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NOTICE

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WHEREAS in the Writ Petition Nos. 10944 of 2021, 15030 of 2020 and 23678 of 2017 filed by M/s. Arkay Energy (Rameswaram) Ld., M/s. OPG Power Generation P. Ltd. and M/s. National Solar Energy Federation of India challenging the levy of 1% fee for the Dispute Resolution Petition by the Commission in the Fees and Fines Regulations, the Hon'ble High Court of Madras has ordered as follows:-

"Let the hearing stand over for a fortnight to enable the Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission to consider, in consultation with all stakeholders, the serious prejudice caused by the perceived excessive filing fees and the access to justice being restricted as a consequence. List on 29-09-2021."

AND WHEREAS, it has been decided by the Commission to initiate Suo Motu Proceedings to have a relook into the Fees and Fines Regulations after observing all formalities.

In view thereof, the Commission is set to hear the views of stakeholders on 21-09-2021 with regard to serious prejudice caused to the perceived excessive filing fees and access being restricted as a consequence as observed by the Hon'ble High Court of Madras.

Take notice that by virtue of powers conferred under Regulation 16 (1) of the Conduct of Business Regulations, the matter under reference will be heard by the Commission on 21-09-2021 and thereafter, in the Suo Motu Proceedings and all

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stakeholders including the petitioners before the High Court and those who are desirous of offering comment shall do so more specifically with reference to the issue of perceived excessive filing fees as observed by the Hon'ble High Court of Madras so as to enable the Commission to take a considered decision in this matter.

Take notice that failure to avail the opportunity to express the views on the days set down for hearing by the Commission would bar any person from re-agitating the issue.

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