

Minutes of Special meeting for issues related to HTLS re-conductoring of 400 kV FSTPS – Malda
held on 01.02.2016 at ERPC


Member Secretary, ERPC welcomed all the participants to the special meeting. The followings were discussed and agreed:

1. The latest status of the line was reviewed. Powergrid informed that out of 34 ckt km line (pending as on 22.01.2016), 7.2 ckt km has been completed till 31.01.2016. Detailed progress as on 31.01.2016 is as given below:
Ckt-I: 26.334 ckt km
Ckt-II: 30.992 ckt km
Total balance: 26.674 km
2. Following shutdown related to the above task were required:
 - a. Shutdown of 132 kV Malda-Khejuria D/C line—It was agreed to allow on 04.02.2016 (from 04:00 Hrs to 15:00 Hrs).
 - b. Shutdown of 132 kV Farakka SY- Raghunathganj line: WBSETCL informed that joint inspection may be carried out for identification of the exact line section and accordingly the shutdown request may be placed and if possible it will be given on 14.02.2016.
 - c. Shutdown of 33kV feeders: It was informed that the shutdown of 33kV feeders will be given by WBSEDCL. Powergrid informed that they will request WBSDCL for switching this 33 kV lines on cables for facilitating stringing for un-interrupted supply and will interact with WBSEDCL.
 - d. Complete Shutdown of 400 kV Malda bus I & II: It was agreed to allow on 07.02.2016 (from 04:00 Hrs to 15:00 Hrs) subject to consent of Bihar for load restriction of 110 MW and for WBSETCL 100 MW. The issue will be discussed on 05.02.2016 in the special meeting with BSPTCL.
 - e. Shutdown of 400 kV Farakka Bus (one by one) for stability test: It will be allowed as and when required.


Accordingly, Powergrid was advised to submit the consolidated list of all the shutdowns and by tomorrow (i.e. 02.02.2016).

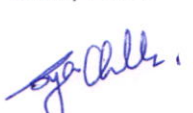
3. After detailed discussion it was agreed that Powergrid will put in best efforts to bring the 400 kV Farakka-Malda D/C line by 15.02.2016 as suggested by stakeholders by completing the HTLS work with upgraded bays at both end except for line-I at FSTPP end as unit #3 shutdown would be required. This extension of re-conductoring of HTLS work is agreed upon provided there will be no load shedding/power cuts in West Bengal under normal condition.
4. WBSETCL suggested to explore hot line stringing as was carried out by other agencies like CESC wherever shutdown is not possible.
5. The next review meeting shall be held on 08.02.2016 at 11:00 Hrs at ERPC, Kolkata.

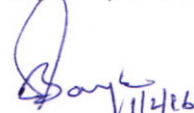

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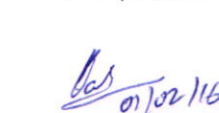

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