

CHHATTISGARH STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION, RAIPUR

Order Sheet

Petition No:- 45/2026

Suo Motu

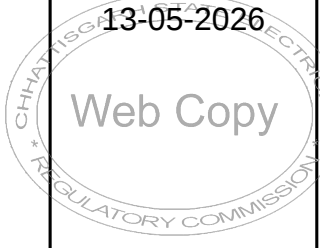
--Petitioner

Versus

Chhattisgarh State Power Distribution Co Ltd

Chhattisgarh State Power Generation Company Limited

--Respondent

Date of order or Proceeding	Order or proceeding with signature of presiding officer
13-05-2026 	Shri Deepak Joglekar, SE present for respondent CSPGCL. No one present for respondent CSPDCL. 2. The respondent CSPGCL has requested time to file reply. Request allowed with direction to file reply within 2 weeks. 3. In the matter of respondent CSPDCL, it is observed that original notice no. 571 dated 13.03.2026 was served to the respondent CSPDCL on 23.03.2026 for hearing on 07.05.2026. Meanwhile, the hearing was postponed for today. The respondent CSPDCL was communicated vide letter no. 716 dated 15.04.2026 regarding the postponement of hearing. The letter was also served on 16.04.2026 to the respondent CSPDCL. Despite these intimations the respondent CSPDCL remained absent today without any reason or communication. 4. This act of the respondent CSPDCL, which is a State owned utility is not only cost disobedience of the Commission's order, but also disregard to the judicial proceedings of a statutory authority. In near past also in some other cases, the Commission observed that no one represented CSPDCL in the hearing despite service of notice. The Commission had conveyed its displeasure earlier also for such irresponsible and negligent approach of the respondent CSPDCL. 5. Keeping in view repeated contemptuous attitude of the respondent, we direct to issue a show cause notice to the Managing Director (M.D.) of the respondent CSPDCL as to why a penal action should not be taken against the respondent for such attitude. Notice should be returnable within 15 days. 6. List the case for hearing on 10.06.2026 at 11:30 AM. Sd /- (Ajay Kumar Singh) Member (Tech.) Sd /- (Vivek Ganodwale) Member (Law)