

LIST OF ISSUES IN THE MATTER OF PUBLIC HEARINGS REGARDING REVISED REQUEST OF K-ELECTRIC TO ALLOW OPEN COMPETITIVE BIDDING FOR RFP FOR DEVELOPMENT OF (I) 120 MW & (II) 150 MW SOLAR PROJECTS AT DEH HALKANI, DISTRICT WEST AND DEH METHA GHAR, DISTRICT MALIR RESPECTIVLY UNDER NEPRA ELECTRIC POWER PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2022 (NEPPR-2022)

- i. Whether the request of K-Electric for open competitive bidding under NEPPR-2022 is justified?
- ii. What would be the mechanism for assessment and approval of prudent tariff for the project after processing the project under open competitive bidding?
- iii. Whether optimization in an iteration of IGCEP means confirmation of the signing of PPA even if there is a possibility of the project not being optimized in subsequent years in IGCEP because of low demand/low GDP?
- iv. Whether the proposal of KE to hold upto 49% of equity share in the SPV is prudent and in compliance with Regulation 9(1) of NEPPR- 2022?
- v. Whether the proposed BOOT regime for the development of the project is justified?
- vi. Whether the technical and financial evaluation criteria as proposed in the RFP is justified?
- vii. Whether the proposed construction period is justified?
- viii. Whether the proposed cost of land in the RFP, is justified?
- ix. Whether the proposed indexation mechanism is justified?
- x. Whether the treatment of the income tax, if applicable, as proposed in the RFP is justified?
- xi. Whether the instant project is included in PAP and is in compliance of section 6 (5) of NEPPR-2022?
- xii. Whether the timelines to be followed for auction are in accordance with the approved PAP as per section 8 (2) of NEPPR-2022?
- xiii. Whether as per section 8 (3) of NEPPR-2022, the investment for connection and infrastructure development are approved in TSEP investment program?
- xiv. Whether KE has complied with the principles for competitive auctions as stipulated in section 12 of NEPPR-2022?
- xv. Whether the eligibility criteria for pre-qualification of the bidder is justified and in compliance with section 13 of the NEPPR-2022?
- xvi. Whether the contents of RFP are in compliance with section 15 of NEPPR-2022?
- xvii. Whether the proposed auction and evaluation committees are in compliance with section 17 of NEPPR-2022?
- xviii. Any other issue with the approval of the Authority