

NLDC response to comments from Jindal India Thermal Power Limited on Draft NLDC Operating Procedure

Sl.	Provision referred in draft procedure	Comments by Jindal India Thermal Power Limited	NLDC Response
1	Cl.no. 12.3.10	For the thermal/coal plant there are various technical issues which are faced in real time operation of plant such as tripping of auxiliary equipment or any other technical problems which lead to partial reduction in generation, in that case if generators will not be allowed to revise their DC then they would attract a heavy DSM/UI. Since, continuous running of thermal power plant without any breakdown or technical problem is close to impossible. So, Downward/upward revision shall be <i>allowed</i> for SCUC generators.	DC revision is allowed by IEGC-2023 in case of forced outages.
2	Cl. no.12.5.1	Whenever for transmission constraints or grid security reasons, it becomes unavoidable to reduce power flow on a specific transmission corridor, the RLDC may interrupt schedule which must be effective from the running time block.	Revision of schedules shall be in accordance with the provisions of IEGC-2023
3		If, generator do not approve schedule on WBES portal up to 07:00 am, then how the schedule will be implemented without approval of seller - will it be considered as auto approved schedule.	Contracts are to be created only once, and need not be confirmed on a daily basis. However, when creating the contract for the first time, confirmation of both buyer and seller is needed, before commencement of scheduling.
4		In the said operating procedure there is no clarification for declaration of DC to individual contracts for the generators having contract under Section-63 of Electricity Act, 2003. Kindly clarify how to declare DC in various contracts/PPA.	DC declaration shall be expected for the entire plant as per the provisions of IEGC-2023.