

**JOINT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
(FOR THE STATE OF GOA AND UNION TERRITORIES)
GURUGRAM**

CORAM:
Shri Alok Tandon, Chairperson

**Petition No.: 180/2026
Diary No.: 26953/2026
Date of Hearing: 09.07.2026
Date of Order: 09.07.2026**

In the matter of:

Application for Grant of License for Transmission of Electricity at Great Nicobar Island under Section 14 and Section 15 of the Electricity Act, 2003, read with the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for the State of Goa and Union Territories (Transmission and Distribution Licensing) Regulations, 2020.

And in the matter of:

NTPC Electric Supply Company Limited
NTPC Bhawan, Core 7, SCOPE Complex, 7,
Institutional Area, Lodi Road, New Delhi- 110003

.....Petitioner

Present: -

For the Petitioner:

1. Shri Devendra Goel, CEO, NESCL

INTERIM ORDER

1. Heard the Petitioner at length.
2. The Petitioner submitted that, pursuant to the direction of the Commission in Interim Order dated 05.05.2026, the Petitioner under Regulation 12 of JERC (Transmission and Distribution) Regulations, 2020 has published the application for grant of license in Andaman Nicobar Dweep Samachar (Hindi) on 14.05.2026 and Daily Telegram (English) on 16.05.2026 as well as on the website of Petitioner and the copies of the above documents have been filed with the Commission on 23.06.2026 through an affidavit. The affidavit filed by the Petitioner is taken on record.

3. It is observed that, in terms of Regulation 15 of the JERC (Transmission and Distribution) Regulations, 2020, any person intending to object/suggest to the grant of the Transmission license has to file objections/suggestions within thirty (30) days from the date of issuance of the first advertisement. The period of 30 days has elapsed and no objection/suggestion has been received till date in the Commission. The Petitioner is directed to submit an affidavit informing the Commission that no objection/suggestion has been received by the Petitioner from any person.
4. Now, the Commission is considering to grant the transmission license to the Petitioner under Section 14 of the Electricity Act, 2003. Accordingly, before the license is granted, the Secretary of the Commission shall take appropriate steps for publishing of notice in two local newspapers as well as uploading the Application form of the Petitioner/Applicant on the Commission's website as stipulated under Section 15(5) of the Electricity Act, 2003 and Regulation 17.3 of the JERC (Transmission and Distribution) Regulations, 2020.
5. List the matter thereafter.
Ordered accordingly.

Sd/-
(Alok Tandon)
Chairperson

(Certified Copy)



(Rajesh Dangi)
Secretary (I/c)

Place: Gurugram, Haryana

Date: 9th July, 2026