

**BEFORE  
THE UTTAR PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**ORDER**

**In the matter of: Extension of One Time Settlement Scheme Passed Through The Commission's Order dated 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 2004**

**And**

**In the Matter of: UP Power Corporation Limited, Shakti Bhawan, 14- Ashok Marg, Lucknow.**

The Commission vide its order dated 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 2004 approved the introduction of One Time Settlement Scheme for year 2004-05. The scheme was applicable upto 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2005. Subsequent to it, UPPCL, vide its letter No. 165/PCL/CU-2/OTS dated 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2005, sought an extension of the scheme till 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2005 on the ground that there are many consumers who have got themselves registered but have not received revised bills. It has also been averred that the said extension would significantly enhance the revenue realization of the corporation.

In response of the same, the Commission vide its letter No. UPERC/Secy./030/2005 dated 28<sup>th</sup> January, 2005, asked the corporation to provide details of progress/benefits of extension of the scheme on an affidavit along with the decision of Board of Directors. UPPCL furnished the said request for extension on an affidavit dated 29<sup>th</sup> January, 2005 along with the relevant decision of Board of Directors. Although UP Power Corporation Limited had failed to provide expected benefits from the extension of the scheme along with complete justification, the Commission however, approved the extension of scheme up to 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2005 with extension of new registration upto 15<sup>th</sup> February, 2005 keeping in view UPPCL's likely revenue realization and interest of consumers .

UPPCL has once again sought an extension of the above scheme till 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2005 with date of registration upto 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2005. The affidavit filed before the Commission in this regard submits that such an extension will facilitate remaining consumers also to get enrolled in the scheme, which will enhance revenue realization.

The Commission recognizes that it has a role to improve licensees' financial viability and therefore, although complete justification has not been provided, the Commission approves the sought extension as the revenue realization in the current scheme has gone up significantly ie from Rs. 32 crore to Rs. 92 crore in the month of January 2005 alone.

The scheme shall remain applicable in the supply areas of Paschimanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited, Poorvanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited, Dakshinanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited, Madhyanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited and Kanpur Electricity Supply Company Limited.

(R. D. Gupta)  
Member

(P.N. Pathak)  
Member

(Vijoy Kumar)  
Chairman

Dated :15<sup>th</sup> February, 2005  
Place : Lucknow