

भारत सरकार Government of India विद्युत मंत्रालय Ministry of Power केंद्रीय विद्युत प्राधिकरण Central Electricity Authority विद्युत प्रणाली योजना एवं मुल्यांकन प्रभाग-11

Power System Planning & Appraisal Division-II

सेवा में / To,

Shri Arvind Patle, AGM (SO & Commercial), NTPC Vidyut Vyapar Nigam Limited, 5th Floor, EOC, A-8A, Sector-24, Noida-201301

विषय / Subject: Approval of Designated Authority for import of power from Upper Chameliya Hydro Power Project, Nepal through NVVN in Indian power exchange(s) -reg.

महोदय /Sir.

This has reference to NTPC Vidyut Vyapar Nigam Limited (NVVN) application No. NVVN/CommDA/Upper Chameliya dated 18.03.2024 seeking approval of Designated Authority (DA) for import of upto 38.8 MW of power from Upper Chameliya Hydro Power Project, Nepal through NVVN in Indian Power Exchange(s) (PX) – {Both Day Ahead Market (DAM) and Real Time Market (RTM)} for a period from 1st July, 2024 – 30th June, 2025

- 1. Key aspects of the proposed transactions are as under:
 - a) Quantum proposed: upto 38.8 MW (Power Exchange- Both DAM and RTM)
 - b) Time period: 1st July, 2024 30th June, 2025
 - c) Injection point: Tanakpur end of Tanakpur-Mahendranagar 132 kV S/c line
 - d) Name of the Generating Station: Upper Chameliya Hydro Power Project
 - e) Name of the Generating Company: Api Power Company Limited
- 2. The matter has been examined in accordance with the Guidelines for Import/Export (Cross Border) of Electricity- 2018 and Procedure for Approval and facilitating Import/Export (Cross Border) of Electricity. Based on the concurrence from MoP, approval of Designated Authority is hereby conveyed to NTPC Vidyut Vyapar Nigam Limited (NVVN) for import of upto 38.8 MW of power from Upper Chameliya Hydro

Power Project, Nepal through NVVN in Indian Power Exchange(s) (PX) — (Both Day Ahead Market (DAM) and Real Time Market (RTM)} for a period from 1st July, 2024 – 30th June, 2025.

- 3. This approval is subject to the following conditions:
 - (a) Real time generation data (MW, MVAR, etc.) and daily energy generation (MWh) of the Upper Chameliya Hydro Power Project shall be made available to NLDC, India.
 - (b) In case, there is a change in the equity pattern of Api Power Company Limited, NVVN shall intimate the Designated Authority within thirty (30) days from such change in equity pattern for continuation of the approval.
 - (c) Govt. of India reserves the right to import/ export electricity from/ to neighbouring countries for reason of larger policy interests, and same shall be binding on the Participating Entity.
 - (d) Scheduling of power from the generating station to Indian power exchanges shall be restricted to capacity available in transmission line.
 - (e) NVVN and other participating entities, involved in this transaction, shall comply with the applicable Rules/Guidelines/Regulations/Standards of Government of India/CEA/CERC. The grant of approval by the Designated Authority for participation in Import/Export (Cross Border) of Electricity shall not entitle NVVN any rights or extra privileges over and above the applicable laws.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

(बी.एस.बैरवा / B.S. Bairwa)

मुख्य अभियन्ता (इंचार्ज)/Chief Engineer I/C And Nodal officer to the DA

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- 1. JS (Trans.), Ministry of Power, SS Bhawan, New Delhi
- 2. ED, NLDC- may ensure availability of generation data at NLDC, before scheduling.
- CGM, NVVN (as SNA) for necessary action as per the guidelines
- 4. US (Nepal), MEA