

**BEFORE THE GUJARAT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION  
GANDHINAGAR**

**Suo-Motu Order No. 2 of 2015**

**Date: 18/05/2015**

**CORAM**

**Shri K. M. Shringarpure, Member  
Dr. M.K.Iyer, Member  
Shri Pravinbhai Patel, Chairman**

Extension of control period of Order No. 1 of 2012 dated 27.01.2012 in the matter of “Determination of tariff for Procurement by the Distribution Licensees and others from Solar Energy Projects”.

1. The Commission has issued its Order No. 1 of 2012 dated 27.01.2012 in the matter of “Determination of tariff for Procurement by the Distribution Licensees and others from Solar Energy Projects”.
2. In para 4.12 of the said order No. 1 of 2012, it is provided that:

***“4.12 Control Period***

*The control period proposed for the Commission’s Discussion Paper is from 29 January, 2012 to 31 March, 2015.*

***Suggestions from Objectors:***

*One of the Developers suggested that the control period should be up to 31 March, 2016. Another Developer suggested the Commission to consider delayed projects for the same tariff till commissioning is achieved with 12 months of new control period commencement date.*

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***Commission's Ruling:***

*The control period for this Tariff Order shall be from 29 January, 2012 to 31 March, 2015”.*

Moreover, under the ‘Commission’s Order’ it is stated that, “*The Commission approves the tariff for Procurement by the Distribution Licensees and others from Solar Energy Projects for the Control Period from 29 January, 2012 to 31 March, 2015.....*”.

3. The Commission has already initiated the process of determination of tariff for procurement of power by distribution licensees and others from solar energy projects for the State of Gujarat for the next control period, which may take some time and hence, as an interim arrangement, the Commission has decided to extend the control period of the Order No. 1 of 2012 dated 27.01.2012 up to 30.06.2015.
4. In view of the above, the Commission decides that the control period of the order No.1 of 2012 dated 27.01.2012 shall be extended beyond 31.03.2015 up to 30.06.2015. Tariff for the period from 1.04.2015 to 30.06.2015 shall be as determined for the last year of the previous control period, i.e. for the year 2014-15.

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**[Shri K. M. Shringarpure]**  
**MEMBER**

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**[Shri Pravinbhai Patel]**  
**CHAIRMAN**

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