



THE UTTAR PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

LUCKNOW

Petition No. 71SM of 2025

QUORUM

Hon'ble Shri Arvind Kumar, Chairman

Hon'ble Shri Sanjay Kumar Singh, Member

Hon'ble Shri Griesh Kumar Vaish, Member (Law)

IN THE MATTER OF

Non-compliance of UPERC (Promotion of Green Energy through Renewable Purchase Obligation) Regulations, 2010.

AND

IN THE MATTER OF

Uttar Pradesh New & Renewable Energy Development Agency (UPNEDA),

(Through its Director), Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow-226010

..... Respondent

THE FOLLOWING WERE PRESENT

1. Shri Girish Kumar, Senior Energy Consultant, UPNEDA
2. Shri Divyanshu Bhatt, Advocate, UPNEDA
3. Shri Abhyaditya Singh, Advocate, UPNEDA

ORDER

(DATE OF HEARING: 01.10.2026)

1. The UPERC (Promotion of Green Energy through Renewable Purchase Obligation) Regulations, 2010 (hereinafter referred to as "RPO Regulations") were notified on 17th August 2010 by the Commission. As per the Regulation 8.1, "State Agency" is the agency in the State as designated by the Commission. Accordingly, UPNEDA was designated as the State Agency by the Commission. Further, the State Agency and its





functions were provided in Regulation 8, whereas Regulation 8.5 provides for monitoring of compliance with RPO trajectory by the obligated entities.

2. In its Order dated 15.07.2026, the Commission had allowed the request made by UPNEDA that they may be permitted to issue one final notice to the remaining defaulting obligated entities granting them final opportunity to comply with the provisions of the RPO Regulations and immediately upon expiry of the period granted under the final notice, all entities which continue to remain in default shall be proceeded against by initiation of appropriate proceedings under Section 142 of the Electricity Act, 2003 before this Commission, without any further delay.
3. UPNEDA filed a compliance affidavit dated 30.09.2026, wherein it has submitted that against the total 472 obligated entities, 443 have uploaded their annual RPO data for FY 2025-26 whereas 352 entities, in addition to the above, have also uploaded their RPO data for the first quarter(Q1) of FY 2026-27. UPNEDA has further stated that, out of the data uploaded it, after verification of the information available, has submitted the annual RPO compliance report (FY 2025-26) for 434 entities and quarterly compliance report (Q1 of FY 2026-27) for 340 entities before the Commission.
4. UPNEDA, in its affidavit dated 30.09.2026, has submitted the following status of compliance:

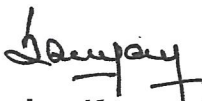
S.No.	Particulars	Count
1	Total identified Obligated Entities	472
2	Entities which have uploaded annual RPO Data for FY 25-26	443
3	Entities for which annual RPO Compliance Report (FY 2025-26) submitted before the Commission	434
4	Entities which have uploaded quarterly RPO Data for Q1 FY 26-27	352
5	Entities for which quarterly RPO Compliance Report (Q1 of FY 2026-27) submitted before the Commission	340





5. It has further been submitted that substantial progress has been achieved owing to the continuous monitoring and efforts undertaken by UPNEDA nevertheless, a limited number of obligated entities continue to remain non-compliant despite repeated communications. UPNEDA has once again requested for an opportunity to issue one final notice to the remaining defaulting obligated entities granting them a final opportunity to comply with the provisions of the RPO Regulations and immediately upon expiry of the period granted under the final notice, all entities which continue to remain in default shall be proceeded against by initiation of appropriate proceedings under Section 142 of the Electricity Act, 2003 before this Commission.
6. Recognizing the notable progress achieved by UPNEDA, the Commission allows the request. The Commission further directs UPNEDA to publish the information prescribed in Regulation 15(f) of the UPERC (Promotion of Green Energy through Renewable Purchase Obligation) Regulation, 2010 as amended, relating to RE procurement and RPO compliance on its portal under a separate webpage, without any login requirement.
7. The next hearing is scheduled to be held on 05.01.2027.


(Griesh Kumar Vaish)
Member(Law)


(Sanjay Kumar Singh)
Member


(Arvind Kumar)
Chairman

Place: Lucknow

Dated: 08.10.2026

