Before the Appellate Tribunal for Electricity (Appellate Jurisdiction)

IA No. 266 of 2011 IN DFR No. 1468 of 2010

Dated: 8th December, 2011

Present : Hon'ble Mr. Rakesh Nath, Technical Member Hon'ble Mr. Justice P.S. Datta Judicial Member

Maruti Suzuki India Limited

.... Appellant (s)

Mr. Piyush Arora, Consultant

Versus

Haryana Electricity Regulatory	ission	Respondent(s)	
Counsel for the Appellant (s)	:	Mr. M.G. Ra: Mr. Rakesh Mr. Anand K Ms. Swapna Ms. Sneha V	Agarwal K. Ganesan Seshadri
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ORDER

There is delay of 79 days in filling the present appeal. We are convinced with the reasons given by the appellant in the application for condonation of delay. Accordingly, delay of 79 days in filing the present appeal is hereby condoned. We also admit the appeal. The Registry is directed to number the appeal.

The appellant has also filed IA No. 280 of 2011 for stay of the impugned order dated 25.07.2011 regarding the cross-subsidy Contd...P2

surcharge imposed on the appellant and stay of Section 142 proceedings initiated by respondent no.2 before the State Commission. Ms. Surbhi Sharma, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State Commission, informs that the Commission is not going to proceed with the proceedings under Section 142 till the hearing on the appellant's application before the Tribunal is completed.

Mr. S.S. Kentura and Mr. Piyush Arora, Consultants appear on behalf of the distribution licensee/respondent no.2. Respondent no.2 seeks four weeks' time to file reply. Accordingly, they are directed to file reply by 6th January, 2012 after serving a copy of the same on the other side.

Post the matter on <u>9th</u> January, 2012.

In the meantime, the appellant is at liberty to file rejoinder, if any.

(P.S.Datta) Judicial Member (Rakesh Nath) Technical Member

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