

Annexure-I
APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF LONG TERM OPEN ACCESS
Terms and Conditions for Long term Open Access

We hereby confirm that we shall abide by the following terms and conditions of open access for intra-state transmission.

1. *Applicant* shall abide by the GERC's order in regulation no. 13 dated 29-9-05 and effective from
2. *Applicant* shall submit with the application for long term open access, letter of comfort/MOU from beneficiary(ies), clearly incorporating the following aspects
 - i) the details of allocation of power to each beneficiary(ies)
 - ii) technical details as indicated in the application like point of injection/drawl, voltage level
 - iii) Date of commencement and period for which access has been applied for.
3. GETCO shall carry out system studies to ascertain whether the long term open access can be permitted without any additional system strengthening. These studies would be conducted for the time frame for which open access has been desired taking into consideration the available information about load generation scenario. The applicant shall be informed about the same within 30 days of receipt of completed application in all respects.
4. If such a long term open access can be permitted without system strengthening, in consultation with STUs (in case their system is being utilized), the same shall be communicated after which the long term open access User, as per Regulation 13 of the GERC (Open Access in intra-State transmission) Regulation 2005 shall execute applicable Bulk Power Transmission Agreement (BPTA) for sharing of applicable transmission charges of STU and concerned transmission and distribution Licensees.
In the event, the open access User fails to give its confirmation of execution of the BPTA within 30 days from date of intimation of open access, the application for the long term open access shall be treated cancelled. The long term open access will come into force after signing of BPTA with the concerned parties, based on which STU will give its approval.
5. In case open access can not be provided without additional system strengthening, after receipt of request from the applicant, studies shall be carried out by GETCO for identification of additional transmission elements on payment basis. Upon receipt of terms & conditions including cost for carrying out system studies from GETCO, the applicant for availing long term open access shall deposit the total amount in advance within thirty days from the date of intimation by GETCO regarding the requirement of system strengthening, after deducting Rs 50,000 (Rupees Fifty thousand Only) submitted along with the application. It shall also furnish the requisite data/information for the system studies. GETCO shall intimate the additional transmission elements within 90 days from the receipt of total amount or

date of receipt of requisite data/information for system studies, whichever is later.

6. As per the terms of aforesaid GERC regulations, GETCO shall carry out the system studies to identify the additional transmission system required for long term open access but shall not be bound to construct the required augmentation/strengthening of transmission that may be required for the said identified additional transmission capacity.
7. GETCO shall endeavor to evolve most optimal transmission system keeping in view the existing and envisaged transmission system in the relevant time frame based upon the available information of the power system. As the power system is dynamic, the load - generation scenario of the power system may change from time to time. The long term open access User shall have to, within 30 days of communication of study results, give confirmation for evolved transmission system. Further, within 90 days from the confirmation of the evolved transmission system, the applicant shall make arrangements for implementation of the same including signing of BTPA for paying transmission charges of STU for dedicated transmission system and also for sharing of the applicable transmission charges of the concerned Transmission and Distribution licensees, as per the GERC notifications. The applicant shall submit a copy of such agreement(s) to GETCO within 15 days from date of signing. While communicating the confirmation of evolved transmission system, the applicant may request GETCO to implement the same for which GETCO shall convey their consent and their terms & conditions within 60 days from the date of receipt of such request required to be revalidated before STU implements the system.
8. In case, *applicant* fail to give such confirmation or make necessary arrangements for implementation of identified transmission elements including signing of Bulk Power Transmission Agreement within the stipulated time, the studies shall be treated as null & void and fresh application shall required to be made for the system studies which inter-alia would take into considerations development that has take place in the intervening period.
9. *Applicant* confirm that, the long term open access shall be effective from the date from which the open access has been permitted or the date on which the system strengthening identified through studies is in place, which ever is later, provided Bulk Power Transmission Agreement has been executed with STU and other transmission and distribution licensees.
10. *Applicant* shall comply with the provisions of Indian Electricity Grid Code & Gujarat Grid Code in force from time to time.
11. *Applicant* undertakes to provide reliable and efficient speech and data communication system to facilitate necessary communication & data exchange, and supervision/control of the grid by SLDC following the technical specification and implementation protocol (as per attachment given on the GETCO web-site) requirement pertaining to the specific region(s) where access is being sought.

12. *Applicant* shall indemnify GETCO for any loss or damage arising as a consequence out of the study conducted by them.
13. *Applicant* shall not transfer rights & obligation specified in the BPTA without the prior approval by GERC and shall be subject to payment of compensation, as determined by the commission.
14. *Applicant* shall share the SLDC fees and charges and any other charges as per notification of GERC.
15. *Applicant* agree that GETCO reserves their right to amend the above terms and conditions within the Regulatory framework.
16. Applicant agrees to provide protection system as advised by GETCO.
17. Applicant agrees to pay the reactive energy to GERC grid code or order as applicable from time to time.

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Authorised Signatory of
Long-Term Open Access
User

Name :
Designation :
Seal :
Place :
Date :