JHARKHAND STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION RANCHI

Case No. 14 of 2011

Shri **Mukhtiar Singh**, Chairperson Shri **T. Munikrishnaiah**, Member (Tech)

Dated: **09th May 2011**

ORDER

IN THE MATTER OF

M/s Eastern Coalfields Limited Petitioner

Versus

Jharkhand State Electricity Board & another Respondents

For the Petitioner : Shri Anoop Kumar Mehta, Advocate with

Shri Deba Prasad Dutta, Chief Engineer Shri Amal Kumar Pathak, Sr. Manager Both from Eastern Coalfields Ltd.

For the Respondents : Shri Rajesh Shankar, Advocate

Shri Abhay Prakash, Advocate with Shri S.C. Mishra, Chief Engineer (C&R) Shri Sudhanshu Kumar, CE (Generation)

Both from JSEB, Ranchi

Heard the two sides.

The Commission feels that the petition of the petitioner-ECL is premature. They first have to approach the National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) to find out whether they have the power available as demanded by the petitioner-ECL and thereafter approach the State Load Despatch Centre (SLDC) and Regional Load Despatch Centre (RLDC) to find out whether the network has the capacity to transmit the power from NTPC's generating station to the premises of petitioner-ECL. Once this is done, then the Commission will be in a position to consider the petition, in question.

The petition of the petitioner-ECL is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-(T. Munikrishnaiah) Member (E) Sd/-(Mukhtiar Singh) Chairperson