(CEA),dated the 3<sup>rd</sup> January ,2006 I am directed to say that as per the decision taken in the meeting held in the chambers of Joint secretary (transmission)on 15<sup>th</sup> February ,2006 the activities of the Regional Power committee(RPCs) will be fully financed by the constituent members of the RPCs w.e.f.1<sup>st</sup> April,2006.The man power of the secretariat will be provided by the CEA to RPCs on an independent cost centre basis, by collecting the entire expenditure including that of establishment from constituents of RPCs as already decided in this regard.*
- h) Further under secretary, Ministry of Power, Govt .of India letter dated 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2006 had stated under:  
*For transission period of six months the establishment expenditure of RPC would be met out of the budget of the CEA and same will be reimbursed by the constituent members of RPCs. Meanwhile, the constituents of RPCs will finalise the share of expenditure to be borne by the constituents of RPCs so that the RPCs become self financing. The Expenditure meted out from the budget and contribution of share by the constituent members will be reviewed by the Ministry of power, every quarter."*
- i) In this direction SRPC in the reference cited above informed that the sanctioned budget for the SRPC secretariat under various heads of Account for 2006-07 is Rs 1,54,74,000 and for the first quarter up to June ,2006 it works out to Rs 38,68,500.The amount per member is accordingly Rs 1,75,841 for the first quarter of financial year 2006-07.
- j) The actual payable for the financial year by each member is subject to adjustment as per actuals by the end of this financial year 2006-07.
- k) As a member of SRPC, APGENCO shall have to pay an amount of Rs1, 75,841 for the first quarter up to June 2006 and approximately Rs 8.00 Lakhs for the financial Year 2006-07.
- 2) Further, in the note cited above The Chief Engineer /Generation-I requested to accord approval for the proposal and to arrange payments by Pay officer/APGENCO on quarterly basis to Pay and Accounts Officer, CEA, Bangalore.

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3) Andhra Pradesh Power Generation Corporation Limited (APGENCO), after careful Consideration, here by accords approval for the proposal of the Chief Engineer, Eley.,/Generation-I in the Note cited above for arranging payments to **Pay and Accounts Officer, CEA, Bangalore**, in connection with sharing of expenditure of SRPC by members of SRPC as follows:

- a) Payments shall be made on quarterly basis for the financial year 2006-07, as per amounts raised by SRPC.
- b) An amount of Rs 1,75,841/- shall be paid **for the first quarter ending June-2006.**

The above payments shall be made by Pay Officer/ APGENCO as per the bills / documents attested by Chief Engineer/Generation-I/ APGENCO / VS / Hyd.

4) This Order is issued with concurrence of Director/Finance vide his U.O.NO: 420 Dt 18.09.06.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF ANDHRA PRADESH POWER GENERATION CORPORATION LIMITED)

AJAY JAIN  
MANAGING DIRECTOR

To  
The Chief Engineer/Generation-I  
Vidyut Soudha, Hyd-82.

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// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

 28/9/06  
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL ENGINEER