



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

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 Rakesh Agrawal, SPO-I, UPNEDA
2. Shri Narendra Singh, SPO-II, UPNEDA
3. Shri Girish Kumar, UPNEDA
4. Shri Vivek Verma, Consultant Engineer, UPNEDA
5. Shri Divyanshu Bhatt, Advocate, UPNEDA
6. Shri Abhayaditya Singh, Advocate, UPNEDA
7. Shri Somesh Dinani, Advocate, UPNEDA

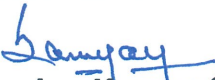
ORDER

(DATE OF HEARING: 13.11.2025)

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 these regulations, "State Agency" is the agency in the State as designated by the Commission under Regulation 8.1. Accordingly, UPNEDA was designated as the State Agency by the Commission. Further, the State Agency and its functions are 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 28.10.2025, the Commission had observed that the verification of obligated entities by the district level officers of UPNEDA had been progressing ploddingly and accordingly, had directed UPNEDA to complete the verification of remaining 43 entities and submit the compliance before the next date of hearing. The Commission had further directed UPNEDA to ensure 100% registration of all obligated entities on its RPO portal by deploying their field officers to facilitate on the spot registration of pending entities.
3. During the present hearing, counsel for UPNEDA submitted that out of the 43 entities whose compliance was pending, all 12 entities claiming not to be obligated have submitted their status wherein 1 entity still claimed not to be obligated and 1 entity being located in New Delhi did not fall within UPNEDA's jurisdiction. It was further submitted that the status of 9 entities, stated to be non-operational or closed, remained unchanged and 21 entities out of 22, that had not responded earlier, had furnished the data, while 1 entity was still unresponsive. Counsel for the Petitioner further submitted that, except for one unresponsive entity, data for the remaining 498 entities (509 less 10 entities: 9 closed and 1 outside jurisdiction) had been accounted for.
4. With regard to the Commission's Order to ensure 100% registration of all obligated entities on the RPO Portal, UPNEDA submitted that out of total 499 entities 257 had already registered on the RPO Portal out of whom 82 were already uploading data on the portal.
5. The Commission directs UPNEDA to submit the consolidated report of all 499 obligated entities and further to ensure the registration of remaining 242 (499-257) entities on the RPO Portal at the earliest.
6. The next hearing is scheduled to be held on 15.01.2026.


(Sanjay Kumar Singh)
Member


(Arvind Kumar)
Chairman

Place: Lucknow
Dated: 18.11.2025