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Sub: Minutes of Special Meeting to discuss consistent over drawl by Indian Railways in DVC Control Area under open access transaction held on 24.09.2018 at ERPC Kolkata.

Sir,

Please find herewith enclosed the minutes of Special Meeting "To discuss consistent over drawl by Indian Railways in DVC Control Area under open access transaction" held on 24.09.2018 at ERPC Kolkata. The same is also available at ERPC website (http://www.erpc.gov.in/).

Observations, if any, may please be forwarded to this office at the earliest.

Regards,

Yours faithfully,

(J.BANDYOPADHYAY)

MEMBER SECRETARY

Eastern Regional Power Committee, Kolkata

Minutes of Special Meeting to discuss consistent over drawl by Indian Railways in DVC Control Area under open access transaction held on 24.09.2018 at ERPC Kolkata.

List of participants is given in Annexure-I.

Member Secretary, ERPC welcomed all the participants in the meeting. He informed that the special meeting has been convened to discuss consistent over drawl by Indian Railways in DVC Control Area under open access transaction. He also briefly highlighted the implications of consistent over drawl by Indian Railways in DVC Control Area.

DVC gave a detailed presentation on the pattern of over drawl by Indian Railways in DVC Control Area under open access transaction. The presentation captured the whole over drawl scenario of Indian Railways starting from August-2017.

Executive Director, ERLDC stressed the need to adhere to the schedule in the interest of smooth operation of the grid. He noted that consistent overdrawal, besides creating security and stability issues in the grid, is a violation of CERC regulation. Therefore he advised Railways to take immediate action for curtailing the over drawal.

Railways admitted that there had been over drawal by Railways from the grid. Railways attributed a number of reasons like low DC of BRBCL etc. to the over drawal from the grid. They are also equally concerned about this and would like to take corrective action in this regard. Railways informed that they have a standby agreement with DVC for supply to Railways. Railways proposed to hold a bilateral meeting with DVC to revisit the existing agreement to have a standby arrangement wherein any power required by Railways in DVC command area in excess of the entitled quantum from BRBCL would be treated as DVC supply to Railways and would be accordingly scheduled and settled.

Participants present in the meeting welcomed the suggestions made by Railways and hoped that the proposed meeting with DVC would be able to address the over drawal issue successfully, keeping into consideration stability and security of the grid.

DVC and Railways both agreed to meet on 27.09.2018 at Rail Bhawan, Delhi to settle the issue.

MS, ERPC finally thanked the participants in the meeting and appreciated the approach taken by Railways in this matter and hoped that the matter would be resolved as early as possible.

Jayder Sameja 29/18 (J. Bandyopadhyay)

Member Secretary

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ATTENDANCE SHEET

Special Meeting with DVC & Railways

VENUE: ERPC CONFERENCE ROOM, KOLKATA TIME: 11:00 HRS

DATE:24.09.2018 (MONDAY)

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