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Ministry of Power
केन्द्रीय विद्युत प्राधिकरण
Central Electricity Authority
विद्युत प्रणाली योजना एवं मूल्यांकन प्रभाग-II
Power System Planning & Appraisal Division-II

सेवा में/To

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

विषय/ Sub: Approval of Designated Authority for export of power to NEA, Nepal through Tanakpur-Mahendranagar 132 kV S/c transmission line from Indian Power Exchanges(s) -reg.

महोदय/Sir,

This has reference to NVVN application no. NVVN/Comml/DA Approval/ dated 04.12.2023 seeking approval of Designated Authority (DA) for export of upto 54 MW of power to Nepal Electricity Authority (NEA), Nepal, from Indian Power Exchange(s) – {Both Day Ahead Market (DAM) and Real Time Market (RTM)} through Tanakpur-Mahendranagar 132 kV S/c line for a period from 1st April, 2024 to 31st March, 2025.

1. Key aspects of the proposed transactions are as under:
 - (i) Quantum proposed: upto 54 MW (Power Exchange -Both DAM and RTM)
 - (ii) Time period: 1st April, 2024 to 31st March, 2025.
 - (iii) Drawal point: 132 kV Tanakpur end of Tanakpur- Mahendranagar Line
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


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Limited (NVTN) for export of upto 54 MW of power to Nepal Electricity Authority (NEA), Nepal, from Indian Power Exchange(s) – {Both Day Ahead Market (DAM) and Real Time Market (RTM)} through Tanakpur-Mahendranagar 132 kV S/c line for a period from 1st April, 2024 to 30th June, 2024 during Solar Hours.

3. This approval is subject to the following conditions:

- a) The approval shall not be clubbed with other transactions while bidding/scheduling etc.
- b) 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.
- c) NVTN 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 NVTN any rights or extra privileges over and above the applicable laws.
- d) Export of power to Nepal by NVTN for the period from 1st April, 2024 to 30th June, 2024 shall be restricted to Solar-hours only.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,



23/03/2024

(राकेश गोयल/ Rakesh Goyal)

मुख्य अभियन्ता/Chief Engineer and Nodal Officer to the DA

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1. Director (Trans.), Ministry of Power, SS Bhawan, New Delhi
2. ED, NLDC
3. US (Nepal), MEA
4. CGM, NVTN (as SNA) – for necessary action as per the guidelines