KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

THIRUVANANTHAPURAM

Petition No: OP 06 / 2022

Present : Shri. Preman Dinaraj, Chairman

: Adv. A. J. Wilson, Member (Law)

In the matter of : Condonation of delay in filing the petition for Truing Up

of Accounts for the Financial year 2020-21

Petitioner : M's Kanan Devan Hills Plantations Company Private

Limited (KDHPCL), Munnar

Order Dated 08.02.2022

- 1. The instant petition is for condoning the delay in filing the petition for Truing up of accounts for the financial year 2020-21 by M/s Kanan Devan Hills Plantations Company Private Limited (KDHPCL), Munnar. As per the second proviso of Regulation 10(1) of the KSERC (Terms and Conditions for determination of Tariff) Regulations 2018, the petition for Truing Up for 2020-21 is to be filed by the licensee on or before 30-11-2021. The licensee has filed petition for Truing up of accounts for the financial year 2020-21 vide letter dated 07.12.2021 which was received on 14.12.2021 in the Office of the Commission. Since there was a delay of 13 days in filing the petition, the Commission had intimated the licensee with regard to same. The licensee vide letter dated 28th January 2022 has filed petition for condonation of delay along with prescribed fees.
- 2. The petitioner has stated that the delay in filing the petition for the truing up of accounts for the year 2020-21 was on account of the ongoing COVID 19 pandemic and requested the Commission to kindly condone the relay in filing the said petition.
- 3. The Commission has examined the matter and the reason stated by the licensee for the delay of 13 days in filing the petition for the truing up of accounts for the year 2020-21 was due to the ongoing COVID 19 pandemic, is of the view that the delay can be condoned.

Order of the Commission

4. After considering the matter in detail, the Commission hereby condones the delay of 13 days in the filing the petition and admits the petition on the Truing up of Accounts for 2020-21 of the licensee for further processing.

Sd/-**Adv. A. J. Wilson** Member (Law) Sd/-**Pre man Dinaraj**Chairman

Approved for issue Sd/-C.R.Satheesh Chandran Secretary