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Disputes Practice Group

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ABOUT HSA

The legal profession is changing rapidly in light of market disruption, changing client expectations and technological developments. Established in 2003, HSA's focus on continuing evolution has enabled us to constantly adapt to emerging market dynamics and deliver consistent value to clients.

We are a full-service law firm that prides itself on combining knowledge, experience and expertise to create outcome-oriented solutions and ensure our clients stay ahead of emerging opportunities and risks. Our areas of expertise include Projects, Energy & Infrastructure; Banking & Finance; Restructuring & Insolvency; Corporate & Commercial; Regulatory & Policy; Defence & Aerospace; Dispute Resolution; Environment, Health & Safety; Real Estate; Securities & Capital Markets; Technology, Media & Telecommunications; Taxation and Investigations.

We are a law firm built around people. We embrace collaboration while advising our clients and assemble teams of experts to bring the right talent to address every client issue. Our belief in delivering legal advice that recognizes each clients' strategic goals and business requirements allows us to offer pragmatic and implementable support across our platform of practices and sectors.

We measure our success by the service we provide to clients, irrespective of the size, scope and scale of the matter at hand. We are a team of 30+ partners and over 150 professionals based out of four offices across India's major cities – Delhi, Mumbai, Bengaluru and Kolkata.



The key strength of the team is that there is partner involvement throughout the course of assignments which ensures quick turnaround of deliverables.

~ Chambers and Partners



HSA Advocates is an excellent law firm with proactive approach and exceptional team which provides prompt service and very clear opinions.

~ Legal 500



Praised for having 'great knowledge' of the practice area and for 'clear' communication of complicated legal matters to clients.

~ RSG India Report

PRACTICE HIGHLIGHTS

The following list is indicative of the depth and breadth of our capabilities in Dispute Resolution, Arbitration & ADR and Regulatory practice area.

ACME CLEANTECH SOLUTIONS

On representing in an international commercial arbitration seated in Singapore administered under the arbitral rules of the Singapore International Arbitration Centre arising out of a dispute caused by a contract with a foreign manufacturer of solar modules and equipment

A TOP ENERGY COMPANY

On representing in an international commercial arbitration seated in London, United Kingdom and conducted under the UNCITRAL Arbitration Rules wherein we represent the Claimant for a dispute that arose out of a production sharing contract

On representing in an international commercial arbitration seated in Dubai, UAE wherein we are acting on behalf of the Claimant wherein the dispute arose out of an agreement under the terms of which the Respondent had agreed to purchase oil that the Claimant was entitled to under the terms of a production sharing contract

GATX INDIA

On representing one of the world's largest railway wagon leasing company in an arbitration proceeding against ARIL Infrastructure in relation to a dispute arising out of leasing of Railway rolling stock

GUJARAT STATE PETROLEUM CORPORATION

On representing in an international commercial arbitration in relation to a pipeline dispute

GUJARAT URJA VIKAS NIGAM

On representing for the largest ever rehabilitation and financial re-structuring of infrastructure assets in India's history - A thermal power generating plants aggregating 10,000 MW of generating capacity representing an aggregate capital investment of over USD 10 Billion

INOX RENEWABLES

On representing in an international commercial arbitration on the issue of wind energy against Vestas involving issues relating to misrepresentation and standard terms usually provided in renewable energy contracts – which is a verdant area in Indian law

MOSER BAER PHOTO VOLTAIC

On representing in an international commercial arbitration seated in Hong Kong in relation to a dispute arising with a Chinese entity dealing in the manufacture and supply of crystalline silicon wafers under the Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre Rules

On representing in an international commercial arbitration seated in Shanghai, China in relation to a dispute arising with a Chinese company engaged in the manufacture and supply of solar panels

RENASCENT POWER VENTURE

On representing a wholly owned subsidiary of Singapore based investment platform created by Tata's and ICICI Ventures along with certain other international investors, in completing the acquisition of the Prayagraj Thermal Power project through a resolution process undertaken by SBI/lenders under the umbrella of the RBI Guidelines

SHENZHEN SHANDONG NUCLEAR POWER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY

On representing in an international commercial arbitration against an Indian power developer in a dispute arising out of an EPC contract entered by the company with Vedanta Aluminium involving a claim of around USD 1.25 billion with respect to a power project in the state of Odisha in India

VISA COMTRADE AG

On representing in an international commercial arbitration against a Swiss entity before the London Court of International Arbitration, UK

OUR CREDENTIALS | DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Please see below exhaustive list of matters handled by HSA and its attorneys in Dispute Resolution practice area.

ACME SOLAR HOLDINGS

On a writ petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to seek appropriate directions to quash the final findings dated July 16, 2018 of the Director General (Safeguards) recommending to impose safeguard duty at 25% ad valorem on the import of solar cells whether or not assembled in modules or panels into India from China PR and Malaysia

ADANI GREEN ENERGY

On claiming extension in scheduled commercial operation date due to occurrence of certain force majeure events.

ADANI POWER

On a Civil Appeal before the Supreme Court, challenging the order passed by Gujarat Electricity Regulatory Commission, whereby termination of Power Purchase Agreement by Adani Power Ltd was held to be wrong

AKZO NOBEL INDIA

On a suit for recovery filed by Hindustan Chemical Organic against Akzo Nobel India (formerly known as ICI India)

ALL INDIA GAS MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION (AIIGMA)

On a Civil Suit before Saket District Court, Delhi, filed by two members against termination of their membership from the Association

AM BEYOND LUXURY

On a recovery suit filed against them by Richemont (Dubai) FZE

AMPLUS POWER SOLUTIONS

On a Commercial Suit in the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi, filed by Oakridge Energy for recovery of damages

ANANDI LAL PODDAR TRUST

On directing the State of Rajasthan to release salary of teachers as per relevant UGC Scheme, before the Supreme Court of India

ANUPAM INDUSTRIES

On relation to a dispute with Rashtriya Ispat Nigam and related issues and obtained the injunction from the High Court of Andhra Pradesh, at Hyderabad

ASSET RECONSTRUCTION COMPANY INDIA LIMITED (ARCIL)

On a dispute arising of recovery of dues to the tune of INR 880 Crores against Duncan Industries where we are argued that the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code overrides the Tea Act

AVANTOR PERFORMANCE MATERIALS INDIA

On multiple matters across practice areas, including a matter before the Court of Civil Judge (Sr. Divisions) Ludhiana Civil with respect to a Suit for recovery

AVIGO PE INVESTMENTS & RESURGENCE PE INVESTMENTS

On complaint cases under Section 138 of Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 before Delhi District Courts

On a Petition before the National Company Law Tribunal, Delhi against Tech Pro Engineers and its directors under Section 397 and 398 of the Companies Act, 1956 for prevention of oppression and mismanagement

AYANA RENEWABLE, SPRNG ENERGY AND SB ENERGY

On repenting before APTEL urging it to exercise its supervisory powers under Section 121 of the Electricity Act, 2003

BHARAT GOLD MINES (KOLAR GOLD FIELDS)

On representation before the Supreme Court for the rehabilitation of BGML.

BIHAR STATE ROAD DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

On review of the relevant documents, attending conferences, drafting of appropriate submissions before the High Court of Patna in relation to LPA No. 2158 of 2016

BST TEXTILES

On challenging a central government notification before the High Court of Mumbai with respect to the denial of Technological Updation Fund subsidy to companies blacklisted by Public Sector Undertaking like Cotton Corporation of India (CCI)

CHINA RAILWAY SHISHIJU GROUP CORPORATION

On an enquiry initiated by the Central Bureau of Investigation with respect to the Commonwealth Games 2010 in Delhi

CITY AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF MAHARASHTRA

On the hearings before the environment committee in connection with the approval eventually granted by the MoEF to the Navi Mumbai Airport project

On representing before the High Court of Judicature at Bombay, in relation to a petition instituted on the issues affecting construction of airport facilities for Navi Mumbai Airport, within mangroves and coastal regulation zone

CTR MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES

On a Special Leave Petition before the Supreme Court against Sergi Explosion Prevention Technologies and Sergi Holdings (a Company registered in France) on the issue relating to the Patents Act and if an exclusive licensee can maintain a suit for infringement against third parties, in absence of a registered license agreement in its favor

DAMODAR VALLEY CORPORATION

On representing before the Jharkhand State Electricity Regulatory Commission and W.B. Electricity Regulatory Commission respectively seeking uniformity in tariffs of parallel licensees operating in the DVC Command Area

DECCAN GOLD MINES

On a matter relating to the interpretation of Section 17(A)(2) of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 with respect to a Gold mining lease

DHFL PRAMERICA ASSET MANAGERS

On filing caveats in the Bombay High Court, Bombay City Civil Court and Delhi High Court in for any proposed suit that you may file against the client in respect of the Debenture Trust Deed dated December 1, 2016

EMCO

On an appeal before the Supreme Court filed by Gujarat Urja Vikas Nigam (GUVNL) in relation to the determination of electricity tariff

ESSAR POWER

On a matter involving methodology to be followed for computation of charges payable by generating companies and other utilities for relinquishing long term open access in the transmission system

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB (DEPARTMENT OF IRRIGATION AND POWER)

On various appeals filed by and against the GoP at the Appellate Tribunal for Electricity on different issues

GUJARAT URJA VIKAS NIGAM

On the largest ever rehabilitation and financial restructuring of infrastructure assets in India's history - thermal power generating plants aggregating 10,000 MW of generating capacity representing an aggregate capital investment of over USD 10 Billion

HINDUSTAN CABLES

On an injunction of its secured creditors from proceeding with auction of various land properties

IL&FS ENERGY DEVELOPMENT COMPANY

On matters relating to default in payment obligations by utilities and options available for third party sale

INABENSA BHARAT

On representing before the Delhi High Court in relation to EPC Contracts signed by Inabensa with HVPNL for construction of sub-stations

INBEV INDIA INTERNATIONAL

On a significantly large civil dispute with an erstwhile contract bottler, based out of Goa

On a significantly large trademark/IP infringement dispute

INTEROCEAN REEFERS A. G

On suit filed by Jai hind against the client whose firm was incorporated under the laws in fore in Switzerland in the Hon'ble High Court of Bombay for the Recovery of damages of INR 400 crores

IRANIAN RAILWAYS

On representing through Islamic Republic of Iran in High Court of Bombay in relation to a suit filed by KT steel suit for recovery of damages of INR 73 crore

ISOLUX CORSAN INDIA

On its claims against SEUPPTCL (Transmission Project) and in its proposed claims against the National Highways Authority of India relating to construction of NH-6

JAIMIN JEWELLERY

On a suit filed by SBIGFL in High Court of Bombay, for recovery of damages of INR 47 million

KC HOLDINGS

On representing against Caprihans India and Bilcare Research GmbH in a petition for oppression and mismanagement before National Company Law Tribunal, Mumbai

K T STEEL COMPANY LLP

On advising and filing of a writ petition in Bombay, challenging the entries (Income Tax and Sales Tax) in the remark column of the Property Card and 7/12 extracts

KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK

On recovery project initiated against Eastern Spinning Mills for recovery of its dues which is in excess of INR 40 crores, wherein Eastern Spinning Mills has taken out a demurrer application challenging the legality of the deed of assignment by way of which the debts of Eastern Spinning Mills was brought over from SBI being O.A. No. 52 of 2004 Kotak Mahindra Bank v/s Eastern Spinning Mills

On an insolvency application under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 where issues such as NCLT's jurisdiction to entertain an application against the corporate debtor against whom winding-up petitions are already pending in the High Court are being considered and decided

LAMPRELL ENERGY

On initiating proposed winding-up proceedings including issuing statutory notice against Essar Offshore Subsea towards recovery of an admitted outstanding debt of the Company

L&T FINANCE

On various insolvency applications, petitions under Section 9 of the Arbitration Act and criminal proceedings for recovery of a debt due from its borrowers

LANCO INFRATECH

On its litigation with Adani Power which arose from the takeover of Udipi Power Project of Lanco Infratech by Adani Power

LINDSAY INTERNATIONAL

On seeking for damages and injunction against Arcellor Mittal and TRL Krosaki Lindsay International

MAHARASHTRA INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

On assistance and representation against coercive action initiated by the Income Tax Department for recovering the tax amounts

MAHINDRA & MAHINDRA

On a Public Interest Litigation filed before Bombay High Court in respect of banning dumpers and loaders manufactured by certain automobile companies

MANDOM CORPORATION

On representing before the High Court of Mumbai in a suit pertaining to infringement of Trademark (Gatsby), filed by Dabur India and successfully obtaining direction from the High Court of Mumbai restraining Dabur from launching its products named "Gatsby"

MARATHON ELECTRIC INDIA

On representing the client in a suit for recovery filed by South Eastern Coalfields

MOSER BAER ENERGY AND DEVELOPMENT

On an appeal before the Supreme Court, filed by GUVNL on the issue of redetermination of electricity tariff

MOSER BAER

On representing before the High Court of Himachal Pradesh in an existing writ petition filed by Larsen and Toubro against Government of Himachal Pradesh for grant of Lender of build, own, operate and transfer of a Hydro Electric Power Plant at Rooli Dugli

On a matter before the Allahabad High Court and an anti-suit injunction proceeding before UK Courts, on injunctions against the release of a bank guarantee and possibility of filing an Anti-Suit in India

MB POWER (MADHYA PRADESH)

On representing before NGT, Principal Bench seeking quashing of the Environmental Clearance granted in favor of a Thermal Power Project on the ground that the project proponent had not applied for or been granted EC for the barrage

MAITHON POWER LIMITED

On the strategy, drafting the pleadings, filing the petition, and appearing before the CERC and obtaining a favorable order declaring the MoEFCC notification as a change in law event and allowing indicative costs for implementation of Flue Gas Desulphurization

MUMBAI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

On a writ petition challenging the order passed by the Ministry of Civil Aviation directing all JVC/private airport operators to refund/reimburse the total capital expenditure incurred by them out of Passenger Service Fees

On representing the client and argue as to whether MIAL is entitled to levy and collect Development Fee for the Chattrapati Shivaji International Airport, Mumbai

MUMBAI PORT TRUST

On the eviction proceedings against Radio club before the Bombay High Court

On a suit filed by IHCL (in relation to Taj Mahal Palace Hotel) filed for declaration that the lease is valid and challenging the Termination Notice

On a writ petition filed before the Bombay High Court challenging the short listing of candidates to the second stage (Financial bid scrutiny stage) of the tender floated by Mumbai Port Trust for reception of sludge/waste/oil/bilge and slops from ships calling at Mumbai Port

MYTRAH ENERGY

On representing the client and argue as to whether an approval by the State Level Empowered Committee is only for setting up of a project and not for purchasing of power by the DISCOMs under the preferential tariff

MRS. KAMAL A BALIGA CHARITABLE TRUST

On advising and filing of a First Appeal and Interim Application before the Bombay High Court challenging the cancellation of FCRA License and freezing of the bank accounts of the Trust

NABHA POWER LIMITED (NPL)

On representing a wholly owned subsidiary of L&T Power Development Ltd before the electricity tribunals, and the Supreme Court on various regulatory matters in relation to its 2 X 700 MW Rajpura Thermal Power Project

On representing in a dispute related to the interpretation of energy charges formula under the Power Purchase Agreement between NPL and Punjab State Power Corporation, Punjab discom

NATIONAL SOLAR ENERGY FEDERATION OF INDIA

On representing before Appellate Tribunal for Electricity in Appeal No. 151/2016 against Solar Energy Tariff Order No. 2016-2017 issued by Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission

NESTAWAY TECHNOLOGIES

On drafting and sending legal notices to Property Owners listed with Nestaway Technologies

NITESH HOUSING DEVELOPERS PRIVATE LIMITED (NHDPL)

On drafting and filing objections in the complaint filed by the Counter Parties against NHDPL in respect of Nitesh Hyde Park before RERA and appearing before RERA in the aforesaid complaints

NSL MINING RESOURCES INDIA

On a case against Mega Logistics and Solutions with respect to a dispute arising out of a transportation agreement

OSTRO ENERGY; ORANGE RENEWABLE ENERGY; RENEW POWER VENTURES AND HERO FUTURE ENERGIES

On representing before CERC in a petition filed by Suzlon Power Infrastructure (SPIL), seeking directions to Power Grid Corporation of India to allow utilization of connectivity and LTA granted to SPIL (for development of 249.90 MW wind power project awarded to SPIL) by the project SPV incorporated by SPIL in consortium with Green Infra Wind Energy

POWER EXCHANGE INDIA

On representing before the Supreme Court of India in a dispute between the Forwards Market Commission and Central Electricity Regulatory Commission over regulatory control of future contracts of trading in electricity

On a petition filed before High Court of Bombay, involving, inter alia, the determination of the legal issue pertaining to the jurisdiction of the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission in relation to the derivative products in electricity launched by the Forward Market Commission over its derivative exchange

PRAMPUJYA SOLAR ENERGY POWER

On an appeal filed against order dated May 8, 2018 issued by CSERC wherein CSERC has refused to direct CSPDCL to revise its invoice which it has raised for payment of charges in respect of electricity consumed by generating station for its auxiliary consumption

PRASHANT TIMBLO

On proceedings before the Company Law Board in relation to the family dispute and control over the company involved in iron ore business

RATNAKAR BANK

On various strategies for recovery of dues from Deccan Chronicle Holding, Hyderabad

RFCL

On a significantly large trademark infringement dispute, in relation to a trademark pertaining to its animal health and veterinary pharma business

RELIANCE NIPPON LIFE ASSETS MANAGEMENT

On breach of loan and security documentation executed between Reliance and the other conflicting parties and assisting in initiating and handling civil proceeding(s) and/or criminal prosecution(s) against its promoters and directors

RENASCENT POWER VENTURE

On representing a wholly owned subsidiary of Singapore based investment platform created by Tata's and ICICI Ventures along with certain other international investors, in completing the acquisition of the Prayagraj Thermal Power project through a resolution process undertaken by SBI/lenders under the umbrella of the RBI Guidelines

RENEW WIND ENERGY (AP 3)

On petitions against backing down of wind generation before the Rajasthan Electricity Regulatory Commission

RENEW POWER, ORANGE GROUP, OSTRO ENERGY, CLP INDIA, MYTRAH ENERGY, HERO FUTURE ENERGIES AND GREENKO GROUP

On advising for wind power projects in the State of Rajasthan and are facing a common issue of 'forced backing down of generation' despite having a status of 'Must Run' plant

RUNWAL CONSTRUCTIONS

On a Public Interest Litigation before the High Court of Mumbai on the issue of forest lands and mangroves in the city of Mumbai and the impact of construction of buildings on environment

SAIFEE BURHANI UPLIFTMENT TRUST

On assisting the client from time to time on disputes arising in the course of the redevelopment of the Bhendi Bazaar area, undertaken by the trust, and also assisting and attending matters in the Supreme Court filed against the trust

SBI GLOBAL FACTORS (SBIGFL)

On a suit filed by SBIGFL in the Hon'ble High Court of Bombay, for recovery of damages of INR 14 million from Microqual Techno

On a Commercial Execution Application filed by SBIGFL in the in the High Court of Bombay, for recovery of damages of INR 210 million from SPR Spirits

SAN JOSE INDIA INFRASTRUCTURE

On all issues arising out of its dispute with Supreme Infrastructure BOT as well as disputes arising out of the acts done in Sanjose Supreme Tollways Development

SEPCO ELECTRIC POWER CONSTRUCTION CORPORATION

On a major dispute with the developer of the 1980 MW Thermal Power Project in Talwandi-Sabo, Punjab

On issues arising out of the EPC Contract, entered with BALCO relating to the 1200 MW Thermal Power Project being undertaken by BALCO in Korba, Chhattisgarh

On the litigation which arose out of the industrial accident relating to the collapse of a chimney at the project site

SOUTH EAST UTTAR PRADESH POWER CORPORATION TRANSMISSION (SEUPPTCL)

On a writ Petition under Article 32 of the Constitution of India before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, challenging the constitutional validity of the circular dated January 12, 2018 issued by the Reserve Bank of India, which directed lenders to mandatorily approach the NCLT immediately after the expiry of a period of six months from the date of default in repayment of loan

On a writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India before the Hon'ble High Court of Allahabad at Lucknow, against Government of Uttar Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh Power Transmission Company Limited, for enforcement of promise to acquire the Project and/or expeditious completion of Project

On a dispute that arose out of the arbitrary refusal of UPPTCL to abide by its promise to take over SEUPPTCL's project by paying a sum of INR 4278 crores (average of the valuation arrived at by different valuers appointed by UPPTCL itself, in consultation with Power Finance Corporation of India and other lenders

On representing before the Supreme Court challenging the constitutional validity of the provisions of IBC and also the constitutional validity of the RBI Circular which makes it mandatory for creditors to go to NCLT after 6 months in cases where the debt is more than USD 279 million

SEPCOIII ELECTRIC POWER CONSTRUCTION CORPORATION

On a dispute against Sterlite Energy (now Vedanta) in connection with the Jharsaguda Power Project [2400 MW] and obtained an injunction from the Bombay High Court against encashment of a Bank Guarantee valuing around USD 300 Million

SURAKSHA PETROSKILLS

On a Summary Suit for recovery of outstanding dues under various invoices issued for training various applicants of the OCB Oilfields Services FZCO

On a Summary Suit for recovery of outstanding dues under various invoices issued for training various applicants of the Offshore International Management

SYEDNA MUFADDAL BURHANUDDIN SAIFUDDIN

On representing before the Bombay High Court in respect of a claim made by the plaintiff seeking a declaration that he is the head of a particular religious denomination

SEMBICORP ENERGY INDIA

On jurisdiction for adjudicating disputes arising out of a Power Purchase Agreement for power plants entered with the distribution licensee wherein CERC exercised its jurisdiction according to the rules laid by the watchdog judgment passed by the Supreme court of India but this was challenged by the distribution licensees

TATA POWER DELHI DISTRIBUTION

On several matters before the Supreme Court of India, High Court of Judicature at Bombay, APTEL, CERC, and DERC

On representing before APTEL in appeals filed by BSES Rajdhani Power & BSES Yamuna Power respectively against DERC's direction to all distribution companies in Delhi to refund unutilized consumer contribution

TATA REALTY AND INFRASTRUCTURE

On a Writ Petition filed by it before the High Court at Delhi against the National Highway Authority of India

THE TATA POWER COMPANY

On demerger of defense division of the client with one of the group company of Tata Sons

TATA POWER, ACME SOLAR HOLDINGS AND MYTRAH ENERGY

On strategizing the proceedings and successfully got a favorable order for immediate payment for INR 1450 crore being the debt, as well as direction for regular payments in the future

TWINLIFT

On a dispute relating to cargo handling at terminals of Container Corporation of India

UDUPI POWER CORPORATION

On a petition filed before CERC for seeking declaration of installation of Flue-gas desulphurization system in pursuance of the notification dated December 7, 2015 issued Ministry of Power as an event of 'Change in Law'

On an extensive litigation with the Karnataka Discoms and Power Company of Karnataka in relation to the tariff chargeable from the Discoms for the supply of power

UTTAR PRADESH POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

On diverse aspects of Electricity Laws including rules and regulations notified by the respective Regulatory Authorities from time to time

On filing a Writ Petition against Power Trading Corporation questioning the decision of the PTC in refusing to decide on a bid submitted by UPPCL, for purchase of electricity

On a cross-petition at the CERC, against MPTRADECO for non-supply of power to UPPCL by MPTRADECO from the Rajghat Hydrel Power Station

On strategy, drafting pleadings and contesting the matter on behalf of UPPCL before the UPERC in a petition filed by Jaiprakash Power Ventures Ltd (JPVL) in respect of its 400 MW Vishnuprayag Hydro Electric Project challenging the recovery initiated by UPPCL on account of excess reimbursement made by UPPCL of taxes on income and payment of secondary energy charges in the tariff paid to JPVL

UNITED PHOSPHORUS

On a Patent infringement dispute before the High Court of Bombay filed against Coromandel International

VERINT SYSTEMS

On a winding-up petition filed before Andhra Pradesh High Court, against ICOMM, Hyderabad for recovery of dues

VIJAY NIRMAN COMPANY

On a Commercial Suit before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi against National Highways & Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited (NHIDCL), for recovery of bid security amount illegally retained by NHIDCL

VIZHINJAM INTERNATIONAL SEAPORT

On representing against a petition filed in relation to the Environmental and CRZ Clearance

WEST BENGAL ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION COMPANY

On a dispute with the Hooghly Chamber of Commerce and Industries with regard to the determination of Electricity Tariff for supply of electricity in the State of West Bengal

WELSPUN RENEWABLES ENERGY PRIVATE LIMITED (NOW KNOWN AS WALWHAN RENEWABLE ENERGY LIMITED) & NSEFI

On the strategy, drafting the pleadings, appearing before APTEL, explaining in detail the economic and financial principles of tariff determination and secured a favourable order from APTEL

WESTERN UNION SERVICES (INDIA)

On multiple matters across practice areas, including Suits for Recovery

YES BANK

On several suits such as recovery of debts and enforcement of securities (immovable property) and clarifying various questions of laws revolving around transferability of such security, invocation of pledge, right to use, restraint on travel of guarantors; contempt proceedings were discussed

OUR CREDENTIALS | **ARBITRATION & ADR**

Please see below exhaustive list of matters handled by HSA and its attorneys in Arbitration & ADR practice area.

ACME CLEANTECH SOLUTIONS

On representing in an international commercial arbitration seated in Singapore administered under the arbitral rules of the Singapore International Arbitration Centre arising out of a dispute caused by a contract with a foreign manufacturer of solar modules and equipment

A LEADING OIL & GAS COMPANY

On representing in an international commercial arbitration seated in London, United Kingdom and conducted under the UNCITRAL Arbitration Rules wherein we represent the Claimant for a dispute that arose out of a production sharing contract

On representing in an international commercial arbitration seated in Dubai, UAE wherein we are acting on behalf of the Claimant wherein the dispute arose out of an agreement under the terms of which the Respondent had agreed to purchase oil that the Claimant was entitled to under the terms of a production sharing contract

On representing in an international commercial arbitration seated in London, United Kingdom wherein we are acting on behalf of the Claimant wherein it is alleged that the respondent failed to honor the terms of a sovereign guarantee that it had issued to guarantee the performance of payment obligations under a contract for construction of an oil transportation pipeline

BST TEXTILES

On representing in an arbitration proceeding against the Cotton Corporation of India in relation to a claim filed by CCI arising out of a contract for the sale of cotton bales

CLEAN WIND POWER (DEVGARH)

On invoking the jurisdiction of the Arbitral Tribunal under the Wrap Agreement executed between the parties for an award of revenue loss of INR 12 crore approx., suffered by the Claimant on account of the unilateral act on the part of the Respondent whereby, the unconditional power evacuation approval of the Claimant was altered without the knowledge of the Claimant

CENTRE FOR DIGESTIVE AND KIDNEY DISEASES (INDIA)

On representing in an arbitration proceeding in relation to the business conducting agreements with Metropolis Healthcare

On filing application under Section. 17 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 (as amended up to date), seeking information from MHS in order to quantify the exact amount of refund CDKD is entitled

CLEAN WIND POWER (MANVI)

On representing against a claim filed by Siemens Gamesa before the Arbitral Tribunal for an award of INR 60 crore as project costs, land costs and O&M Services

FINOLEX CABLES

On representing in an arbitration proceeding in relation to differential treatment and policies for different bidders under the same tender

On representing in an arbitration proceeding in relation to a dispute relating to delivery of optical fibers

FERTINVEST DMCC

On a proposed application under section 9 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996

FOCUS ENERGY

On representing in an international commercial arbitration before London Court of International Arbitration, UK in relation to a dispute arising out of Joint Venture Agreement

GATX INDIA

On representing one of the world's largest railway wagon leasing company in an arbitration proceeding against ARIL Infrastructure in relation to a dispute arising out of leasing of Railway rolling stock

GUJARAT STATE PETROLEUM CORPORATION

On representing in an international commercial arbitration in relation to a pipeline dispute

HINDUSTAN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY

On representing in an arbitration proceeding against the Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai

HERO FUTURE ENERGIES

On representing in an arbitration proceeding arising out of breach of contract in relation to project contracts, tax and contractual obligations for the development of Solar power projects in India

On representing in an arbitration proceeding arising out of breach of EPC Agreement signed by the parties for a wind project

HINDUSTAN CLEAN ENERGY

On representing in an arbitration proceeding under Section 9 of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996 for stay of invocation of Bank Guarantee

INOX RENEWABLES

On representing in an international commercial arbitration on the issue of wind energy against Vestas involving issues relating to misrepresentation and standard terms usually provided in renewable energy contracts – which is a verdant area in Indian law

ISS FACILITY SERVICES INDIA

On representing in an arbitration proceeding regarding a dispute on tax indemnity under a Share Purchase Agreement

JOGBANI HIGHWAY

On representing in an arbitration proceeding regarding a dispute with the National Highway Authority of India relating to a highway project

KESSELS ENGINEERING WORKS

On representing in an arbitration proceeding with respect to a claim of INR 10 crores filed by Neo Metalicks against Kessels Engineering for supplying a faulty turbine

LAKSHMI VILAS BANK

On representing in an arbitration proceeding in respect of disputes under a Collateral Management Agreement

L&T FINANCE

On representing in an arbitration proceeding before a sole arbitrator for adjudication of a claim against the Counter Party under a Facility Agreement for equipment finance

MAHINDRA AND MAHINDRA

On representing in various arbitration proceedings filed by various dealers and service providers of Mahindra & Mahindra

MOSER BAER PHOTO VOLTAIC

On representing in an international commercial arbitration seated in Shanghai, China in relation to a dispute arising with a Chinese company engaged in the manufacture and supply of solar panels

On representing in an international commercial arbitration seated in Hong Kong in relation to a dispute arising with a Chinese entity dealing in the manufacture and supply of crystalline silicon wafers under the Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre Rules

MBL INFRASTRUCTURES

On representing in an arbitration proceeding in relation to claims/counterclaims under the Concession Agreement for development and operation of a highway project

MSTC

On representing in an arbitration application filed by I.B. Commercial against Material Organization, Indian Navy & MSTC with respect to the sale of INS Vikrant before the High Court of Mumbai

MYTRAH ENERGY (INDIA)

On representing in an ad-hoc arbitration arising out of equipment supply agreement with Siemens Gamesa Renewable Power at the arbitration seat in Hyderabad

On representing in an ad-hoc domestic arbitration arising out of multiple agreements for the procurement of wind turbine generators and project development

NABHA POWER

On representing in an arbitration dispute against Punjab State Power Corporation (**PSPCL**) which involves recovery of the liquidated damages to the tune of INR 55 crore wrongly claimed and recovered by PSPCL on account of delay caused by it in completing its reciprocal promises which led to delay by Nabha Power in achieving commercial operation date of the 2x700 MW Rajpura thermal power project (Project) within the stipulated time period. The dispute also involved various other claims made by NPL on account of delays caused by PSPCL as well as losses suffered by it due to incomplete and inadequate interconnection and transmission facilities provided by PSPCL. HSA succeeded in winning a significant arbitral award in favor of the claimant.

ORANGE RENEWABLE

On representing in an arbitration proceeding arising out of breach of WRAP Agreement signed by the parties for the wind project at Devgarh, Rajasthan

PUNE SOLAPUR EXPRESSWAYS

On representing in an arbitration proceeding for a claim under a Concession Agreement for design, engineering, finance, construction, operation and maintenance of the Pune-Sholapur Section of Highway NH-9 in the State of Maharashtra.

RESURGENCE PE INVESTMENTS

On representing in an arbitration proceeding against Techpro Engineers

SARANG HI-TECH INFRASTRUCTURES

On representing in an arbitration proceeding against a contractor in respect of a Thermal Power Project

SEPCO III ELECTRIC POWER CONSTRUCTION CORPORATION

On representing in an international commercial arbitration against an Indian power developer with respect to an issue that arose with respect to breaches under an EPC contract executed between the parties in relation to a power project in Odisha involving a claim of over USD 300 million

On representing in an international commercial arbitration against an Indian power developer involving a claim of over USD 600 million with respect to a power project in the state of Punjab in India.

On representing in an international commercial arbitration in relation to a dispute with the sub-contractor regarding the construction of a water reservoir for a 2400 MW power project in Odisha, India

SHENZHEN SHANDONG NUCLEAR POWER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY

On representing in an international commercial arbitration against an Indian power developer in a dispute arising out of an EPC contract entered by the company with Vedanta Aluminium involving a claim of around USD 1.25 billion with respect to a power project in the state of Odisha in India

SANJOG SUGARS AND ECO POWER

On representing in the arbitration claim of the counter party and Client's counter claim pending before Delhi International Arbitration Centre

TATA POWER COMPANY (TPCL)

On representing in an arbitration proceeding in relation to claim refund and damages in respect of payment made by TPCL to Solus for Software and command programmes

On representing the client in the proposed Arbitration in order to claim refund and damages in respect of payment made by TPCL to Solus for software command and control systems and its integration

TAG OFFSHORE

On representing in an arbitration proceeding initiated by the Counter party for disputes relating to non-payment of money and damages

T.D. WILLIAMSON INDIA

On representing in two separate (references) claims filed by Synergy Consultants for an award of INR 4.1 crore under the first reference and INR 70 lakh under the second reference, claimed in pursuance of breach of contractual obligations of two Representative Agreements executed between the parties

On representing in an arbitration proceeding in relation to a representative agreement signed for the purpose of procuring projects from the Government companies wherein the claimant is claiming a commission on works that has not been performed by them

VISA COMTRADE AG

On representing in an international commercial arbitration against a Swiss entity before the London Court of International Arbitration, UK

WEST COAST OPTILINKS (SUDARSHAN TELECOM)

On representing in a pre-dispute advisory and potential arbitration against BBNL to pay the differential amount on account of the excess Excise Duty paid by the Client for the procurement of 24 Fibre Metal Free Optical Fibre Cable with double HDPE Sheath (G.652D) and Accessories

OUR CREDENTIALS | REGULATORY

Please see below exhaustive list of matters handled by HSA and its attorneys in Regulatory practice area.

ACME CHITTORGARH SOLAR ENERGY

On applicability of Force Majeure Clause as provisioned in the Power Purchase Agreement in case of delay in completion of evacuation infrastructure by PGCIL

ACME GROUP AND MYTRAH ENERGY

On multiple petitions filed before the petitions filed before the Telangana State Electricity Regulatory Commission for the extension of SCOD and applicable tariff

ACME SOLAR ROOFTOP SYSTEMS

On the legal tenability of the proposed termination by PEDDA of the Implementation agreement between PEDDA and ACME on account of non-installation of poly sheets by it on the sheds, and drafting relevant correspondences in relation thereto

ACME SOLAR HOLDINGS, TATA POWER RENEWABLE ENERGY, WALWAHAN RENEWABLE ENERGY AND MYTRAH ENERGY AND ITS SPV

On multiple writ appeals filed before AP High Court challenging Single Judge's order that directed APERC to decide upon the issue of reduction of tariff which has been duly determined in terms of the provisions of the Electricity Act and the relevant regulations. The Single Judge also directed that as interim measure till the time issue of tariff reduction is determined by the APERC, AP Discoms should clear all pending payments of generators at the rate of INR 2.44 per unit. Since the interim direction for payments was not being adhered to by AP Discoms, generator sought direction for implementation of said interim directions. AP High Court directed the AP Discoms to release the undisputed amount of INR 1450 crore within 4 weeks to the renewable generators

On challenging the notification issued by the State Government of AP and consequent communication issued AP Discoms, whereby it was stated that either renewable power generators should reduce tariff for supply of power under their respective power purchase agreement or else the agreement would be terminated

ADANI GREEN ENERGY (TAMIL NADU)

On evacuation issues relating to the 640 MW solar project of Adani Green Energy (Tamil Nadu)

ADANI POWER

On representing before the Supreme Court in an issue pertaining to the right of Adani to terminate the Power Purchase Agreement

ALIPURDUAR TRANSMISSION (WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF KALPATARU POWER TRANSMISSION)

On representing before Central Electricity Regulatory Commission in relation to grant of transmission license and adoption of transmission charges for its inter-state transmission project

ATRIA POWER

On open access and banking issues in connection with 25 MW captive solar project in Andhra Pradesh

ACME SOLAR HOLDINGS

On petitions before the Telangana State Electricity Regulatory Commission seeking an extension of Scheduled Commissioning Date of its projects on account of force majeure events

On implementation of the order wherein GST was declared as change in law and National Thermal Power Corporation and Discoms were directed to make the payment. NTPC took a stand that it is only an intermediary/a mere 'conduit' which buys electricity from Generators and re-sells the same on a back-to-back basis to Discoms and hence it will make the payment only when Discoms pay NTPC. CERC clarified the concept of "back-to-back" holding that PPA and PSA being back-to-back imply that the DISCOMs are liable to pay to NTPC all that NTPC has to pay to the ACME Entities, however NTPCs obligation to pay generator is not dependent upon Discoms making the payment to NTPC

On petitions before Central Electricity Regulatory Commission seeking approval of GST as "Change in Law" under Power Purchase Agreements and consequent compensation for the increase in capital cost of the projects due to introduction of GST

On the imposition of the electricity duty on generation of power from its respective solar power projects located in the states of Bihar, Punjab, Uttarakhand, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Odisha, Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka and Madhya Pradesh

On a conditional LOI issued by NTPC attempting to modify the tariff discovered through competitive bidding route under Section 63 of the Electricity Act, 2003 and other related issues

ASSOCIATION OF POWER PRODUCERS

On a petition filed before CERC in relation to the under-recoveries of energy charges by IPPs due to delay in publication of Wholesale Price Index (WPI) for Non-Coking Coal series for power sector based on power grade coal prices

AURAD SOLAR

On drafting of Petition to be filed before the Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission on behalf of Aurad Solar seeking directions for approval of extension of the scheduled commission date granted by GESCOC and approval of supplemental agreement dated March 16, 2017

AYANA RENEWABLE

On representing in public hearings being conducted by the APERC for adoption of tariff and approval of capacity of power procurement of AP Discoms from the solar power projects in Ananthapuramu & Kadapa Solar Parks

BHARTI INFRATEL

On analysis of current business model and contractual relationships and advice on efficiency and optimization of business processes and suggesting business model option to suit the requirement of the client

CALCUTTA ELECTRIC SUPPLY CORPORATION

On the issue, whether CESC should wait for the Ministry of Coal to cancel its coal linkage and the FSAs, and should continue to receive coal under the coal linkage till such time the linkage is cancelled by the Ministry of Coal or proactively seek the cancellation

CENTRAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION (CERC)

On a matter before Supreme Court where the constitutional validity and the rationale of developing UI vector for unscheduled interchange charges were challenged

On a matter before Lucknow High Court and Delhi High Court in writ petitions filed by various state utilities challenging the introduction of grid congestion charges by CERC for the Northern Region

CLP WIND FARMS

On a petition for adjudication of disputes arising out of the Power Purchase Agreement dated May 13, 2016 between Ostro Urja Wind and Madhya Pradesh Power Management Company in view of discrepancy in imposition/calculation of reactive power charges by Madhya Pradesh Power Management

CARGO POWER & INFRASTRUCTURES

On representing before APTEL in an appeal filed by Gujarat Urja Vikas Nigam against an order passed by the Gujarat Electricity Regulatory Commission allowing Cargo's prayer for extension of SCOD on the ground of force majeure

On representing before APTEL in relation to certain disputes relating to COD under the PPA

DELHI ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

On a matter before Delhi High Court in a matter regarding the application and implications of the Transfer Scheme notified by the Delhi Government for unbundling of the power sector in Delhi

DEPARTMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

On diverse issues related to the restructuring of State Electricity Boards in the states of Haryana and Andhra Pradesh which included transfer of undertakings, assets, properties, liabilities, personnel, and proceedings to generation, transmission and distribution utilities which includes regulatory issues, commercialization issues, privatization process issues, and corporatization issues

DGEN TRANSMISSION COMPANY

On representing before CERC in relation to grant of transmission license for its inter-state transmission project

EAST CENTRAL RAILWAY

On a matter before CERC in a petition filed by Bhartiya Rail Bijli Company for determination of tariff of its 250x4 MW Nabinagar Thermal Power Plant

ENERGY EFFICIENCY SERVICES

On providing legal services to Energy Efficiency Services in relation to the letter sent by Electric Lamp and Component Manufacturers' Association of India on February 5, 2016 with respect to the online retail sale of LED bulbs by EESL on Snapdeal's website

ESSAR POWER

On representing before CERC in a tariff petition filed by Power Grid Corporation in relation to issues arising out of relinquishment of long terms open access and financial implications arising therefrom

ESSAR POWER JHARKHAND

On an appeal filed in APTEL against Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (CERC's) order dated July 29, 2016

ESSAR POWER MP

On representing before Madhya Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission in relation to the suo-moto proceedings initiated by it for downward revision of energy charges

FORTUM SOLAR INDIA

On a matter for change in law on account of safeguard duty under the power purchase agreements with the Distribution Companies, in connection with 250 MW project(s) in Karnataka, before the Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission

GMR POWER PROJECT

On a matter before CERC in a dispute with Power Grid Corporation of India

GREENKO BUDHIL HYDRO POWER

On a matter before CERC in a petition under Section 142 of the Electricity Act. Greenko is challenging the coercive actions undertaken by PGCIL under the garb of recovery of outstanding transmission charges

GREENKO GROUP, RENEW POWER VENTURES, MYTRAH ENERGY, ORANGE RENEWABLE POWER, OSTRO ENERGY, STERLING AGRO INDUSTRIES AND HERO FUTURE ENERGIES

On representing before Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (APERC) in relation to a petition filed by Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh and Eastern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh (collectively APDISCOMs) seeking amendment of wind tariff orders dated August 1, 2015 and March 26, 2016 issued by the APERC, to the extent that the wind power developers be directed to pass on 'Generation Based Incentive' (GBI) amount, available to the developers under the Central Government's GBI Scheme, to APDISCOMs in accordance with clause 20 of Regulation 1 of 2015 of the APERC

GUJARAT URJA VIKAS NIGAM (GUVNL)

On a petition filed before CERC for approval of amendments to original PPAs executed between GUVNL and Adani Power Mundra for supply of 2000 MW power to GUVNL (2 Power Purchase Agreements of 1000 MWs each) from Adani's Thermal Power Plant at Gujarat, by way of supplemental Power Purchase Agreements

On petitions proposed to be filed before CERC and GERC seeking approval of amendments to the Power Purchase Agreements

HARYANA VIDYUT PRASARAN

On a matter before the Haryana Electricity Regulatory Commission in relation to the development and award on Public Private Partnership basis of the Jhajjar transmission line

HERO FUTURE ENERGIES

On a matter before CERC in a petition filed by Suzlon Power Infrastructure (SPIL), seeking directions to Power Grid Corporation of India (PGCIL) to allow utilization of connectivity and LTA granted to SPIL (for development of 249.90 MW wind power project awarded to SPIL) by the project SPV incorporated by SPIL in consortium with Green Infra Wind Energy

On a petition filed by PGCIL under Section 79(1)(f) of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with Regulation 33B of the CERC Connectivity Regulations, 2009 and Regulation 111 of the CERC Regulations, 1999

On a petition for clarification and/or modification of Regulation 28(3) of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Intra-State Open Access) Regulations, 2011

On a Petition for adjudication of disputes arising out of the Power Purchase Agreement dated May 13, 2016 between Ostro Urja Wind and Madhya Pradesh Power Management Company in view of discrepancy in imposition/calculation of reactive power charges by Madhya Pradesh Power Management

HIMACHAL PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

On various regulatory issues, including drafting of the open-access regulation, conduct of business regulation, etc. that are to be published by the Commission in terms of the provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003

HINDUSTAN CLEAN ENERGY

On representing before Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission for refund of the Extension fee paid by Magnet Buildtech for delay in commissioning of Project

H ENERGY

On Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board rules regarding grant of access to common carrier pipelines for natural gas while acting against GAIL and GGCL in relation to some of their pipeline operations in the Western region

HINDUSTAN POWER (ERSTWHILE MOSER BAER POWER) AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES

On various regulatory issues with respect to its solar, thermal and hydropower projects before different adjudicatory forums

HIMACHAL SORANG POWER

On a matter before CERC for extension of the date for commencement of open access under the BPTA

HIGH POWER COMMITTEE CONSTITUTED BY GOVERNMENT OF GUJARAT

On formulating the recommendations for reviving the financial Liability of the Projects i.e. thermal power plants by Adani Power for 4620 MW, and Coastal Gujarat Power for 4150 MW in Mundra, District Kutch, Gujarat; and Essar Power Gujarat Power for 1200 MW in Salaya, District, Jamnagar, Gujarat in consultation with Generators, Discoms

IDFC FIRST BANK

On an opinion evaluating the liability towards Haryana Discom regarding liquidated damages levied due to delay in COD, liability towards Water Resources Department for levy of water conservation fund and liability in relation to contribution towards Environment Management

INOX WIND INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES

On an Opinion on sharing of Connectivity and Long Term Access by a holding company and its SPVs under the current regulatory framework

INDEPENDENT SOLAR POWER PRODUCERS ALLIANCE

On Research, Analysis and Drafting of representation to be submitted to the Secretary, MNRE in relation to issues concerning effect of change in law in connection with Projects concerning National Solar Mission Phase-II, Batch-IV, Tranche-III in Bhadla Phase-III, Solar Park, Rajasthan

INDIAN WIND POWER ASSOCIATION

On a writ petition proposed to be filed before High Court of AP and Telangana, pertaining to pass-through of Generation Based Incentive to Discoms

JAIPRAKASH POWER VENTURES

On representing before MPERC in relation to the treatment of additional levy on coal imposed by Supreme Court and pass-through of cost of mining and additional premium payable on coal under the terms of auction carried out by the Government of India under recent Coal Ordinance

On representing before MPERC in relation to the determination of tariff for its thermal power project in MP

On representing before MPERC in relation to the re-determination of energy charges pursuant to the policy directions of the state Government for re-opening Power Purchase Agreement in relation to fuel charges

JHARKHAND ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION AND GOVERNMENT OF JHARKHAND

On regulatory and tariff issues arising in relation to Damodar Valley Corporation, post-Electricity Act, 2003

JINDAL SAW

On strategizing the financial revival of Jindal's Waste to Energy Project

JMC PROJECTS (INDIA)

On Section 17 of Electricity Act in respect of seeking approval for creation of security in favor of the lenders and the security trustee

KALPATARU POWER TRANSMISSION

On advising, strategizing and representing Alipurduar Transmission (a wholly owned subsidiary of Client) in a Petition proposed to be filed before CERC seeking extension of SCOD inter alia relating to the Transmission Service Agreement

KINDLE

On a matter before GERC against a dispute with Torrent Power Ltd. relating to development of a 50MW solar project

On a matter before Gujarat High Court in a writ petition against the arbitrary decision of Government of Gujarat in declining Kindle to establish a solar power project in Gujarat

LANCO KONDAPALLI

On representing before APTEL in relation to the interpretation and computation of incentive provided to the company under the incentive clause under the PPA

On representing before CERC in relation to challenging the method of computation of zonal PoC charges under the CERC Regulations for Sharing of Transmission Charges and Losses

On representing before the Supreme Court in a matter that has led to a landmark judgment on the applicability of the laws of limitation to the Electricity Act, 2003

LANCO AMARKANTAK POWER

On a matter before CERC in a proceeding filed by PGCIL for cancellation of open access of PTC through whom Lanco is supplying power due to the non-submission of payment security mechanism

LANCO SOLAR

On representing before CERC in a petition seeking re-adjustment of the commissioning date and tariff fixed under a competitive bidding process held under the Jawaharlal Nehru National Solar Mission

LANCO TEESTA HYDRO POWER

On a review petition filed under Section 94(1) (f) of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with Regulation 103 of the CERC Regulations, 1999 for review of the Order dated July 30, 2016 issued by this Hon'ble Commission

LALPUR WIND ENERGY

On a matter before Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission in relation to carrying forward of its banked energy to next wind year

LANCO ANPARA

On a matter before CERC seeking relaxation from the connectivity regulations (MTOA issue)

On filing petition before the UP Electricity Regulatory Commission, Lucknow for grant of appropriate relief to LAPL on account of material deviations in assurances made at bid stage and/or occurrence of force majeure & change in law events

LANCO POWER

On all the major provisions/clauses in the Model PSA including those related to Conditions Precedent, Supplier's Obligations, Force Majeure, consequences of failure to meet the CPS, outcome of FM events and extended FM as well as Termination provisions relating to DBFOO Case

MADHYA PRADESH POORV KSHETRA VIDYUT VITARAN COMPANY

On development and execution of Distribution Agreements. The geographical area of operation of the Franchisee shall comprise of Damoh Town Distribution Center

MAHINDRA RENEWABLES

On impact of certain events resulting in increase in project related costs under the terms of the Standard Format of Power Purchase Agreement and if the same may qualify as a Change in Law event under the terms of the Power Purchase Agreement

On a matter filed before CERC by MP Power Management Company for formulating appropriate tariff in respect of power drawn by solar projects during night hours and during shutdown periods

MAHINDRA SUSTEN

On multiple Petitions before CERC for approval of Change in Law events being introduction of GST and Safeguard Duty and consequential relief

MAITHON POWER

On seeking an in-principle approval from the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission for the proposed expenditures towards installation of the Flue Gas Desulphurization Plant in compliance of the norms set by the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climatic Change. This was a first petition of its kind which was filed under the CERC Tariff Regulations of 2019 and serves as a precedent for all thermal generating plants which propose to install the FGD

MB POWER

On the scope of jurisdiction of UPERC to adjudicate on the 'Change in Law' Petition to be filed by MB Power in relation to its 1200 MW power project which is supplying power to discoms in more than one state

On representing before CERC seeking change in the law in terms of NCDP amendment

On representing before CERC seeking revision of methodology for computing escalation rates for domestic coal

On representing before MPERC for determination of tariff for its Anuppur Thermal Power project in Madhya Pradesh

On determination of transmission tariff for MB TPS (Anupur)-Jabalpur Pooling station 400 KV D/C triple snowbird line only under transmission system for connectivity of MB Power in western region for tariff block 2014-19 period

On the issues of determination of stranded capacity and calculation of relinquishment charges which are emancipating from the Order dated March 8, 2019 issued by Ld. CERC in Petition No. 92/MP/2015

On the issue of wrongful and unlawful conduct of Power Grid Corporation of India by raising invoices towards payment of Transmission Charges (144 MW of LTA) without operationalization of the LTA

On an Appeal along with a separate petition before the Hon'ble Appellate Tribunal for Electricity and CERC separately, on the issues of determination of stranded capacity and calculation of relinquishment charges

On an appeal preferred by Power Grid Corporation of India challenging the Order of CERC directing return of Bank Guarantee and payment of Reverse Transmission Charges in favor of MB Power

MP POWER MANAGEMENT

On representing before MPERC and APTEL in two matters involving aggregate claims in excess of INR 125 crores by it against two separate traders in respect of certain PPAs for the evacuation of surplus power

MOSER BAER CLEAN ENERGY

On representing before APTEL in relation to issues arising out of the PPA with DPL and also issues pertaining to COD, Connectivity and Open Access

MOSER BAER ENERGY & DEVELOPMENT, SUNBORNE ENERGY GUJARAT ONE AND WELSPUN ENERGY

On successfully defending before APTEL and GERC in an appeal filed by GUVNL is seeking truing up of normative/generic solar tariff based on actuals

MUMBAI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (MIAL)

On various matters of tariff setting for the CSI Airport Mumbai and levy of development fee towards the pre-funding of capital expenditure at the airport

On drafting a petition under Section 86 (1)(k) of the Electricity Act, 2003 seeking clarification regarding applicability of Power Factor Incentive to MIAL for electricity procured through Open Access as well

On an opinion pertaining to whether gross revenue forms a part of the Annual Fee from Revenue Share Assets for the purpose of calculation of "S" which is a factor to be considered for the purpose of computation of target revenue as given in OMDA

On negotiating terms and conditions for buying power through open access from TPTCL

On the exclusion of MIAL from government's policy to liberalize land use for airport developers under the National Civil Aviation Policy 2016

MYTRAH ENERGY

On providing an Opinion on whether Mytrah and Telangana DISCOMs (TSSPDCL and TSNPDCL) can extend the SCOD without seeking approval of the State Electricity Regulatory Commission

On multiple petitions before the Telangana State Electricity Regulatory Commission seeking Change in Law on account of the introduction of GST

On representing before the Appellate Tribunal for Electricity to successfully secure its rights to sign the Power Purchase Agreement for the total capacity allotted to it under the Rajasthan Wind Policy

On representing various SPVs of Mytrah in petitions before Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission seeking extension of SCOD for Solar Power projects being set up in Karnataka

MYTRAH (BHRAHMAPUTRA)

On drafting of communications, applications and representing before various forums, if need be, for return of BG submitted at various stages of obtaining LTA and related issues for the project located at Sokkannur, Tamil Nadu (SECI-IV Projects)

MYTRAH VAYU (SABARMATI)

On drafting of letters, applications, representing before various forums seeking extension of SCOD for the project located at Maniyachi, Tamil Nadu (SECI- I Projects)

On the issue of non-scheduling of power by UPPCL due to non-adoption of tariff by Appropriate Commission

MYTRAH AADHYA POWER

On an appeal by Punjab State Power Corporation Limited against the order dated December 21, 2018 passed by PSERC in Petition No. 12 of 2017 on the wrongful reopening of the PPA and extension of the applicability of the tariff

MYTRAH VAYU (SOM)

On a writ petition filed before the Hon'ble High Court of Rajasthan (Jodhpur Bench) in respect of arbitrary and unlawful delay in executing the power purchase agreements by the Rajasthan Discoms and applicability of RERC Generic Tariff Order for Wind Power Plants

MIYAR HYDRO ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY

On providing an Opinion for Auditor on the issue of the possibility of termination of 90 MW Miyar Hydro Electric Project earlier allotted to HPPPL by the Government of Himachal Pradesh

NABHA POWER AND L&T POWER DEVELOPMENT

On representing before PSERC, APTEL and Supreme Court in relation to 'Change in Law' claims based on availability of similar fiscal benefits to its 1400 MW Rajpura power project under Mega Power Policy 2009 and Foreign Trade Policy 2009-14

NABHA POWER

On successfully representing before Supreme Court in the civil appeal filed against the APTEL's judgment on the issue of interpretation of energy charges formula under the Power Purchase Agreement and non-payment of washing charges, loss due to GCV degradation, etc.

On a dispute against Punjab State Power Corporation Limited involving the power of the State Regulatory Commission to refer a dispute between a genco and a discom for arbitration under the Electricity Act, 2003

On representing before APTEL in relation to a matter involving ascertainment of responsibility for arranging fuel for its 1400 MW Rajpura power project being set up under the Case 2 route of the Competitive Bidding Guidelines

On representing before the Supreme Court defending a 'Change in Law' claim made under the Power Purchase Agreement on account of change in approvals by Indian Railways provided for setting up railway siding and associated infrastructure

NORTHERN RAILWAY

On representing before APTEL on certain tariff determination issues

OPG POWER GENERATION

Contesting the vires of the Tariff Regulations, 2014/Tariff Order(s) issued by Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission

On various Change-in-Law claims under multiple Power Purchase Agreements executed with the State Distribution Companies of Karnataka

On representing Group Companies of OPG Group before APTEL against the Order of KERC allowing Karnataka DISCOMs to deduct Liquidated Damages from the monthly energy invoices raised by OPG Group Companies

OPGS POWER GUJARAT

On a Petition filed by OPGS before Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission against arbitrary and wrongful refusal of grant of distribution open access by MSEDCL

On review of BPTA signed by OPGS with GETCO and to advise on how to mitigate the liabilities thereunder, including ways & means of relinquishing the same

On an appeal filed before Supreme Court in relation to dispute regarding extension of effective date of BPTA and transmission charges payable thereunder

ORANGE ANANTAPUR WIND POWER

On opinion regarding applicable methodology for considering the depreciation in generating assets of the Orange Anantapur Wind Power under the regulatory framework

ORANGE RENEWABLE POWER

On whether the consent of landowners is required, in accordance with Section 10 of Telegraph Act read with Section 164 of the Electricity Act, 2003, for laying the transmission lines

ORANGE URAVAKONDA WIND POWER

On a Petition under Section 86 (1) (f) for adjudication of disputes arising out of PPA dated May 31, 2016 between Orange and Southern Power Distribution Corporation

OSTRO ENERGY

On the risk involved in buying into a Phase-1 Solar Project in light of the GUVNL appeal pending before the Supreme Court

On a petition filed by PGCIL under Section 79(1)(f) of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with Regulation 33B of the CERC Connectivity Regulations, 2009 and Regulation 111 of the CERC (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 1999

On issue of the payment obligation of charges for import and export of reactive power from and to the grid under the PPA with Madhya Pradesh Paschim Kshetra Vidyut Vitran Company

On possible implications of the revised Tariff Policy (dated January 28, 2016) on the process of procurement of wind energy power by discoms/trading licensee in the States of Andhra Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, and Karnataka

OSTRO ENERGY, MYTRAH ENERGY, CLP INDIA, ORANGE RENEWABLE, TANOT WIND FARM, HERO FUTURE ENERGIES AND RENEW POWER

On representing before Rajasthan Electricity Regulatory Commission RERC in petitions under Section 86(1)(f) seeking relief against State Load Despatch Center for backing down the developers in contravention of the Grid Code

PARAMPUJYA SOLAR ENERGY

On an appeal filed against Order dated May 8, 2018 issued by Chhattisgarh Electricity Regulatory Commission wherein the Commission refused to direct Discom to rectify invoices for the drawl of power by APTEL for its auxiliary consumption. Tariff Order applicable to the area Discom specifically mentions a schedule for tariff for auxiliary consumption, however Discom refused to comply with the reliefs against NTPC Limited for (10 X 5 MW) projects specific terms of the Tariff Order

On representing before CERC seeking extension of SCOD and other declaratory and substantive situated in the State of Telangana in terms of the PPA dated August 4, 2016.

POWER EXCHANGE INDIA

On representing before CERC and APTEL in various petitions concerning the implementation of CERC Power Market Regulations, 2010

On representing before the Bombay High Court in a writ petition filed by MSEDCL challenging the open access being given by MERC to customers buying power through power exchanges

On representing before the Supreme Court of India in a dispute between the Forwards Market Commission and CERC over regulatory control of future contracts of trading in electricity

POWER GRID CORPORATION

On issues in relation to the Western Region Strengthening System Schemes II

On the drafting of transmission service agreement, revenue sharing agreement for implementation of CERC (Sharing of Transmission Charges and Losses) Regulations 2010 and providing for payment of transmission charges on Point of Collection method

On drafting of transmission service agreement, revenue sharing agreement for implementation of CERC (Sharing of Transmission Charges and Losses) Regulations 2010 and providing for payment of transmission charges on Point of Collection method

POWER TRANSMISSION COMPANY OF UTTARAKHAND

On representing before CERC for grant of permission to build, own and operate an inter-state transmission system within the state of Uttarakhand without an inter-state transmission license. This was the first time such permission was issued by CERC

PIONEER GAS

On representing before MERC in a petition seeking grant of certain benefits to gas based power plants in Maharashtra

PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS

Preparation of draft Toll Policy and drafting On pments to the relevant acts for Government of West Bengal

PUNJAB STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD

Before APTEL in certain regulatory matters before the APTEL which involved complex tariff determination issues

PUNJAB STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

On representing before APTEL in relation to adoption tariff for thermal power generation under Section 63 of the Electricity Act, 2003

REC TRANSMISSION PROJECTS COMPANY

On representing before CERC in relation to the adoption of transmission charges under Section 63 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for Nagapattinam Madhugiri Transmission Company to establish transmission system associated with IPPs of Nagapattinam/Cuddalore Area

RENASCENT POWER VENTURE

On representing the client before UPERC, APTEL and Supreme Court of India in relation to takeover of Prayagraj Power Generation Company. The takeover was result of a resolution process undertaken by State Bank of India/Lenders under the umbrella of the RBI Guidelines

RUNWAL DEVELOPERS AND R-MALL DEVELOPERS

On representing before the Maharashtra Electricity Regulation Commission in a dispute pertaining to making good/compensating the Petitioner in terms of the financial benefits which would have accrued to the Petitioners had the open access permission been granted to the Petitioners diligently and on time in accordance with the provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION CORPORATION

On representing before CERC in a dispute qua construction of Transmission Line with PGCIL

RAJASTHAN TEXTILE MILLS ASSOCIATION

On representing before the Supreme Court in an SLP challenging the levy of Renewable Purchase Obligation on captive generation plants in Rajasthan

RENEW POWER AND INDIAN WIND POWER ASSOCIATION

On writ petitions filed before the Andhra Pradesh High Court on the Generation Based Incentive issue

RENEW POWER VENTURES

On drafting of Section 63 Petition to be filed before Jharkhand State ERC for adoption of tariff discovered through competitive bidding

On a writ petition filed before the AP High Court, pertaining to pass-through of Generation Based Incentive to Discoms. The writ petition challenged the provisions of Tariff Regulations of Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission basis which the Commission has allowed pass through of the Generation Based Incentives to Discoms

RENEW POWER VENTURES AND TATA POWER RENEWABLE ENERGY

On issues relating to the commissioning of wind power projects in Madhya Pradesh against the post-facto objections raised by MPPMCL/MPPTCL

RENEW POWER, ORANGE GROUP, OSTRO ENERGY, CLP INDIA, MYTRAH ENERGY, HERO FUTURE ENERGIES AND GREENKO GROUP

On common issue of 'forced backing down of generation' despite having a status of 'Must Run' plant

RENEW WIND ENERGY (VAREKARWADI)

On an issue of extension of SCOD due to Force Majeure eventualities faced during the implementation of its Wind Power Project in the State of Gujarat.

SEMBCORP ENERGY INDIA (ERSTWHILE THERMAL POWERTECH CORPORATION OF INDIA)

On a petition filed before CERC for seeking change in law on account of issuance of Flue Gas Desulphurization (FGD) Notification dated December 7, 2015 by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change Government of India. Sembcorp Energy India has sought for the approval in order to comply to the revised emission norms with respect to the Sulphur Dioxide and Nitrogen Oxide in line with the notification dated December 7, 2015. The petitions have been heard and are reserved for orders by the CERC

On a civil appeal wherein the Supreme Court dealt with the issue of jurisdiction of CERC to adjudicate upon disputes arising out of such power purchase agreements which were executed between power generators and the distribution licensees of United Andhra Pradesh, and such Power Purchase Agreements were approved by APERC. Post bifurcation of Andhra Pradesh in terms of Andhra Pradesh Reorganization Act, 2014, the erstwhile state of Andhra Pradesh was bifurcated into two new states i.e. State of Andhra Pradesh and State of Telangana, therefore, the issue that which Regulatory Commission will have jurisdiction arose first by way of a writ petition before the High Court of Andhra Pradesh and subsequently by way of the above mentioned civil appeal before the Supreme Court. Finally, the Hon'ble Supreme Court by way of an Order dated February 4, 2020 held that since post bifurcation of erstwhile State of Andhra Pradesh, Power Generators are providing electricity to two different States, therefore, as per Electricity Act, read with Andhra Pradesh Reorganization Act, 2014, CERC shall have the jurisdiction over any proceeding emerging from the said power purchase agreements

On a petition filed before CERC for seeking compensation on account of change in law under Section 79 of the Electricity Act read with the relevant provision of the power purchase agreement dated April 1, 2013, with distribution licensees of State of Telangana and State of Andhra Pradesh for supply of total of 500 MW of power. The 'Change in Law' events, as claimed by Sembcorp amongst other events include expenses incurred due to increase in clean

energy cess, imposition of excise duty on coal, increase in development surcharge, etc

SB ENERGY

On representing before CERC in relation to 'Change in Law' Petitions. Advising on the legal and strategic issues in the matter and appearing and managing the dispute resolution process before the CERC

On the cancellation of 2400 MW solar capacity auctioned by SECI pursuant to RFS Document dated February 27, 2018 for "Selection of Solar Power Developers for Setting up of 3000 MW (250 MW x 12) ISTS-Connected Solar Power Projects under Global Competitive Bidding"

On representing before APTEL in relation to the solar power projects in Ananthapuramu & Kadapa Solar Parks (Andhra Pradesh)

On public hearings being conducted by the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission for adoption of tariff and approval of capacity of power procurement of AP Discoms from the solar power projects in Ananthapuramu & Kadapa Solar Parks (Andhra Pradesh)

SHIVALAKHA SOLAR ENERGY (ERSTWHILE SOLAR SEMICONDUCTOR POWER COMPANY)

On representing before APTEL in relation to a matter involving the extension of control period of the relevant Tariff Order under which project was awarded to it

SOUTH EAST UTTAR PRADESH POWER TRANSMISSION COMPANY (SEUPTCL)

On representing before Uttar Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission for seeking extension of Scheduled Commercial Operation Date (SCOD) of a transmission project located in the state of Uttar Pradesh on account of certain unforeseeable and uncontrollable delays in execution of the Project. The transmission project was awarded to ISOLUX by UP Power Transmission Corporation Limited by way of bidding conducted under Section 63 of the Electricity Act for construction, operation and maintenance of the transmission lines on 'Build, Own, Operate, Maintain and Transfer' basis

On an Appeal before APTEL against Order dated December 13, 2018 passed in Petition No. 1328 of 2018 seeking substantive and declaratory reliefs against the Respondents

SPRNG ENERGY

On four Change in Law Petitions to be filed before the CERC for claiming impact on account of Change in Law as a result of the introduction of GST and Safeguard Duty

STATE GOVERNMENTS OF HARYANA, ANDHRA PRADESH, GOA, MADHYA PRADESH, AND CHHATTISGARH

On the implementation of the provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003 including re-structuring the sector and provided full regulatory and restructuring support

STERLITE ENERGY

On representing before CERC in relation to seeking enhancement of tariff of a transmission project due to change in scope of the project

STERLITE POWER TRANSMISSION

On options to promote PPP projects in Intra-State Transmission System

SURYATAAP ENERGIES & INFRASTRUCTURE

On their tariff filing before Assam Electricity Regulatory Commission

SUNMARK ENERGY PROJECTS

On representing in a petition under Section 86(1)(f) of the Electricity Act before Bihar Electricity Regulatory Commission for adjudication of disputes arising out of the Power Purchase Agreement

SOLITAIRE POWERTECH

On its 'Change in Law' claim under the 30 MW PPA executed by it with SECI on August 2, 2018 in Karnataka

TATA CAPITAL FINANCIAL SERVICES

On an Opinion on queries pertaining to the legal sanctity of 'must-run' status given to renewable energy projects, possibility of changes in the legislation granting such status and provisions of PPAs in relation thereto

TATA POWER TRADING COMPANY (TPTCL)

On filing Petition before MERC challenging the demand notice issued by MSEDCL dated 16.11.2018 for payment against a shortfall in supply of power pursuant to a bid issued by MSEDCL seeking short term power supply

On representing before CERC seeking passing appropriate orders/ directions to enable it to import power from the hydro generation project being developed by Dagachhu Hydro Power Corporation in Bhutan

TATA POWER DELHI DISTRIBUTION (TPDDL)

On representing before the Delhi High Court in a writ proceeding challenging the provisions of the DERC Tariff Regulations

On representing before DERC in a matter involving re-working approval of means of finance for the development of distribution network considering deposits received from consumers for various exclusive works

On representing before APTEL in various appeals relating to the determination of its distribution tariff by DERC for various years

On representing before DERC in relation to a matter involving a challenge to directions/guidelines issued by DERC on the process to be adhered by TPDDL in short term power procurement/sales of power

On representing before Delhi High Court challenging the regulations issued by DERC for the determination of distribution tariff

On representing before DERC and APTEL in relation to the annual performance review of the company for different years

On representing before DERC in relation to issues arising out of the de-capitalization of distribution assets and its accounting treatment in terms of depreciation and value of assets

On representing before CERC in a petition filed by NTPC seeking relief on account of Change in Law event involving the issuance of direction by Delhi Pollution Control Committee on December 6, 2016 leading to shutdown of 2x210 MW Units

On a petition to be filed before the DERC seeking the adoption of tariff and the approval of the PSA entered into with SECI for procurement of 50 MW power based on the tariff discovered pursuant to competitive bidding undertaken by SECI for 2000 MW Wind Power Projects

TATA POWER RENEWABLE ENERGY

On a petition filed approval and determination of compensation on account of Change in Law for the Solar project in Pavagada

TATA POWER COMPANY

On representing before Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission (MERC) and APTEL in a series of disputes with the competing distribution licensees on issues arising out of parallel licensing in Mumbai

On a petition filed under Regulation 101 read with Regulation 102 of the MERC multiyear tariff regulations 2015 before the Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission

On an appeal challenging the Solar Tariff Order passed by TNERC for the FY 2015-16

On operating procedure to be adopted by electricity distribution companies operating in the same license area by sharing of distribution network. This is the first time that such sharing of distribution network has been affected in India

On several matters before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, High Court of Judicature at Bombay, APTEL, CERC, MERC, and PSERC

On the Network Rollout petition for which public hearing is scheduled for June 21, 2016, engage with consumers/representatives/ external stakeholders of Tata Power and help them in preparation of appropriate responses

On whether a TG Unit with the supply of steam from third party meets the requirement of "captive generating plant" under the Electricity Act, 2003 (Act) and the Electricity Rules, 2005 (Rules)

On transfer of its regulatory assets (land) for monetization

On an Opinion to TPC-G setting out the mechanism/procedure to recover the cost of unutilized fuel stock and spares procured for Unit 6 of Trombay plant not going to be used on account of its economic shut down and drafting a letter to convey the same to MERC

TIMARPUR-OKHLA WASTE MANAGEMENT COMPANY

In various petitions filed before DERC regarding various issues arising from power purchase agreement entered with BSES Rajdhani Power for sale of power generated from waste to energy plant

THERMAL POWER CORPORATION INDIA

On a petition filed before CERC seeking certain reliefs with regard its 2x660 MW thermal power on account of Change in Law events occurred during the Operation Period and also advising on amendment of the said petition to include additional issues of GST, pass-through of cost of imported coal

On a memorandum on queries raised by client in relation to restricting supply of power up to normative availability under the Power Purchase Agreement and the possibility of selling surplus power to third parties

UDUPI POWER COMPANY

On representing before CERC in a matter relating to the determination of generation tariff

On a petition filed before CERC for seeking change in law on account of issuance of Flue Gas Desulphurization Notification dated December 7, 2015 by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change Government of India. CERC while declaring installation of FGD as change in law highlighted the importance of installation of Selective Non-Catalytic system for abatement of Sox and NOx emissions along with the treatment of flue gases by FGD system. UPCL also obtained the approval of additional cost required for augmentation of the FGD system

UTTARAKHAND JAL VIDYUT NIGAM

On various issues such as provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003 applicable to generation companies, statutory approvals and legal compliances to be complied with by the generating companies, regulatory jurisdictional issues and on the issue of trading in its surplus energy. Successfully represented the entity before the Hon'ble Commission in various matters. Prepared the Aggregate Revenue Requirement filings, Tariff filings, and other regulatory instruments for the entity and has been giving advice on all day-to-day issues faced by the entity

UTTAR PRADESH POWER CORPORATION LTD

On representing before UPERC, CERC, APTEL and Supreme Court in several matters on diverse regulatory matters involving varied issues like tariff determination, deemed generation, concept of coercion/undue influence/dominant position under commercial contracts, breach of contract, etc

On advising on strategy, drafting pleadings, and contesting the matter on behalf of UPPCL before the UPERC in a petition filed by Jaiprakash Power Ventures Limited (JPVL) in respect of its 400 MW Vishnuprayag Hydro Electric Project challenging the recovery initiated by UPPCL on account of excess reimbursement made by UPPCL of taxes on income and payment of secondary energy charges in the tariff paid to JPVL and securing a favorable order for UPPCL

On advising on the strategy, drafting the pleadings, appearing before various forums with respect to numerous Supplementary PPAs being executed between Lalitpur Power Generation Company and UPPCL and securing a favorable order

WARDHA SOLAR (MAHARASHTRA)

On filing of appropriate Petition before CERC claiming recovery of amounts deducted towards Liquidated Damages. 7 Nos. of similar Petitions arising from 7 different Power Purchase Agreements, have to be filed seeking said amounts deducted towards LD among other declaratory/substantive relief

WELSPUN ENERGY

On representing before Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission in its Power Purchase Agreement related dispute with Tamil Nadu Generation & Distribution Corporation

On filing petition under Section 79 of the Electricity Act, 2003 before the CERC, for seeking stay against prospective termination of the Power Purchase Agreement by SECI

On representing before the Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission in its dispute with Bangalore Electricity Supply Company regarding signing of supplementary Power Purchase Agreement for increase in maximum Capacity Utilization Factor of its Solar PV plant

WELSPUN RENEWABLES ENERGY PRIVATE LIMITED AND NATIONAL SOLAR ENERGY FEDERATION OF INDIA

On appeals filed before APTEL against the generic solar tariff order issued by the TNERC. HSA challenged the methodology and computation of specific components of solar tariff and was successful in obtaining specific directions to the TNERC for redetermination of the tariff components, including, capital cost, return on equity and depreciation

WEST BENGAL POWER DEVELOPMENT COMPANY

On an ongoing investigation initiated by the Central Bureau of Investigation on improper allocation and usage of coal block

WEST BENGAL STATE ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION COMPANY

On various matters before APTEL, CERC, and WBERC on issues relating to compliance of Grid Code, distribution tariff, challenging the vires CERC Transmission Sharing Regulations, and grants of open access by CERC

WIND INDEPENDENT POWER PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION

On possibility of reduction in the feed-in-tariff on the basis of which Power Purchase Agreements have been executed and drafting relevant correspondences in relation thereto

On representing before APERC seeking appropriate direction of APERC to AP SLDC and AP TRANSCO to restore the Uravakonda Substation and form a committee to enquire and examine the conduct of AP SLDC and AP TRANSCO

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