

POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED



**Annual Report
2022-23**

Board of Directors



SHRI ANANTHA SARMA BOPPUDI

Chairman

Shri Anantha Sarma Boppudi has an illustrious career in Power Transmission sector of India spanning over 35 years. He joined NTPC in 1985 as Executive Trainee and was later absorbed in POWERGRID in 1991. He has vast expertise in Power Transmission Asset Management as well as Project Management of EHV AC and HVDC Transmission Systems including Gas-Insulated Substations. In addition to the Directorship, he heads the Corporate Planning Department as Executive Director in POWERGRID. He has also served as Executive Director of North Eastern region of POWERGRID. He was appointed as Director of the Company in November, 2020.



SHRI RAJESH SRIVASTAVA

Director

Shri Rajesh Srivastava has an experience of over 39 years in Power Transmission sector of India. He joined NTPC in 1984 as Engineering Executive Trainee and later absorbed in POWERGRID in 1991. He has vast expertise in Power Transmission Asset Management as well as Project Management of EHV AC and HVDC Transmission Systems including Gas-Insulated Substations. He previously worked in the NR-I, NR-II & ER-I regions of POWERGRID and has also served Bihar Grid Company Limited on deputation. In addition to the Directorship, he currently heads the SR-I region in POWERGRID as Executive Director. He was appointed as Director of the Company in August, 2022.



MRS. SEEMA GUPTA

Director

Mrs. Seema Gupta presently serving as Sr. General Manager (F&A) in Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (Holding Company). She has over 32 years of experience in the power sector. She started her career in NHPC. She has covered various area of finance like concurrence, commercial, international finance, capex, etc. She was appointed as Director of the Company in June, 2022.



SHRI YAGYA DATT

Director

Shri Yagya Datt, presently serving as Senior GM (CS) in Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (Holding Company). He has worked with NTPC for 7 years handling various activities related with the procurement of goods & services for various projects. After joining POWERGRID in 1991, have been associated with the procurement of various Equipment's/Services for projects under Domestic/Multilateral funding. Handled post award contract activities and Monitoring of HVDC Kurukshetra Project. He was appointed as Director of the Company in October, 2022.

Reference Information

POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED

CIN: U40106DL2015GOI278746

Registered Office:

B-9, Qutab Institutional Area, Katwaria Sarai, New Delhi - 110 016
Phone No. - 011-26525591& 26525592

Company Secretary:

Shri Shwetank Kumar

For the Financial year 2022-23

Statutory Auditors:

M/s Krishna & Prasad, Chartered Accountants

26, Ground Floor, R.B.V.R Reddy Hostel Complex, Tilak Road, Hyderabad
Telangana- 500001

Cost Auditors:

M/s B V S & Co., Cost Accountants

16-2-742F/7, Asmangadh, Malakpeta, Hyderabad, Telangana- 500036.

Internal Auditor:

M/s Harison & Co., Chartered Accountants

Plot No 26, Journalist colony, Road No.3, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad
Telangana – 500082, Mobile No: 9959632242,
E-mail: office@harisan.co.in

Secretarial Auditor:

M/s Kumar Naresh Sinha & Associates

Company Secretaries, 121, Vinayak Apartment, Plot No.: C-58/19, Sector-
62, Noida-201309 (U.P), Mobile: 9868282032, 9810184269, Email:
kumarnareshsinha@gmail.com

Depositories:

 **CDSL** Central Depository System Limited

Bankers:

 **SBI** State Bank of India
 **HDFC BANK** HDFC Bank Ltd.

DIRECTORS' REPORT

To,
Dear Members,

I am delighted to present on behalf of the Board of Directors, the Eighth Annual Report of POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited (PSITSL) on the working of the Company together with Audited Financial Statement and Auditors Report for the financial year ended 31st March, 2023.

State of the Company's Affairs & Project implementation

POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited (PSITSL) was acquired by Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (POWERGRID) on 4th December, 2015 under Tariff based Competitive bidding from REC Transmission Projects Company Limited (the Bid Process Co-Ordinator) for "Strengthening of Transmission System Beyond Vemagiri" Project on build, own operate and maintain (BOOM) basis. The transmission project comprising of 765 kV & 400 kV, D/C transmission lines is to traverse the states of Andhra Pradesh, Telangana & Karnataka and include establishment of one 765/400 kV Substation as well as 400kV bay extension at two existing sub-stations in the state of Andhra Pradesh. The Company was granted transmission license by CERC in March, 2016. PSITSL, comprising elements viz- Vemagiri-II Chilakaluripeta 765kV D/C Line, Chilakaluripeta-Cuddapah 765 kV D/C, Chilakaluripeta-Narsaraopeta (Sattenapalli) 400kV (quad) D/C Line, Cuddapah –Madhugiri 400kV (quad) D/C Line, Srikaukulam Pooling Station-Garividi 400kV (quad) D/C Line and 765/400 kV substation at Chilakaluripeta on Build, own, operate and maintain (BOOM) basis, have been successfully commissioned progressively on 18th January 2020.

The Company has also received, the following projects under RTM route:

- i. 765 KV Spare (1-Ph) Reactor unit at 765 KV Chilakaluripeta substation: This project will be commissioned shortly.
- ii. To bypass NGR to use switchable line reactor as Bus reactor at 765 KV Chilakaluripeta substation: This project has been commissioned on 12th May, 2023 with a total cost of Rs. 121.71 Crore.

Financial Performance

Particulars	(₹ In Lakh)	
	2022-23	2021-22
Revenue from Operations	47,609.35	48,791.14
Other Income	496.36	468.34
Total Income	48,105.71	49,259.48
Expenses	30,721.30	30,780.33
Profit before Exceptional Items and Tax	17,384.41	18,479.15
Exceptional Items - Provision for liquidated damages	-	23,455.02
Profit before Tax	17,384.41	(4,975.87)
Profit after Tax	12,991.15	(3,751.17)
Earnings Per Equity Share (₹)	1.83	(0.53)

Share Capital

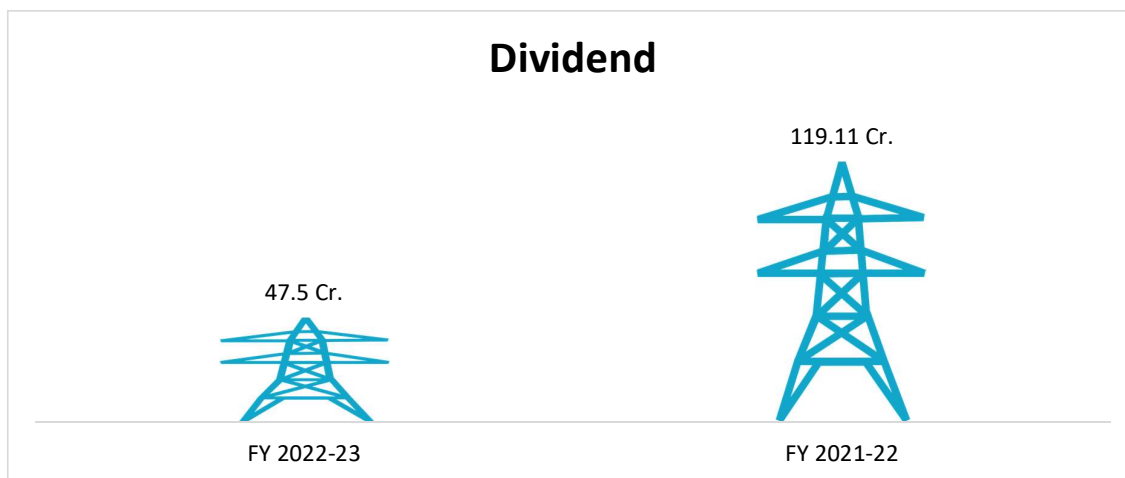
The Authorized Share Capital and Paid-up Share Capital as on 31st March, 2023 of the Company were ₹73100.00 Lakh and ₹70,900.40 Lakh, respectively. During the year under review, the Company has not increased authorized and/or paid-up capital of the Company.

Dividend and Transfer to Reserves

Your Company has declared dividend as follows: -

Dividend	Financial Year 2022-23			
	Rs. per share	% of Paid up Capital	Amount (Rs. In Cr.)	Date of Declaration
First Interim Dividend	0.26	2.60	18.43	23.01.2023
Second Interim Dividend	0.41	4.10	29.07	03.05.2023
Total	0.67	6.7%	47.5	

The total dividend payout for the year amounts to Rs. 47.5 crore. The total payout ratio for the year was 6.7% as compared to 16.80% for previous year.



Transfer to Reserves

Further, for the financial year 2022-23, the amount of ₹438.30 Lakhs was transferred to Self-Insurance Reserve.

Particulars of Loans, Guarantees or Investments

Your Company has not given any loans, provided any guarantee or security to any other entity.

Particulars of contracts or arrangements with related parties

Particulars of contracts or arrangements with related parties referred to Section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013, in the prescribed form AOC-2, are given as **Annexure- I** to the Directors' Report.

Material changes & commitments

There are no material changes / commitments affecting financial position of the company occurring between the date of Financial Statements and the Board's Report.

Details of Significant & Material Orders passed by the regulators, courts, tribunals impacting the going concern status and company's operation in future

No significant / material orders passed by any authority during the Financial Year impacting the going concern status and Company's operation in future.

Deposits

Your Company has not accepted any deposit for the period under review.

Subsidiaries, Joint Ventures and Associate Companies

Your Company does not have any subsidiaries, joint ventures and associate companies.

Directors' Responsibility Statement

As required under section 134(3)(c) & 134(5) of the Companies Act, your Directors confirm that:

- a. in the preparation of the Annual Accounts, the applicable accounting standards have been followed along with proper explanation relating to material departures;
- b. the Directors had selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company at the end of the financial year and of the profit/loss of the company for that period;
- c. the Directors had taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of this Act for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities;
- d. the Directors had prepared the Annual Accounts on a going concern basis; and
- e. the Directors had devised proper systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of all applicable laws and that such systems were adequate and operating effectively.

Conservation of Energy, Technology absorption, Foreign Exchange Earning and Out Go

There is no Conservation of Energy, Technology absorption, Foreign Exchange Earnings and outgo for the period under review.

Annual Return

In accordance with Section 134 (3) (a) of the Companies Act, 2013, Annual Return of the Company Return is available on the website of Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (the Holding Company) and can be accessed here.

Board of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel

As on 31st March, 2023, the Board of the Company comprised four (04) part time Directors viz. Shri Anantha Sarma Boppudi, Shri Rajesh Srivastava, Shri Yagya Datt and Smt. Seema Gupta.

There were some changes in the Board of Directors of the Company during the Financial Year 2022-23.

- i) Smt. V Susheela Devi ceased to be Director of the Company w.e.f. 31.05.2022, consequent to her superannuation from Power Grid Corporation of India Limited;
- ii) Smt. Seema Gupta (DIN: 08742599) was appointed as Additional Director of the Company w.e.f. 06.06.2022;
- iii) Shri Anoop Kumar ceased to be Director of the Company w.e.f. 30.06.2022 consequent to his superannuation from Power Grid Corporation of India Limited;
- iv) Shri Rajesh Srivastava was appointed as Additional Director of the Company w.e.f. 04.08.2022;
- v) Shri G. Ravisankar ceased to be Director of the Company w.e.f. 13.10.2022, consequent to his appointment as Director (Finance) on the board of POWERGRID;
- vi) Shri Yagya Datt was appointed as Additional Director of the Company w.e.f. 17.10.2022;

The Board expressed their gratitude for the contributions made by Smt. V. Susheela Devi, Shri Anoop Kumar and Shri G. Ravisankar during their tenure as Directors of the Company.

The Company has received a notice under section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013 from a member of the Company for appointment of Shri Yagya Datt as Director, who shall be liable to retire by rotation, in the ensuing Annual General Meeting.

In accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Articles of Association of the Company, Shri Anantha Sarma Boppudi shall retire by rotation at the Annual General Meeting of your Company and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.

None of the Directors is disqualified from being appointed/re-appointed as Director.

Subsequently, after the end of the financial year 2022-23, Shri B. Girish Kumar ceased to be Chief Financial Officer (CFO) of the Company w.e.f. 30.06.2023 and Shri Srinivasarao Rajavarapu was appointed as Chief Financial Officer (CFO) of the Company w.e.f. 01.07.2023.

Number of Board meetings during the year

During the financial year ended 31st March, 2023, eight (08) Board meetings were held on 19.05.2022, 06.06.2022, 29.07.2022, 25.08.2022, 21.10.2022, 23.01.2023, 22.03.2023 and 30.03.2023. The detail of number of meetings attended by each Director during the financial year 2022-23 are as under:

Name of Director	Designation	No. of Board Meetings which were entitled to attend during 2022-23	No. of Board Meetings attendance during 2022-23
Shri Anantha Sarma Boppudi	Chairman	8	7 (87.5%)
Shri Ravisankar Ganesan (Ceased to be Director w.e.f. 13.10.2022)	Director	4	4 (100%)
Shri Rajesh Srivastava (Appointed as an Additional Director w.e.f. 04.08.2022)	Director	5	3 (60%)
Smt. Seema Gupta (Appointed as an Additional Director w.e.f. 06.06.2022)	Director	7	7 (100%)
Shri Yagya Datt (Appointed as an Additional Director w.e.f. 17.10.2022)	Additional Director	4	4 (100%)
Shri Anoop Kumar (Ceased to be Director w.e.f. 30.06.2022)	Director	2	2 (100%)
Smt. V. Susheela Devi (Ceased to be Director w.e.f. 31.05.2022)	Director	1	1 (100%)

Committees of the Board

Audit Committee and Nomination & Remuneration Committee

Being the wholly owned subsidiary of POWERGRID, your Company is not required to constitute an Audit Committee and Nomination & Remuneration Committee in terms of notifications dated 5th July, 2017 and 13th July, 2017 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA).

Corporate Social Responsibility Committee (CSR Committee)

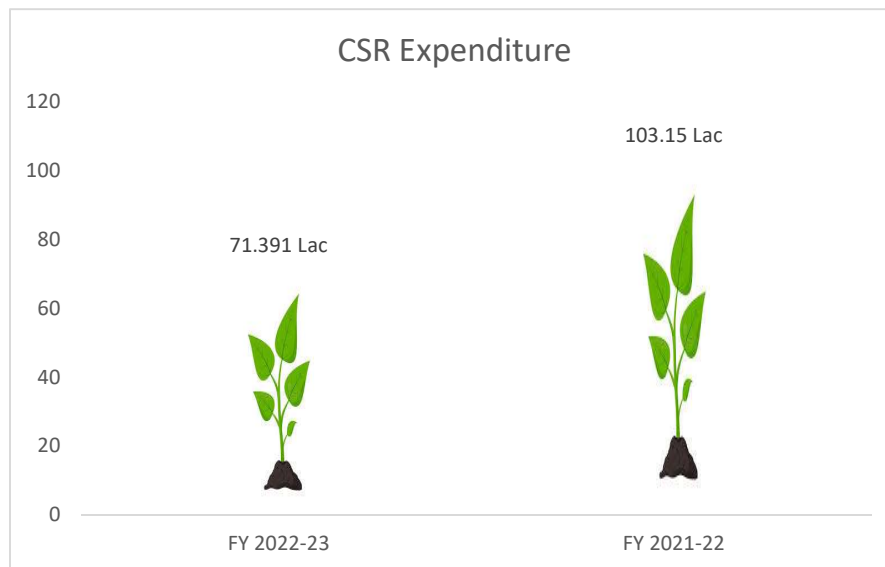
Pursuant to Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made thereunder, Board of Directors had constituted the CSR Committee.

As on 31.03.2023, the Committee comprised with following members:

- i. Shri Anantha Sarma Boppudi, Director : Chairman of the Committee
- ii. Shri Yagya Datt, Director : Member
- iii. Smt. Seema Gupta, Director : Member

During the year 2022-23, two (02) Meetings of the Committee were held on 29.07.2022 and 30.03.2023.

Further, the Company has deposited Rs.71.391 Lakhs as CSR Expenditure towards PM Cares Fund for COVID-19 for the financial year 2022-23. As per requirement of Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 8 (1) of the Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014, the Annual Report of your Company's CSR activities is enclosed at **Annexure - II** to this report.



Declaration by Independent Directors

Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) vide notification dated 05th July 2017 had amended the Rule 4 of Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 as per which the unlisted public companies in the nature of wholly owned subsidiaries are exempted from the requirement of appointing Independent Directors on their Board. Accordingly, the Company (PSITSL), being a Wholly Owned Subsidiary of Power Grid Corporation of India Limited is exempted from the requirement of appointing Independent Directors on the Board.

Performance Evaluation

As per notification dated June 5, 2015 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, the provision related to evaluation of performance of Board, its committees and individual directors under section 178(2) of the Companies Act, 2013 is exempt for Government Companies.

Statutory Auditors

M/s Krishna & Prasad, Chartered Accountants, Hyderabad was appointed by Comptroller and Auditor General of India as Statutory Auditors of the Company for the financial year 2022-23.

Statutory Auditors' Report

M/s Krishna & Prasad, Chartered Accountants, Hyderabad for the financial year 2022-23 have given an unqualified report. The report is self-explanatory and does not require any further comments by the Board.

Details in respect of frauds reported by auditors other than those which are reportable to the Central Government

The Statutory Auditors of the Company have not reported any frauds to the Board of Directors under section 143(12) of the Companies Act, 2013, including rules made thereunder.

Comptroller and Auditor General's (C&AG) Comments

Comptroller and Auditor General of India have conducted a supplementary audit under Section 143(6)(a) of the Companies Act, 2013 of the financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31st March, 2023. C&AG vide letter dated 06.07.2023, has stated that on the basis of said supplementary audit, an observation has been highlighted. In view of the same, the management reply along with C&AG letter are being placed as an **Annexure-III** to this report.

Secretarial Audit Report

Kumar Naresh Sinha & Associates, Practicing Company Secretary has conducted Secretarial Audit of the Company for the financial year ended 31st March, 2023. The Secretarial Audit Report is placed at **Annexure-IV** to this report. The Secretarial Auditors have given an unqualified report.

Development & Implementation of Risk Management Policy

Your Company being a wholly owned subsidiary of POWERGRID is covered under its Risk Management Framework.

Particulars of Employees

As per Notification dated June 5, 2015 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, exempting the Government Companies to comply with the provisions of Section 197 of the Companies Act, 2013 and corresponding rules of Chapter XIII. As your Company is a Government Company, the information has not been included as a part of Directors' report.

Prevention of Sexual Harassment at Workplace

Since, the Company is a Wholly Owned subsidiary of Power Grid Corporation of India Limited, a single Internal Complaint Committee is in place established by its Holding Company to redress the complaints regarding sexual harassment in line with the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibitions and Redressal) Act, 2013.

There was no incidence of Sexual Harassment during the Financial Year 2022-23.

Internal Financial Control Systems and their adequacy

Your Company being a wholly owned subsidiary of POWERGRID (Holding Company) has comply with Internal Financial Controls System over Financial Reporting as adopted by the Holding Company.

Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016

During the Financial Year 2022-23, no application has been made under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code; hence the requirement to disclose the details of application made or any proceeding pending under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 during the year along with their status as at the end of the financial year is not applicable

Compliance with Secretarial Standards

The Company follows the applicable Secretarial Standards issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India and approved by the Central Government under Section 118(10) of the Act.

Maintenance of Cost records of the Company

Maintenance of cost records as specified by the Central Government under sub-section (1) of Section 148 of the Companies Act, 2013, is being properly maintained by the company and M/s B V S & Co., Cost Audit Firm was appointed as Cost Auditors for the Financial Year 2022-23 for conducting the cost audit under Section 148 of the Act.

Right to Information

In compliance with 'Right to Information Act, 2005', an appropriate mechanism is in place for promoting transparency and accountability, wherein POWERGRID (Holding Company) has nominated Central Public Information Officer & Appellate Authority for your Company to provide required information under the provisions of Act.

Acknowledgement

The Board extends its sincere thanks to the Ministry of Power, the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission, POWERGRID, the Comptroller & Auditor General of India, and the Auditors of the Company.

**For and on behalf of
POWERGRID Southern Interconnector
Transmission System Limited**



**(Anantha Sarma Boppudi)
Chairman
DIN: 08742208**

Date: 31.08.2023
Place: Gurgaon

POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED**FORM NO. AOC -2**

(Pursuant to clause (h) of sub-section (3) of section 134 of the Act and Rule 8(2) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014

Form for Disclosure of particulars of contracts/arrangements entered into by the company with related parties referred to in sub section (1) of section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 including certain arm's length transaction under third proviso thereto.

1. Details of contracts or arrangements or transactions not at Arm's length basis.

Sl. No.	Particulars	Details
a	Name (s) of the related party & nature of relationship	-
b	Nature of contracts/arrangements/transaction	-
c	Duration of the contracts/arrangements/transaction	-
d	Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transaction including the value, if any	-
e	Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions'	-
f	Date of approval by the Board	-
g	Amount paid as advances, if any	-
h	Date on which the special resolution was passed in General meeting as required under first proviso to section 188	-

2. Details of contracts or arrangements or transactions at Arm's length basis.

Sl. No.	Particulars	Details
a	Name (s) of the related party & nature of relationship	Power Grid Corporation of India Limited, Holding Company of POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited
b	Nature of contracts/arrangements/transaction	<p>Part (A): to take security(ies) / guarantee(s) in connection with loan (s) an / or any form of debt including ECBs and / or to provide inter corporate loan (s) on cost to cost basis, up to an amount of Rs. 2963.19 Crore from POWERGRID.</p> <p>Part (B): to avail all inputs and services as may be required by the Company @ 5% of the actual project cost (excl. IDC and Consultancy Fee) plus tax as applicable.</p> <p>Part (C): to avail Post-CoD activities including O&M consultancy as may be required by the Project.</p>

c	Duration of the contracts/arrangements/transaction	Part (A) As mutually agreed Part (B) Commissioning of the Project including associated reconciliation activities and Part (C) As mutually agreed
d	Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transaction including the value, if any	Refer (b)
e	Date of approval by the Board	14.09.2020, 07.06.2022 for Part A 19.03.2016, 07.06.2022 for Part B 25.01.2021 for Part C
f	Amount paid as advances, if any	NIL

For and on behalf of
POWERGRID Southern Interconnector
Transmission System Limited

(Anantha Sarma Boppudi)
Chairman
DIN: 08742208

Date: 31.08.2023
Place: Gurgaon

ANNUAL REPORT ON CSR ACTIVITIES FOR FY 2022-23

1. Brief outline on CSR Policy of the Company.

Your Company has adopted the CSR policy of its holding company viz. Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (POWERGRID) and is undertaking CSR activities through POWERGRID or as directed by POWERGRID. CSR Policy of POWERGRID is formulated keeping in view the requirements of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rules made thereunder and the Department of Public Enterprises. The activities proposed to be undertaken under CSR shall include all the activities mentioned in Schedule VII of Section 135 (3) (a) of the Companies Act, 2013.

The Policy is available on Holding Company's website and can be accessed [here](#).

2. Composition of CSR Committee as on 31st March, 2023.

S. No.	Name of Director	Designation / Nature of Directorship	Number of meetings of CSR Committee held during the year	Number of meetings of CSR Committee attended during the year
1.	Shri Anantha Sarma Boppudi, Chairman	Director	2 (Two)	2 (Two)
2.	Shri Yagya Datt, Member	Director	1 (One)	1 (One)
3.	Smt. Seema Gupta, Member	Director	2 (Two)	2 (Two)

3. Web-link(s) where Composition of CSR Committee, CSR Policy and CSR Projects approved by the Board are disclosed on the website of the Company
- The Company has complied with the applicable provisions of Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder. The Company has adopted the CSR policy of POWERGRID (Holding Company), as mentioned above, detail of the same can be viewed at <https://www.powergrid.in/sites/default/files/CSR%26S%20policy.pdf>
- Further, as the Company does not have its website, the CSR projects, which have been undertaken by the Board of Directors during the year, has been provided in this report.
4. Provide the executive summary along with web-link(s) of Impact Assessment of
- Not applicable for current financial year under review.

CSR Projects carried out in pursuance of sub-rule (3) of rule 8, if applicable.

5. (a) Average net profit of the company as per sub-section (5) of section 135. Rs. 35,69,53,074
- (b) Two percent of average net profit of the company as per sub-section (5) of Section 135 Rs.71,39,062
- (c) Surplus arising out of the CSR Projects or programmes or activities of the previous financial years. Rs.0
- (d) Amount required to be set-off for the financial year, if any. Rs.0
- (e) Total CSR obligation for the financial year [(b)+(c)-(d)]. Rs.71,39,062
6. (a) Amount spent on CSR Projects (both Ongoing Project and other than Ongoing Project): Rs. 71,39,100
- (b) Amount spent in Administrative Overheads Rs.0
- (c) Amount spent on Impact Assessment, if applicable Rs.0
- (d) Total amount spent for the Financial Year [(a)+(b) +(c)]: Rs.71,39,100
- (e) CSR amount spent or unspent for the financial year: Rs.0

Total Amount Spent for the Financial Year (in Rs. Lakhs)	Amount spent (in Rs.)				
	Total Amount transferred to Unspent CSR Account as per sub-section (6) of section 135.		Amount transferred to any fund specified under Schedule VII as per second proviso to sub-section (5) of section 135.		
	Amount	Date of Transfer	Name of the fund	Amount	Date of transfer
71.39	0	NIL	NIL	0	NIL

(f) Excess amount for set off:

S. No.	Particulars	Amount (In Rs.)
(i)	Two percent of average net profit of the company as per sub-section (5) of section 135	Rs.71,39,062
(ii)	Total amount spent for the Financial Year	Rs.71,39,100
(iii)	Excess amount spent for the Financial Year (ii-i)	0
(iv)	Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of the previous financial year, if any.	0
(v)	Amount available for set off in succeeding financial years (iv-iii)	0

7. Details of Unspent Corporate Social Responsibility amount for the preceding three financial years:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Sl. No.	Preceding Financial Year(s)	Amount transferred to Unspent CSR Account under sub-section (6) of section	Balance Amount in Unspent CSR Account under sub-	Amount Spent in the Financial Year (in Rs)	Amount transferred to a Fund as specified under Schedule VII as per second proviso to sub-section (5) of	Amount remaining to be spent in succeeding financial	Deficiency, if any

		135 (in Rs.)	section (6) of section 135 (in Rs.)		section 135, if any		years (in Rs.)	
					Amount (in Rs.)	Date of transfer		
1.	2019-20	NA	NA	NA	0	NA	NIL	NA
2.	2020-21	NA	NA	NA	0	NA	NIL	NA
3.	2021-22	NA	NA	NA	0	NA	NIL	NA
	Total							

8. Whether any capital assets have been created or acquired through Corporate Social Responsibility amount spent in the Financial Year (Yes/No): No

If yes, enter the number of Capital assets created/ acquired: N.A.

Furnish the details relating to such asset(s) so created or acquired through Corporate Social Responsibility amount spent in the Financial Year:

Sl. No.	Short particulars of the property or asset(s) [including complete address and location of the property]	Pin code of the property or asset(s)	Date of creation	Amount of CSR amount spent	Details of entity/ Authority/ beneficiary of the registered owner		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)		
					CSR Registration Number, if applicable	Name	Registered address
Not Applicable							

(All the fields should be captured as appearing in the revenue record, flat no, house no, Municipal Office/Municipal Corporation/ Gram panchayat are to be specified and also the area of the immovable property as well as boundaries)

9. Specify the reason(s), if the company has failed to spend two per cent of the average net profit as per sub-section (5) of section 135: Not Applicable



(Director)



(Chairman CSR Committee)

Date: 31.08.2023

Place: Gurgaon

COMMENTS OF THE COMPTROLLER AND AUDITOR GENERAL OF INDIA UNDER SECTION 143(6)(b) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

The preparation of financial statements of POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited for the year ended 31 March 2023 in accordance with the financial reporting framework prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013 (Act) is the responsibility of the management of the company. The statutory auditor appointed by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India under section 139(5) of the Act is responsible for expressing opinion on the financial statements under section 143 of the Act based on independent audit in accordance with the standards on auditing prescribed under section 143(10) of the Act. This is stated to have been done by them vide their Audit Report dated 04 May 2023.

I, on behalf of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, have conducted a supplementary audit of the financial statements of POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited for the year ended 31 March 2023 under section 143(6)(a) of the Act. This supplementary audit has been carried out independently without access to the working papers of the statutory auditor and is limited primarily to inquiries of the statutory auditor and company personnel and a selective examination of some of the accounting records.

Based on my supplementary audit, I would like to highlight the following significant matters under section 143(6)(b) of the Act which have come to my attention and which in my view are necessary for enabling a better understanding of the financial statements and the related audit report.

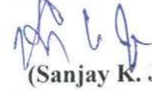
Comments on Financial Position**Balance Sheet****Other current financial assets (Note 13) - ₹12101.94 lakh****Provisions (Note 24) - ₹23461.99 lakh**

A provision, under Para 14 of Ind AS 37, shall be recognised when: (a) an entity has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event; (b) it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and (c) a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. If these conditions are not met, no provision shall be recognised.

In compliance of Appellate Tribunal for Electricity order (March 2023), the Company paid an amount of ₹110.04 crore as liquidated damages for further hearing about setting aside CERC order dated 07.05.2022 regarding payment of liquidated damages of ₹234.55 crore for delayed commissioning of transmission system as per the provision of Transmission Supply Agreement to different DISCOMS (Long Term Transmission Customers).

The Company, though at Note 49 stated that ₹110.04 crore has been paid out of provision, it, contrary to the said Note 49 and in non-compliance of the above said Para 14 of Ind AS 37, not only retained provision for the above amount which had already been paid (and the above said conditions for recognition of provision had ceased to exist with making of the payment), but also created a current asset with the said amount under 'Other current financial assets'. This resulted in overstatement of both, 'Other current financial assets' and 'Provisions' by ₹110.04 crore each.

For and on behalf of the
Comptroller & Auditor General of India



(Sanjay K. Jha)
Director General of Audit (Energy)
New Delhi

Place: New Delhi

Dated: 6/7/23

COMMENTS OF THE COMPTROLLER AND AUDITOR GENERAL OF INDIA UNDER SECTION 143(6)(b) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2023 AND MANAGEMENT REPLIES THEREON

C&AG Comment	Management reply
<p>Comments on Financial Position Balance sheet Other current financial assets (Note 13) - Rs.12,101.94 Lakh Provisions (Note 24) - Rs.23,461.99 Lakh</p> <p>A provision, under Para 14 of Ind AS 37, shall be recognized when: (a) an entity has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event; (b) it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and (c) a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. If these conditions are not met, no provision shall be recognized.</p> <p>In compliance of Appellate Tribunal for Electricity order (March 2023), the Company paid an amount of Rs.110.04 crore as liquidated damages for further hearing about setting aside CERC order dated 07.05.2022 regarding payment of liquidated damages of Rs.234.55 crore for delayed commissioning of transmission system as per the Transmission Supply Agreement to different DISCOMS (Long Term Transmission Customers).</p> <p>The Company, though at Note 49 stated that Rs.110.04 crore has been paid out of provision, it, contrary to the said Note 49 and in non-compliance of the above said Para 14 of Ind AS 37, not only retained provision for the above amount which had already been paid (and the above said conditions for recognition of provision had ceased to exist with making of the payment), but also created a current asset with the said amount under "Other current financial assets".</p>	<p>Para 32 of Ind AS 1 "Presentation of Financial Statements" states that – <i>An entity shall not offset assets and liabilities or income and expenses, unless required or permitted by an Ind AS.</i></p> <p>As per Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting under Indian Accounting Standards: <i>An asset is a present economic resource controlled by the entity as a result of past events.</i></p> <p>The Performance BGs worth Rs 110.04 Crores were issued by POWERGRID in favor of LTTCs in pursuant to the Transmission Service Agreement (TSA) between POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited (PSITSL) and the LTTCs.</p> <p>CERC issued an order on 07.05.2022, wherein Extension of Schedule Commercial Operational Date due to force majeure events was not allowed for the Project which resulted into leviable of LD amount of Rs.234.55 Crores in terms of TSA. Hence, a provision for Rs 234.55 Crores was made in Books of Accounts in FY 2021-22 as per CERC order.</p> <p>Aggrieved by the order of CERC, PSITSL has filed an appeal with APTEL vide appeal no. 194 of 2022. APTEL in its Hearing held on 20.05.2022 allowed stay against the encashment of the bank guarantee till the matter comes back to the court after completion of service/pleadings.</p>

<p>This resulted in overstatement of both 'Other current financial assets' and 'Provisions' by Rs.110.04 crore each.</p>	<p>However, on 17.03.2023, APTEL has modified its interim order and permitted PSITSL to pay the amount specified in each of the Bank Guarantee to LTTC's instead of encashment of Bank Guarantees by LTTCs. LTTCs shall return the Original Bank Guarantees to PSITSL on receipt of the said amount.</p> <p>APTEL has provided this decision considering Bank Guarantees as a contract independent of the underlying contract, and save fraud or special equities, its encashment cannot be restrained. This enabled the company to deposit the amount of ₹ 110.04 crores with LTTCs in exchange of Bank Guarantees. Therefore, the order of APTEL is not pertaining to payment towards LD charges rather pertains to exchange of Bank Guarantees for Cash.</p> <p>Accordingly, the Company has deposited an amount of ₹110.04 crore with the LTTCs on 28.03.2023 in exchange for bank guarantees issued earlier.</p> <p>In Note 49, it was inadvertently mentioned as "Out of the provision for LD of Rs.23,455.02 Lakhs, the Company has paid the amount of Rs.11,004.00 Lakhs to the LTTCs on 28.03.2023..." instead of "The Company has deposited the amount of Rs.11,004.00 Lakhs to the LTTCs on 28.03.2023 in exchange for bank guarantees issued..." and the same has been corrected.</p> <p>The deposit amount of ₹110.04 crore is an economic resource controlled by the entity and hence, the same is recognized as an asset. As any other Ind AS does not require to offset the assets and liabilities and both are different set of transactions, the same was not offset.</p> <p>Considering the proceedings till date, management is expecting the judgment in favor of the Company and to receive refund of the same in the F.Y. 2023-24 i.e., within a period of twelve months, hence amount paid to LTTCs has been considered as "Other Current Financial Assets".</p>
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Further, APTEL vide order dated 04.05.2023 stated that the pleadings are completed, issue involved is short and APTEL has included the said matter in "List of Short Matters of Court II".

In view of the above, there is no overstatement of 'Other current Financial Assets' and understatement of 'Provisions'.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

**POWERGRID Southern Interconnector
Transmission System Limited**



**(B. Anantha Sarma)
Chairman**

KUMAR NARESH SINHA & ASSOCIATES
Company Secretaries

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Form MR – 3
Secretarial Audit Report
FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2023

[Pursuant to section 204(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule No.9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014]

To,

The Members,

POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited (PSITSL),
B-9, Qutab Institutional Area, Katwaria Sarai,
New Delhi-110016

We have conducted the secretarial audit of the compliance of applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by **POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited (PSITSL) [CIN: U40106DL2015GOI278746]** (hereinafter called the "Company") having its Registered Office at **B-9, Qutab Institutional Area, Katwaria Sarai, New Delhi-110016**. Secretarial Audit was conducted in a manner that provided us a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and expressing our opinion thereon.

Based on our verification of the Company's books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the company and also the information provided by the Company, its officers, agents and authorized representatives during the conduct of secretarial audit, we hereby report that in our opinion, the company has, during the audit period covering the financial year ended on **March 31, 2023** complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder and also that the Company has proper Board-processes and compliance-mechanism in place to the extent, in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter.

We have examined the books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company for the financial year ended on **March 31, 2023**, according to the provisions of:

- (i) The Companies Act, 2013 (the Act) and the rules made thereunder;
- (ii) The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ('SCRA') and the rules made thereunder;
- (iii) The Depositories Act, 1996 and the Regulations and Bye-laws framed thereunder;
- (iv) Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the rules and regulations made thereunder to the extent of Foreign Direct Investment, Overseas Direct Investment and External Commercial Borrowings;

The following Regulations and Guidelines prescribed under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ('SEBI Act'): -

- (a) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011; **(Not Applicable during the period under review, as the Company is not Listed)**



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- (b) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015; **(Not Applicable during the period under review, as the Company is not Listed)**
 - (c) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018; **(Not Applicable during the period under review, as the Company is not Listed)**
 - (d) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021; **(Not Applicable during the period under review, as the Company is not Listed)**
 - (e) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Non-convertible Securities) Regulations, 2021; **(Not Applicable during the period under review, as the Company is not Listed)**
 - (f) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993 regarding the Companies Act and dealing with client;
 - (g) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2021; **(Not Applicable during the period under review, as the Company is not Listed)** and
 - (h) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018; **(Not Applicable during the period under review, as the Company is not Listed)**
- (v) The other law, as informed and certified by the management of the Company which, is specifically applicable to the Company based on their sector/ industry is:

The Electricity Act, 2003 and Rules and Regulations made thereunder

Being Electricity Transmission Company, the Electricity Act, 2003 is specifically applicable to the Company in respect of which, we have only verified the license and terms thereof issued by Central Electricity Regulatory Commission dated 14.03.2016 which is valid for a period of 25 years from the date of issue. Further, we have relied upon the representation made by the Management with respect to compliance of the terms of the Electricity Transmission License.

The compliance by the Company of applicable financial laws, like direct and indirect tax laws, has not been reviewed in this audit since the same have been subject to review by the statutory auditor and other designated professionals.

We have also examined compliance with the applicable clauses/Regulations of the following:

- (i) Secretarial Standards issued by The Institute of Company Secretaries of India;
- (ii) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. **(Being a non-listed company during the period under review, it is not applicable).**

During the period under review and as per the explanations and representations made by the officers and management and subject to the clarifications given to us, the Company has satisfactorily complied with the provisions of the Act, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Standards, etc. mentioned above.

We further report that:

The Board of Directors of the Company comprises of Non-Executive Directors only. The Changes in the Composition of the Board of Directors that took place during the period under review were carried out in compliance with the provisions of the Act.

Adequate notice is given to all directors to schedule the Board Meetings, including Committees thereof, along with agenda and detailed notes on agenda were generally sent at least seven days in advance, and a system exists for seeking and obtaining further information and clarifications



on the agenda items before the meeting and for meaningful participation at the meeting.


Decisions were carried unanimously during the period under review.

We further report that according to the information and explanation given to us, there are adequate systems and processes in the company commensurate with the size and operations of the company to monitor and ensure compliance with applicable laws, rules, regulations, and guidelines.

Date: May 30, 2023
Place: Noida

For **Kumar Naresh Sinha & Associates**
Company Secretaries




Naresh Kumar Sinha
(Proprietor)
FCS No.: 1807; CP No.: 14984
PR: 610/2019
FRN: S2015UP440500
UDIN: F001807E000422733

*Note: This report is to be read with our letter of even date which is annexed as **Annexure-A** and forms an integral part of this report.*

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Annexure-A

To,
The Members
POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited (PSITSL),
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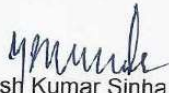
Our Report of even date is to be read along with this letter.

1. Maintenance of secretarial record is the responsibility of the management of the Company. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these secretarial records based on our finding/audit.
2. We have followed the audit practices and processes as were appropriate to obtain reasonable assurance about the correctness of the contents of the secretarial records. The verification was done on the random test basis to ensure that correct facts are reflected in secretarial records. We believe that the processes and practices, we followed provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.
3. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial records and Books of Accounts of the Company. We have relied upon the Reports of statutory Auditors regarding compliance of Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made thereunder relating to maintenance of Books of Accounts, papers, and financial statement of the relevant financial year, which give a true and fair view of the state of the affairs of the Company.
4. Wherever required, we have obtained the Management representation about the compliance of laws, rules and regulations and happening of events etc.
5. The compliance of the provisions of Corporate and other applicable laws, rules, regulations, standards is the responsibility of management. Our examination was limited to the verification of procedures on random test basis.
6. The Secretarial Audit report is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the company nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

Date: May 30, 2023
Place: Noida

For **Kumar Naresh Sinha & Associates**
Company Secretaries




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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

TO,
THE MEMBERS OF
POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying Ind AS Financial Statements of **M/s POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED** ("the **Company**"), which comprise the Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2023, the Statement of Profit and Loss, Statement of Changes in Equity, the Statement of Cash Flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid financial statements give the information required by the Act in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with IND AS and the accounting principles generally accepted in India, of state of affairs of the Company as at 31st March 2023, its profit including other comprehensive income, its Changes in Equity and its cashflows for the year ended on that date.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the **Act**"). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Key Audit Matters

We have determined that there are no key audit matters to communicate in our report.



Responsibility of Managements and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the matters in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these Ind AS financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance including other comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows of the Company in accordance with IND AS and the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") prescribed under Section 133 of the Act read with the relevant rules there under. This responsibility also includes the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provision of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting the frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibility for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

Report on other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

1. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020, issued by the Central Government of India in term of sub-section (11) of section 143 of the Companies Act,2013, we give in the '**Annexure - A**' a statement on the matters specified in the paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Order, to the extent applicable.



2. As required by section 143(3) of the Act, we report that:
- a) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.
 - b) In our opinion proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as appears from our examination of those books.
 - c) The Balance Sheet, the Statement of Profit and Loss, Statement of Changes in Equity and the Statement of Cash Flows dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of account.
 - d) In our opinion, the aforesaid financial statements comply with IND AS and the Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014.
 - e) As the Government Companies have been exempted from applicability of the provision of section 164(2) of the Companies Act, 2013, reporting on disqualification of Directors not required.
 - f) With respect to the adequacy of internal financial controls over financial reporting of the company and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate Report in '**Annexure - B**'
 - g) With respect to the other matters included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules 2014, in our opinion and to our best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
 - i. The company disclosed the impact of pending litigations on the Financial position in its financial statements of the Company-Refer Note 44 to the financial statements
 - ii. The company did not have any long-term contracts including derivatives contracts for which there were any material foreseeable losses;
 - iii. There has been no Delay in Transferring amounts, required to be transferred, to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company.
 - iv.
 - a. The management has represented that, to the best of it's knowledge and belief, other than as disclosed in the notes to the accounts, no funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the company to or in any other

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- person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall, whether, directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the company ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries;
- b. the management has represented, that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, other than as disclosed in the notes to the accounts, no funds have been received by the company from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the company shall, whether, directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries; and
- c. Based on such audit procedures that we have considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the representations under sub-clause (i) and (ii) contain any material mis-statement.
- v. The dividend declared or paid during the year by the Company is in compliance with Section 123 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- vi. The company has used such accounting software for maintaining its books of account which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility and the same has been operated throughout the year for all transactions recorded in the software and the audit trail feature has not been tampered with and the audit trail has been preserved by the company as per the statutory requirements for record retention.
3. In terms of Section 143 (5) of the Companies Act 2013, we give in the "Annexure C" statement on the directions issued by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India.

For Krishna & Prasad.
Chartered Accountants
Firm Reg. No. 001460S

Place: Hyderabad
Date: 04 May, 2023
UDIN: 23028391BGUEGO7880

B L N Phani Kumar
Partner
Membership No: 028391

ANNEXURE 'A' TO THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

{Referred to in paragraph 2 under 'Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements' section of our report to the Members of POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited of even date}

S. No.	Particulars	Auditor's Remark
(i)	(a) whether the company is maintaining proper records showing full particulars, including quantitative details and situation of Property, Plant and Equipment; (B) whether the company is maintaining proper records showing full particulars of intangible assets;	The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars, including quantitative details and situation of Fixed Assets.
	(b) whether these Property, Plant and Equipment have been physically verified by the management at reasonable intervals; whether any material discrepancies were noticed on such verification and if so, whether the same have been properly dealt with in the books of account	The Company has a program of verification to cover all the items of tangible fixed assets which, in our opinion, is reasonable having regard to the size of the Company and the nature of its assets. Pursuant to the program, all tangible fixed assets were physically verified by the management during the year. According to the information and explanations given to us, no material discrepancies were noticed on such verification.
	(c) whether the title deeds of all the immovable properties. (other than properties where the Company is the lessee and the lease agreements are duly executed in favour of the lessee) disclosed in the financial statements are held in the name of the company. If not, provide the details thereof in the format below;	According to the information and explanations given to us, the records examined by us and based on the examination of the conveyance deeds provided to us, we report that, the title deeds, comprising all the immovable properties of the land and buildings which are freehold, are held in the name of the Company as at Balance Sheet date.

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	<p>d) Whether the Company has revalued its Property, Plant and Equipment (including Right of Use assets) or intangible assets or both during the year and, if so, whether the revaluation is based on the valuation by a Registered Valuer; specify the amount of change, if change is 10% or more in the aggregate of the net carrying value of each class of Property, Plant and Equipment or intangible assets;</p>	<p>The Company has not revalued its Property, Plant and Equipment (including Right of Use assets) or intangible assets or both during the year.</p>
	<p>(e) Whether any proceedings have been initiated or are pending against the company for holding any Benami property under the “Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988 and Rules made thereunder; if so, whether the Company has appropriately disclosed the details in its financial statements;</p>	<p>No proceedings have been initiated or are pending against the company for holding any Benami property under the “Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988 and Rules made thereunder</p>
(ii)	<p>(a) whether physical verification of inventory has been conducted at reasonable intervals by the management and whether, in the opinion of the auditor, the coverage and procedure of such verification by the management is appropriate; whether any discrepancies of 10% or more in the aggregate for each class of inventory were noticed and if so, whether they have been properly dealt with in the books of account;</p>	<p>The inventories held by the company have been physically verified by the management during the year. In our opinion, the frequency of verification is reasonable having regard to the size of the company, nature of its business and feasibility of conducting a physical verification. No material discrepancies were noticed on such verification</p>
	<p>(b) whether during any point of time of the year, the Company has been sanctioned working capital limits in excess of Rs. 5 crores, in aggregate, from banks or financial institutions on the basis of security of current assets; whether the quarterly returns or statements filed by the Company with such banks or financial institutions are in agreement with the books of account of the Company. If not, give details.</p>	<p>The Company has not been sanctioned working capital limits in excess of Rs. 5 crores, in aggregate, from banks on the basis of security of current assets</p>

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(iii)	<p>Whether during the year the company has made investments in, provided any guarantee or security or granted any loans or advances in the nature of loans, secured or unsecured to companies, firms, Limited Liability Partnerships or any other parties. If so,</p> <p>(a) whether during the year the company has provided loans or provided advances in the nature of loans, or stood guarantee, or provided security to any other entity [not applicable to companies whose principal business is to give loans], if so, indicate-</p> <p>(A) the aggregate amount during the year, and balance outstanding at the balance sheet date with respect to such loans or advances and guarantees or security to subsidiaries, joint ventures and associates.</p> <p>(B) the aggregate amount during the year, and balance outstanding at the balance sheet date with respect to such loans or advances and guarantees or security to parties other than subsidiaries, joint ventures and associates.</p>	
	(b) whether the investments made, guarantees provided, security given and the terms and conditions of the grant of all loans and advances in the nature of loans and guarantees provided are not prejudicial to the company's interest;	
	(c) in respect of loans and advances in the nature of loans whether the schedule of repayment of principal and payment of interest has been stipulated and whether the repayments or receipts are regular;	
	(d) if the amount is overdue, state the total amount overdue for more than ninety days, and whether reasonable steps have been taken by the company for recovery of the principal and interest;	
	(e) whether any loan or advance in the nature of loan granted which has fallen due during the year, has been renewed or extended or fresh loans granted to settle the overdues of existing loans given to the same parties; If so, specify the aggregate amount of such dues renewed or extended or settled by fresh loans and the percentage of the aggregate to the total loans or advances in the nature of loans granted during the year. [Not applicable to companies whose principal business is to give loans];	
	(f) whether the Company has granted any loans or advances in the nature of loans either repayable on demand or without specifying any terms or period of repayment; if so, specify the aggregate amount, percentage thereof to the total loans granted, aggregate amount of loans granted to Promoters, related parties as defined in clause (76) of section 2 of the Companies Act, 2013	
(iv)	in respect of loans, investments, guarantees, and security whether provisions of section 185 and 186 of the Companies Act, 2013 have been complied with. If not, provide the details thereof.	

In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company does not have loans, Investments, guarantees and security covered under Sections 185 and 186 of the Companies Act, 2013 and accordingly clause 3(iii) & 3(iv) of the order is not applicable to the company.

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(v)	in respect of deposits accepted by the Company or amounts which are deemed to be deposits, whether the directives issued by the Reserve Bank of India and the provisions of sections 73 to 76 or any other relevant provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules framed thereunder, where applicable, have been complied with? If not, the nature of such contraventions be stated; If an order has been passed by Company Law Board or National Company Law Tribunal or Reserve Bank of India or any court or any other tribunal, whether the same has been complied with or not?	The Company has not accepted deposits during the year and does not have any unclaimed deposits as at March 31, 2023 and accordingly clause 3(v) of the order is not applicable to the company.
(vi)	whether maintenance of cost records has been specified by the Central Government under sub-section (1) of section 148 of the Companies Act and whether such accounts and records have been so made and maintained	According to the information and explanations given to us, the Company is required to maintain cost records under Section 148(1) of the Companies Act, 2013. We have broadly reviewed these records and are of the opinion that prima facie, the prescribed accounts and records have made and maintained. We have not, however, made a detailed examination of these records with a view to determine whether they are accurate and complete.
(vii)	(a) whether the company is regular in depositing undisputed statutory dues including Goods and Service Tax, provident fund, employees' state insurance, income-tax, sales-tax, service tax, duty of customs, duty of excise, value added tax, cess and any other statutory dues to the appropriate authorities and if not, the extent of the arrears of outstanding statutory dues as on the last day of the financial year concerned for a period of more than six months from the date they became payable, shall be indicated;	The Company has been regular in depositing undisputed statutory dues, including Provident Fund, Employees' State Insurance, Income Tax, Goods and Service Tax, and other material statutory dues applicable to it with the appropriate authorities.
	(b) where statutory dues referred to in sub-clause (a) have not been deposited on account of any dispute, then the amounts involved and the forum where dispute is pending shall be mentioned. (A mere representation to the concerned Department shall not be treated as a dispute).	There were no undisputed amounts payable in respect of Provident Fund, Employees' State Insurance, Income Tax, Goods and Service Tax, and other material statutory dues in arrears as at March 31, 2023 for a period of more than six months from the date they became payable.
(viii)	whether any transactions not recorded in the books of account have been surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961; if so, whether the previously unrecorded income has been properly recorded in the books of account during the year?	

(ix)	(a) whether the company has defaulted in repayment of loans or other borrowings or in the payment of interest thereon to any lender? If yes, the period and the amount of default to be reported as per the format below:	The company has not defaulted during the year in repayment of loans & payment of Interest to its Lenders.
	(b) Whether the company is a declared wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or other lender?	The company has not been declared wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or other lender
	(c) Whether term loans were applied for the purpose for which the loans were obtained; if not, the amount of loan so diverted and the purpose for which it is used may be reported	Term loans were applied for the purpose for which the loans were obtained.
	(d) whether funds raised on short term basis have been utilised for long term purposes? If yes, the nature and amount to be indicated	Funds raised on short term basis have not been utilised for long term purpose.
	(e) whether the Company has taken any funds from any entity or person on account of or to meet the obligations of its subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures? If so, details thereof with nature of such transactions and the amount in each case	The Company do not have any Subsidiaries, Joint ventures or Associates. Accordingly, paragraph 3(ix)(e) is not applicable to the company.
	(f) whether the Company has raised loans during the year on the pledge of securities held in its subsidiaries, joint ventures or associate companies? If so, give details thereof and also report if the company has defaulted in repayment of such loans raised.	The Company do not have any Subsidiaries, Joint ventures or Associates. Accordingly, paragraph 3(ix)(f) is not applicable to the company.
(x)	(a) whether moneys raised by way of initial public offer or further public offer (including debt instruments) during the year were applied for the purposes for which those are raised. If not, the details together with delays or default and subsequent rectification, if any, as may be applicable, be reported;	Based on the specified audit procedures followed by us and as per the information and explanations given by the management, Company has not raised any monies by way of initial public offer or further public offer (including debt instruments). Holding Company provided Inter corporate loan. We report that the amounts received were applied for the purposes for which they were received.
	(b) whether the Company has made any preferential allotment or private placement of shares or convertible debentures (fully, partially or optionally convertible) during the year and if so, whether the requirements of Section 42 and Section 62 of the Companies Act, 2013 have been complied with and the funds raised have been used for the purposes for which the funds were raised. If not, provide details in respect of amount involved and nature of non-compliance	

(xi)	(a) whether any fraud by the company or any fraud on the Company has been noticed or reported during the year; If yes, the nature and the amount involved is to be indicated;	To the best of our knowledge and according to the information and explanations given to us, no fraud by the Company or no material fraud on the Company by its officers or employees has been noticed or reported during the year.
	(b) whether any report under sub-Section (12) of Section 143 of the Companies Act has been filed by the auditors in Form ADT-4 as prescribed under Rule 13 of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules 2014 with the Central Government?	As no fraud has been noticed during the year as mentioned at xi(a) above, report under sub-Section (12) of Section 143 of the Companies Act in Form ADT-4 as prescribed under Rule 13 of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules 2014 is not applicable.
	(c) whether the auditor has considered whistle-blower complaints, if any, received during the year by the Company?	According to the information and explanations given to us, no whistle-blower complaints have been received during the year by the Company.
(xii)	(a) whether the Nidhi Company has complied with the Net Owned Funds to Deposits in the ratio of 1:20 to meet out the liability	The Company is not a Nidhi Company and hence reporting under clause 3 (xii) of the Order is not applicable to the Company.
	(b) whether the Nidhi Company is maintaining ten per cent unencumbered term deposits as specified in the Nidhi Rules, 2014 to meet out the liability;	
	(c). whether there has been any default in payment of interest on deposits or repayment thereof for any period and if so, the details thereof	
(xiii)	whether all transactions with the related parties are in compliance with sections 177 and 188 of Companies Act where applicable and the details have been disclosed in the Financial Statements etc., as required by the applicable accounting standards;	In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company is in compliance with Section 177 and 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 where applicable, for all transactions with the related

		parties and the details of related party transactions have been disclosed in the financial statements as required by the applicable accounting standards.
(xiv)	<p>(a) whether the company has an internal audit system commensurate with the size and nature of its business?</p> <p>(b) Whether the reports of the Internal Auditors for the period under audit were considered by the statutory auditor?</p>	<p>a) Internal Audit to be further Strengthened to make it commensurate with the size and nature of its business.</p> <p>b) Internal Auditor report has been considered during the course of our audit.</p>
(xv)	whether the company has entered into any non-cash transactions with directors or persons connected with him and if so, whether the provisions of section 192 of Companies Act have been complied with;	In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, during the year the Company has not entered into any non-cash transactions with its Directors or persons connected to its directors and hence provisions of section 192 of the Companies Act, 2013 are not applicable to the Company.
(xvi)	<p>(a) whether the company is required to be registered under section 45-1A of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934 and if so, whether the registration has been obtained.</p> <p>(b) whether the Company has conducted any Non-Banking Financial or Housing Finance activities without a valid Certificate of Registration (CoR) from the Reserve Bank of India as per the Reserve Bank of India Act 1934</p> <p>(c) whether the Company is a Core Investment Company (CIC) as defined under the Regulations by the Reserve Bank of India? If so, whether it continues to fulfil the criteria of a CIC and In case the company is an exempted or unregistered CIC, whether it continues to fulfil such criteria</p> <p>(d) Whether the Group has more than one CIC as part of the Group, If yes, indicate the number of CICs which are part of the Group.</p>	The Company is not required to be registered under section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934.
(xvii)	whether the Company has incurred cash losses in the Financial Year and in the immediately preceding Financial year? If so, state the amount of cash losses	During Current Financial and also Preceding Financial Year the Company has not incurred any Cash Losses.
(xviii)	whether there has been any resignation of the statutory auditors during the year? If so, whether the auditor has taken into consideration the issues, objections or concerns raised by the outgoing auditors?	The Statutory Auditors are being appointed by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India (C&AG)

		and same being continued for the Current Financial Year.
(xix)	on the basis of the financial ratios, ageing and expected dates of realization of financial assets and payment of financial liabilities, other information accompanying the financial statements, the auditor's knowledge of the Board of Directors and management plans, whether the auditor is of the opinion that no material uncertainty exists as on the date of the audit report that company is capable of meeting its liabilities existing at the date of balance sheet as and when they fall due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date.	In our opinion, no material uncertainty exists as on the date of the audit report and the company is capable of meeting its liabilities existing at the date of balance sheet as and when they fall due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date
(xx)	(a) whether, in respect of other than ongoing projects, the company has transferred unspent amount to a Fund specified in Schedule VII to the Companies Act within a period of six months of the expiry of the financial year in compliance with second proviso to sub-section (5) of section 135 of the said Act.	The Company has deposited the whole amount of Fund specified in Schedule VII to the Companies Act, 2013 in the "PM Cares Fund" during the Financial Year. Second proviso to sub-section (5) of section 135 of the said Act is not applicable.
(xxi)	Whether there have been any qualifications or adverse remarks by the respective auditors in the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order (CARO) reports of the companies included in the consolidated financial statements? If yes, indicate the details of the companies and the paragraph numbers of the CARO report containing the qualifications or adverse remarks	The Company do not have any Subsidiaries, Joint ventures or Associates not consolidation report dealt in this report. Accordingly, paragraph 3(xx) is not applicable to the company.

For Krishna & Prasad.
Chartered Accountants
Firm Reg. No. 001460S

B L N Phani Kumar
Partner
Membership No: 028391

Place: Hyderabad
Date: 04 May, 2023
UDIN: 23028391BGUEGO7880

'Annexure B' to the Independent Auditor's report of Even Date in the Financial Statements of

POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED

Report on the Internal Financial Controls under Clause (i) of Sub-section 3 of Section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act")

We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of **M/s POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED ("the Company")** as of March 31, 2023 in conjunction with our audit of the financial statements of the Company for the year ended on that date.

Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

The Board of Directors of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal financial controls based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Companies Act, 2013.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the internal financial controls over financial reporting of the Company based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting (the "Guidance Note") issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India and the Standards on Auditing prescribed under Section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls system over financial reporting and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the Company's internal financial controls system over financial reporting.



Meaning of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting

A company's internal financial control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal financial control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that,

- (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company;
- (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorisations of management and directors of the company; and
- (3) Provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorised acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls over financial reporting, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of the internal financial controls over financial reporting to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial control over financial reporting may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

Opinion

In our opinion, the Company, which is company incorporated in India, have, in all material respects, an adequate internal financial controls system over financial reporting and such internal financial controls over financial reporting were operating effectively as at March 31, 2023, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI).

For Krishna & Prasad.
Chartered Accountants
Firm Reg. No. 001460S

Place: Hyderabad
Date: 04 May, 2023
UDIN: 23028391BGUEGO7880

B L N Phani Kumar
Partner
Membership No: 028391

“Annexure C” to the Independent Auditor’s report of Even Date in the Financial Statements of M/s POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED

Statement on the directions issued by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India

We have verified various documents and other relevant records and also on the basis of information and explanations provided to us, by the management of **M/s POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED** to ascertain whether the company has complied with the section 143(5) of the Companies Act, 2013 and give our report against each specific direction as under.

Sl. No.	Directions u/s 143(5) of the Companies Act, 2013	Auditor’s reply on action taken on the directions	Impact on financial statement
1	Whether the Company has system in place to process all the accounting transactions through IT system? If yes, the implications of processing of accounting transactions outside IT system on the integrity of the accounts along with the financial implications, if any, may be stated.	The company is having ERP system (SAP) in place for processing all accounting transactions. No accounting transaction is being recorded/processed otherwise than the ERP system in place.	NIL
2	Whether there is any restructuring of an existing loan or cases of waiver/write off of debts/loans/interest etc. made by a lender to the company due to the company's inability to repay the loan? If yes, the financial impact may be stated. Whether such cases are properly accounted for? (In case, lender is a Government Company, then this direction is also applicable for statutory auditor of lender company).	As explained to us, there are no cases of restructuring of an existing loan or cases of waiver/ write off of debts/ loans/ interest etc. made by a lender to the company due to the company's inability to repay the loan.	NIL



3	Whether funds (grants/subsidy etc.) received/receivable for specific schemes from Central/State Government or its agencies were properly accounted for/utilized as per its term and conditions? List the cases of deviation	As per the information and explanation given to us, no funds has been received / receivable for specific schemes from Central/ State agencies.	NIL
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For Krishna & Prasad.
Chartered Accountants
Firm Reg. No. 001460S

Place: Hyderabad
Date: 04 May, 2023
UDIN: 23028391BGUEGO7880

B L N Phani Kumar
Partner
Membership No: 028391



Compliance Certificate

We have conducted the audit of annual standalone accounts of POWERGRID SOUTHERN INTERCONNECTOR TRANSMISSION SYSTEM LIMITED for the year ended 31st March 2023 in accordance with the Directions/ Sub Directions issued by C&AG of India under Section 143(5) of the Companies Act, 2013 and certify that we have complied with all the Direction/ Sub-directions issued to us.

For Krishna & Prasad.
Chartered Accountants
Firm Reg. No. 001460S

Place: Hyderabad
Date: 04 May, 2023
UDIN: 23028391BGUEGO7880

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POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited

CIN : U40106DL2015GOI278746

Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2023

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	Note No	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
(a) Property, plant & equipment	<u>4</u>	3,26,627.00	3,35,983.51
(b) Capital work in progress	<u>5</u>	954.42	210.05
(c) Intangible assets	<u>6</u>	4,501.44	4,643.56
(d) Financial assets			
(i) Trade receivables	<u>7</u>	943.21	-
(e) Other non-current assets	<u>8</u>	1,277.31	329.13
		3,34,303.38	3,41,166.25
Current assets			
(a) Inventories	<u>9</u>	66.00	62.97
(b) Financial assets			
(i) Trade receivables	<u>10</u>	9,280.13	11,929.80
(ii) Cash and cash equivalents	<u>11</u>	0.14	2,176.05
(iii) Bank Balance other than (ii) above	<u>12</u>	-	3.85
(iv) Other current financial assets	<u>13</u>	12,101.94	495.41
(c) Other current assets	<u>14</u>	7.01	180.15
		21,455.22	14,848.23
Total Assets		3,55,758.60	3,56,014.48
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity			
(a) Equity Share capital	<u>15</u>	70,900.40	70,900.40
(b) Other Equity	<u>16</u>	4,226.17	(6,921.57)
		75,126.57	63,978.83
Liabilities			
Non-current liabilities			
(a) Financial liabilities			
(i) Borrowings	<u>17</u>	2,44,168.33	2,65,132.52
(b) Deferred tax liabilities (net)	<u>18</u>	7,061.64	2,668.38
(c) Other non-current liabilities	<u>19</u>	150.00	150.00
		2,51,379.97	2,67,950.90
Current liabilities			
(a) Financial liabilities			
(i) Borrowings	<u>20</u>	5,028.83	-
(ii) Trade payables	<u>21</u>	-	-
(a) Total O/s dues of micro & small enterprises		-	-
(b) Total O/s dues of creditors other than micro & small enterprises		72.71	22.75
(iii) Other current financial liabilities	<u>22</u>	513.94	587.03
(b) Other current liabilities	<u>23</u>	174.59	16.16
(c) Provisions	<u>24</u>	23,461.99	23,458.81
		29,252.06	24,084.75
Total Equity and Liabilities		3,55,758.60	3,56,014.48

The accompanying notes (1 to 51) form an integral part of financial statements

As per our report of even date

For Krishna & Prasad

Chartered Accountants

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Mem. No. A17887

Place : Gurugram

Date : 04 May, 2023

POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited
CIN : U40106DL2015GOI278746
Statement of Profit and Loss for the year ended 31 March, 2023

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	Note No.	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
Revenue From Operations	25	47,609.35	48,791.14
Other Income	26	496.36	468.34
Total Income		48,105.71	49,259.48
EXPENSES			
Finance costs	27	18,733.00	19,098.49
Depreciation and amortization expense	28	9,939.12	9,912.39
Other expenses	29	2,049.18	1,769.45
Total expenses		30,721.30	30,780.33
Profit/(loss) before exceptional items and tax		17,384.41	18,479.15
Exceptional Items - Provision for liquidated damages		-	23,455.02
Profit/(loss) before tax		17,384.41	(4,975.87)
Tax expense:			
Current tax		-	-
Deferred tax		4,393.26	(1,224.70)
		4,393.26	(1,224.70)
Profit/(Loss) for the period		12,991.15	(3,751.17)
Other Comprehensive Income		-	-
Total Comprehensive Income for the period		12,991.15	(3,751.17)
Earnings per equity share (Par value ₹10/- each):			
Basic and Diluted		1.83	(0.53)

The accompanying notes (1 to 51) form an integral part of financial statements

As per our report of even date
For Krishna & Prasad
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POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited

CIN : U40106DL2015GOI278746

Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended 31 March, 2023

(₹ In Lakh)

Sl. No.	Particulars	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
A	CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
	Profit/(Loss) Before Tax	17,384.41	(4,975.87)
	Adjustment for :		
	Interest income from Bank	(57.43)	(13.69)
	Surcharge Income	(277.28)	(451.40)
	Interest income from Others	(0.07)	-
	Depreciation & amortization expenses	9,939.12	9,912.39
	Finance Costs	18,733.00	19,098.49
		28,337.34	28,545.79
	Operating profit before Changes in Assets and Liabilities	45,721.75	23,569.92
	Adjustment for Changes in Assets and Liabilities:		
	(Increase)/Decrease in Inventories	(3.03)	(3.11)
	(Increase)/Decrease in Trade Receivables	2,634.37	(2,839.37)
	(Increase)/Decrease in Other Current Assets	173.14	222.95
	(Increase)/Decrease in bank balances other than cash and cash equivalents	3.85	(1.52)
	(Increase)/Decrease in Non current Trade Receivables	(943.21)	-
	(Increase)/Decrease in Other Non current assets	-	19.56
	(Increase)/Decrease in Other current financial assets	(11,606.53)	(495.41)
	Increase/(Decrease) in Trade payables	49.96	(9.86)
	Increase/(Decrease) in Other current financial liabilities	(73.09)	189.69
	Increase/(Decrease) in Other current liabilities	158.43	8.45
	Increase/(Decrease) in Short Term Provisions	3.18	23,455.59
		(9,602.93)	20,546.97
	Cash generated from operations	36,118.82	44,116.89
	Direct Taxes (paid)/refund	(948.18)	(1.06)
	Net Cash from Operating Activities	35,170.64	44,115.83
B	CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
	Property, Plant & Equipment and Capital Work in Progress (including Advances for Capital Expenditure)	(1,177.17)	(723.93)
	Surcharge received	292.58	284.41
	-Interest income from bank	57.43	13.69
	-Interest income from Others	0.07	-
	Net Cash used in Investing Activities	(827.09)	(425.83)
C	CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
	Proceeds from Borrowings		
	Non Current	589.04	41.36
	Current	5,471.84	268.00
	Repayment of Borrowings		
	Non Current	(21,524.40)	(9,437.20)
	Current	(471.84)	(268.00)
	Finance Costs paid	(18,740.69)	(19,098.49)
	Dividend paid	(1,843.41)	(14,747.28)
	Net Cash used in Financing Activities	(36,519.46)	(43,241.61)
D	Net change in Cash and Cash equivalents (A+B+C)	(2,175.91)	448.39
E	Cash and Cash equivalents (Opening balance)	2,176.05	1,727.66
F	Cash and Cash equivalents (Closing balance) (Refer Note 11)	0.14	2,176.05

The accompanying notes (1 to 51) form an integral part of financial statements

Further Notes

Note 1 -Cash and cash equivalents consist of balances with banks and deposits with original maturity of upto three months.

Note 2 - Previous Year Figures have been re-grouped/re-arranged wherever necessary.

As per our report of even date

For Krishna & Prasad

Chartered Accountants

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POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited
CIN : U40106DL2015GOI278746

Statement of Changes in Equity for the period ended 31st March 2023

A. Equity Share Capital		(₹ In Lakh)
As at 01 April, 2022	70,900.40	
Changes in equity share capital	-	
As at 31 March, 2023	70,900.40	
As at 01 April, 2021	70,900.40	
Changes in equity share capital	-	
As at 31 March, 2022	70,900.40	

B. Other Equity				(₹ In Lakh)
Particulars	Reserves and Surplus		Total	
	Self Insurance Reserve	Retained Earnings		
As at 01 April, 2022	871.97	(7,793.54)	(6,921.57)	
Total Comprehensive Income for the year	-	12,991.15	12,991.15	
Transfer to Self Insurance Reserve	438.30	(438.30)	-	
Final Dividend paid	-	-	-	
Interim Dividend paid	-	(1,843.41)	(1,843.41)	
As at 31 March, 2023	1,310.27	2,915.90	4,226.17	

(₹ In Lakh)			
Particulars	Reserves and Surplus		Total
	Self Insurance Reserve	Retained Earnings	
As at 01 April, 2021	871.97	10,704.91	11,576.88
Total Comprehensive Income for the year	-	(3,751.17)	(3,751.17)
Transfer to Self Insurance Reserve	-	-	-
Final Dividend paid	-	(2,836.02)	(2,836.02)
Interim Dividend paid	-	(1,911.26)	(1,911.26)
As at 31 March, 2022	871.97	(7,793.54)	(6,921.57)

The accompanying notes (1 to 51) form an integral part of financial statements
Refer to Note No 16 for nature and movement of Reserve and Surplus.

As per our report of even date
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Notes to Financial Statements

1. Corporate and General Information

POWERGRID Southern Interconnector Transmission System Limited ("the Company") is a public company domiciled and incorporated in India under the provisions of Companies Act and a wholly owned subsidiary of Power Grid Corporation of India Limited. The registered office of the Company is situated at B-9, Qutab Institutional Area, Katwaria Sarai, New Delhi-110 016, India.

The company is engaged in business of Power Systems Network, construction, operation and maintenance of transmission lines and other related allied activities.

The Financial Statements of the Company for the Year ended 31st March, 2023 were approved for issue by the Board of Directors on 03 May, 2023.

2. Significant Accounting Policies

A summary of the significant accounting policies applied in the preparation of the financial statements are as given below. These accounting policies have been applied consistently to all periods presented in the financial statements.

2.1 Basis of Preparation

i) Compliance with Ind AS

The financial statements are prepared in compliance with Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) notified under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 (the Act), Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, the relevant provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 (to the extent notified), The Companies Act, 1956 and the provisions of Electricity Act, 2003, in each case, to the extent applicable and as amended thereafter.

ii) Basis of Measurement

The financial statements have been prepared on accrual basis and under the historical cost convention except certain financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value (Refer Note no. 2.11 for accounting policy regarding financial instruments).

iii) Functional and presentation currency

The financial statements are presented in Indian Rupees (Rupees or ₹), which is the Company's functional and presentation currency and all amounts are rounded to the nearest lakhs and two decimals thereof, except as stated otherwise.

iv) Use of estimates

The preparation of financial statements requires estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets, liabilities, revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Although, such estimates and assumptions are made on a reasonable and prudent basis taking into account all available information, actual results could differ from these estimates. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision effects only that period or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future years (refer Note no. 3 on critical accounting estimates, assumptions and judgments).

v) Current and non-current classification

The Company presents assets and liabilities in the balance sheet based on current/non-current classification.

An asset is current when it is:

- Expected to be realized or intended to be sold or consumed in normal operating cycle;
- Held primarily for the purpose of trading;
- Expected to be realized within twelve months after the reporting period; or
- Cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period.

All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is current when:

- It is expected to be settled in normal operating cycle;
- It is held primarily for the purpose of trading;
- It is due to be settled within twelve months after the reporting period; or
- There is no unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period.

All other liabilities are classified as non-current.

Deferred tax assets/liabilities are classified as non-current.

The Company recognizes twelve months period as its operating cycle.

2.2 Property, Plant and Equipment

Initial Recognition and Measurement

Property, Plant and Equipment is initially measured at cost of acquisition/construction including any costs directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management. After initial recognition, Property, Plant and Equipment is carried at cost less accumulated depreciation / amortisation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

Property, Plant and Equipment acquired as replacement of the existing assets are capitalized and its corresponding replaced assets removed/ retired from active use are derecognized.

If the cost of the replaced part or earlier inspection component is not available, the estimated cost of similar new parts/inspection is used as an indication of what the cost of the existing part/ inspection component was when the item was acquired or inspection was carried out.

In the case of commissioned assets, where final settlement of bills with contractors is yet to be effected, capitalization is done on provisional basis subject to necessary adjustments in the year of final settlement.

Transmission system assets are considered as ready for intended use after meeting the conditions for commercial operation as stipulated in Transmission Service Agreement (TSA) and capitalized accordingly.

The cost of land includes provisional deposits, payments/liabilities towards compensation, rehabilitation and other expenses wherever possession of land is taken.

Expenditure on leveling, clearing and grading of land if incurred for construction of building is capitalized as part of cost of the related building.

Spares parts whose cost is ₹5,00,000/- and above, standby equipment and servicing equipment which meets the recognition criteria of Property, Plant and Equipment are capitalized.

Subsequent costs

Subsequent expenditure is recognized as an increase in carrying amount of assets when it is probable that future economic benefits deriving from the cost incurred will flow to the company and cost of the item can be measured reliably.

The cost of replacing part of an item of Property, Plant and Equipment is recognized in the carrying amount of the item if it is probable that future economic benefit embodied within the part will flow to the company and its cost can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognized. The costs of the day-to-day servicing of property, plant and equipment are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss as incurred.

Derecognition

An item of Property, Plant and Equipment is derecognized when no future economic benefits are expected from their use or upon disposal.

The gain or loss arising on the disposal or retirement of an item of property, plant and equipment is determined as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss on the date of disposal or retirement.

2.3 Capital Work-In-Progress (CWIP)

Cost of material, erection charges and other expenses incurred for the construction of Property, Plant and Equipment are shown as CWIP based on progress of erection work till the date of capitalization.

Expenditure of office and Projects, directly attributable to construction of property, plant and equipment are identified and allocated on a systematic basis to the cost of the related assets.

Interest during construction and expenditure (net) allocated to construction as per policy above are kept as a separate item under CWIP and apportioned to the assets being capitalized in proportion to the closing balance of CWIP.

Unsettled liability for price variation/exchange rate variation in case of contracts is accounted for on estimated basis as per terms of the contracts.

2.4 Intangible Assets and Intangible Assets under development

Intangible assets are measured on initial recognition at cost. After initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses.

Subsequent expenditure on already capitalized Intangible assets is capitalised when it increases the future economic benefits embodied in an existing asset and is amortised prospectively.

The cost of software(which is not an integral part of the related hardware) acquired for internal use and resulting in significant future economic benefits is recognized as an intangible asset when the same is ready for its use.

Afforestation charges for acquiring right-of-way for laying transmission lines are accounted for as intangible assets on the date of capitalization of related transmission lines.

Expenditure on development shall be recognised as Intangible asset if it meets the eligibility criteria as per Ind AS 38 'Intangible Assets', otherwise it shall be recognised as an expense.

Expenditure incurred, eligible for capitalization under the head Intangible Assets, are carried as "Intangible Assets under Development" till such assets are ready for their intended use.

An item of Intangible asset is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Gains or losses arising from derecognition of an intangible asset are measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss when the asset is derecognised.

2.5 Depreciation / Amortisation

Property, Plant and Equipment

Depreciation/ Amortisation on the items of Property, Plant and Equipment related to transmission business is provided on straight line method based on the useful life specified in Schedule II of the Companies Act, 2013 except for the following items of property, plant and equipment on which depreciation is provided based on estimated useful life as per technical assessment and considering the terms of Transmission Service Agreement entered with Long Term Transmission Customers.

S. No.	Particulars	Useful life
1	Computers and Peripherals	3 Years
2	Servers and Network Components	5 years
3	Buildings (RCC frame structure)	35 years
4	Transmission line	35 years
5	Substation Equipment	35 years

Depreciation on spares parts, standby equipment and servicing equipment which are capitalized, is provided on straight line method from the date they are available for use over the remaining useful life of the related assets of transmission business.

Mobile phones are charged off in the year of purchase.

Residual value is considered as 5% of the Original Cost for all items of Property, Plant and Equipment in line with Companies Act, 2013 except for Computers and Peripherals and Servers and Network Components for which residual value is considered as Nil.

Property, plant and equipment costing ₹5,000/- or less, are fully depreciated in the year of acquisition.

Where the cost of depreciable property, plant and equipment has undergone a change due to increase/decrease in long term monetary items on account of exchange rate fluctuation, price adjustment, change in duties or similar factors, the unamortized balance of such asset is depreciated prospectively.

Depreciation on additions to/ deductions from Property, Plant and Equipment during the year is charged on pro-rata basis from/up to the date on which the asset is available for use/disposed.

The residual values, useful lives and methods of depreciation for items of property, plant and equipment are reviewed at each financial year-end and adjusted prospectively, wherever required.

Right of Use Assets:

Right of Use assets are fully depreciated from the lease commencement date on a straight line basis over the lease term.

Leasehold land is fully amortized over lease period or life of the related plant whichever is lower. Leasehold land acquired on perpetual lease is not amortized.

Intangible Assets

Cost of software capitalized as intangible asset is amortized over the period of legal right to use or 3 years, whichever is less with Nil residual value.

Afforestation charges are amortized over thirty-five years from the date of capitalization of related transmission assets following the straight line method, with Nil Residual Value.

Amortisation on additions to/deductions from Intangible Assets during the year is charged on pro-rata basis from/up to the date on which the asset is available for use/disposed.

The amortization period and the amortization method for intangible assets is reviewed at each financial year-end and are accounted for as change in accounting estimates in accordance with Ind AS 8 "Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors".

2.6 Borrowing Costs

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition or construction of qualifying assets are capitalized (net of income on temporary deployment of funds) as part of the cost of such assets till the assets are ready for the intended use. Qualifying assets are assets which take a substantial period of time to get ready for their intended use.

All other borrowing costs are recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss in the period in which they are incurred.

2.7 Impairment of non-financial assets

The carrying amounts of the Company's non-financial assets are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment considering the provisions of Ind AS 36 'Impairment of Assets'. If any such indication exists, then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated.

The recoverable amount of an asset or cash-generating unit is the higher of its fair value less costs to disposal and its value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted. For the purpose of impairment testing, assets that cannot be tested individually are grouped together into the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows from continuing use that are largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or groups of assets (the "cash-generating unit", or "CGU").

An impairment loss is recognized if the carrying amount of an asset or its CGU exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. Impairment losses are recognized in the statement of profit and loss. Impairment losses recognized in respect of CGUs are reduced from the carrying amounts of the assets of the CGU.

Impairment losses recognized in prior periods are assessed at each reporting date for any indications that the loss has decreased or no longer exists. An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortization, if no impairment loss had been recognized.

2.8 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand and at bank, and deposits held at call with banks having a maturity of three months or less from the date of acquisition that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

2.9 Inventories

Inventories are valued at lower of the cost, determined on weighted average basis or net realizable value.

Steel scrap and conductor scrap are valued at estimated realizable value or book value, whichever is less.

Spares which do not meet the recognition criteria as Property, Plant and Equipment, including spare parts whose cost is less than ₹5,00,000/- are recorded as inventories.

Surplus materials as determined by the management are held for intended use and are included in the inventory.

The diminution in the value of obsolete, unserviceable and surplus stores and spares is ascertained on review and provided for.

2.10 Leases

Lease is a contract that conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

To assess whether a contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset, the Company assesses whether:

- (i) the contract involves use of an identified assets,
- (ii) the customer has substantially all the economic benefits from the use of the asset through the period of the lease and
- (iii) the customer has the right to direct the use of the asset.

i) As a Lessee

At the date of commencement of the lease, the Company recognises a right-of-use asset (ROU) and a corresponding lease liability for all lease arrangements in which it is a lessee, except for lease with a term of twelve months or less (i.e. short term leases) and leases for which the underlying asset is of low value. For these short-term and leases for which the underlying asset is of low value, the Company recognizes the lease payments on straight-line basis over the term of the lease.

Certain lease arrangements includes the options to extend or terminate the lease before the end of the lease term. ROU assets and lease liabilities includes these options when it is reasonably certain that they will be exercised.

The right-of-use assets are initially recognized at cost, which comprises the amount of the initial measurement of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the inception date of the lease along with any initial direct costs, restoration obligations and lease incentives received.

Subsequently, the right-of-use assets is measured at cost less any accumulated depreciation, accumulated impairment losses, if any and adjusted for any remeasurement of the lease liability. The Company applies Ind AS 36 to determine whether a ROU asset is impaired and accounts for any identified impairment loss as described in the accounting policy 2.7 on "Impairment of non-financial assets".

The lease liability is initially measured at present value of the lease payments that are not paid at that date.

The interest cost on lease liability is expensed in the Statement of Profit and Loss, unless eligible for capitalization as per accounting policy 2.6 on "Borrowing costs".

Lease liability and ROU asset have been separately presented in the financial statements and lease payments have been classified as financing cash flows.

ii) As a Lessor

A lease is classified at the inception date as a finance lease or an operating lease.

a) Finance leases

A lease that transfers substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of an asset is classified as a finance lease.

Net investment in leased assets is recorded at the lower of the fair value of the leased property and the present value of the minimum lease payments as Lease Receivables under current and non-current other financial assets.

The interest element of lease is accounted in the Statement of Profit and Loss over the lease period based on a pattern reflecting a constant periodic rate of return on the net investment.

b) Operating leases

An operating lease is a lease other than a finance lease. Leases in which a significant portion of the risks and rewards of ownership are retained by the lessor are classified as operating leases.

For operating leases, the asset is capitalized as property, plant and equipment and depreciated over its economic life. Rental income from operating lease is recognized over the term of the arrangement.

2.11 Financial instruments

A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to a financial asset of one entity and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity.

Financial Assets

Financial assets of the Company comprise cash and cash equivalents, bank balances, security deposit, claims recoverable etc.

Classification

The Company classifies its financial assets in the following categories:

- at amortised cost,
- at fair value through other comprehensive income

The classification depends on the following:

- the entity's business model for managing the financial assets and
- the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset

Initial recognition and measurement

All financial assets are recognised initially at fair value plus, in the case of financial assets not recorded at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs, if any, that are attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. However, trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component are measured at transaction price.

Subsequent measurement

Debt Instruments at Amortised cost: Assets that are held for collection of contractual cash flows where those cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest are measured at amortised cost. A gain or loss on a debt investment that is subsequently measured at amortised cost is recognised in profit or loss when the asset is derecognised or impaired. Interest income from these financial assets is included in finance income using the effective interest rate method.

Debt Instruments at Fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI): Assets that are held for collection of contractual cash flows and for selling the financial assets, where the assets' cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest, are measured at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI). On derecognition of the asset, cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI is reclassified from the equity to profit and loss. Interest income from these financial assets is included in finance income using the effective interest rate method.

De-recognition of financial assets

A financial asset is derecognized only when:

- i) The right to receive cash flows from the asset have expired, or
- ii) a) The company has transferred the rights to receive cash flows from the financial asset (or) retains the contractual rights to receive the cash flows of the financial assets, but assumes a contractual obligation to pay the cash flows to one or more recipients and
b) the company has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset (or) the company has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

The difference between the carrying amount and the amount of consideration received/receivable is recognised in the statement of Profit and Loss.

Impairment of financial assets:

For trade receivables and Contract Assets, the company applies the simplified approach required by Ind AS 109 Financial Instruments, which requires expected lifetime losses to be recognised from initial recognition of the receivables.

For recognition of impairment loss on other financial assets and risk exposure, the company determines whether there has been a significant increase in the credit risk since initial recognition. If credit risk has not increased significantly, 12-month ECL is used to provide for impairment loss. However, if credit risk has increased significantly, lifetime ECL is used. If, in a subsequent period, credit quality of the instrument improves such that there is no longer a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, then the entity reverts to recognizing impairment loss allowance based on 12-month ECL.

Financial Liabilities

Financial liabilities of the Company are contractual obligation to deliver cash or another financial asset to another entity or to exchange financial assets or financial liabilities with another entity under conditions that are potentially unfavorable to the Company.

The Company's financial liabilities include loans and borrowings, trade and other payables.

Classification, initial recognition and measurement

Financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value minus, in the case of financial liabilities not recorded at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the issue of financial liabilities.

Subsequent measurement

After initial recognition, financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the EIR method. Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the effective interest rate (EIR). Any difference between the proceeds (net of transaction costs) and the redemption amount is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss over the period of the borrowings using the EIR. Gains and losses are recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss when the liabilities are derecognized.

The EIR amortisation is included as finance costs in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

De-recognition of financial liability

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. When an existing liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability. The difference between the carrying amount of a financial liability that has been extinguished or transferred to another party and the consideration paid, including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed, is recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss as other income or finance cost.

Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the Balance Sheet if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

2.12 Foreign Currency Translation

(a) Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the financial statements of the Company are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates ('the functional currency'). The financial statements are presented in Indian Rupees (Rupees or ₹), which is the Company's functional and presentation currency.

(b) Transactions and balances

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded at the exchange rates prevailing on the date of the transaction. Foreign currency monetary items are translated with reference to the rates of exchange ruling on the date of the Balance Sheet. Non-Monetary items denominated in foreign currency are reported at the exchange rate ruling on the date of initial recognition of the non-monetary prepayment asset or deferred income liability, or the date that related item is recognized in the financial statements, whichever is earlier. In case the transaction is recognized in stages, then transaction date is established for each stage. Exchange differences arising from foreign currency translation are recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

2.13 Income Tax

Income tax expense represents the sum of current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised directly in equity or other comprehensive income. In this case the tax is also recognised directly in equity or in other comprehensive income.

Current income tax

The Current Tax is based on taxable profit for the year under the tax laws enacted and applicable to the reporting period in the country where the company operates and generates taxable income and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the company's financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit and is accounted for using the Balance Sheet method. Deferred tax assets are generally recognised for all deductible temporary differences, unused tax losses and unused tax credits to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which those deductible temporary differences, unused tax losses and unused tax credits can be utilised. The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each Balance Sheet date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which the liability is settled or the asset realised, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the Balance Sheet date.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax liabilities and assets, and they relate to income taxes levied by the same tax authority.

2.14 Revenue

Revenue is measured based on the transaction price to which the Company expects to be entitled in a contract with a customer and excludes amounts collected on behalf of third parties. The Company recognizes revenue when it transfers control of a product or service to a customer.

Amounts disclosed as revenue are net of returns, trade allowances, rebates.

2.14.1 Revenue from Operations

Transmission Income is accounted for based on orders issued by Electricity Regulatory Commission u/s 63 of Electricity Act 2003 for adoption of transmission charges. As at each reporting date, transmission income includes an accrual for services rendered to the customers but not yet billed.

Rebates allowed to beneficiaries as early payment incentives are deducted from the amount of revenue.

The Transmission system incentive / disincentive is accounted for based on certification of availability by the respective Regional Power Committees (RPC) and in accordance with the Transmission Service Agreement (TSA) entered between the Transmission Service Provider and long term Transmission Customers. Where certification by RPCs is not available, incentive/disincentive is accounted for on provisional basis as per estimate of availability by the company and differences, if any, is accounted upon certification by RPCs.

2.14.2 Other Income

Interest income is recognized, when no significant uncertainty as to measurability or collectability exists, on a time proportion basis taking into account the amount outstanding and the applicable interest rate, using the effective interest rate method (EIR).

Surcharge recoverable from trade receivables, liquidated damages, warranty claims and interest on advances to suppliers are recognized when no significant uncertainty as to measurability and collectability exists.

Scrap other than steel scrap and conductor scrap are accounted for as and when sold.

Insurance claims are accounted for based on certainty of realization.

Revenue from rentals and operating leases is recognized on an accrual basis in accordance with the substance of the relevant agreement.

2.15 Dividends

Annual dividend distribution to the shareholders is recognised as a liability in the period in which the dividends are approved by the shareholders. Any interim dividend paid is recognised on approval by Board of Directors. Dividend payable and corresponding tax on dividend distribution is recognised directly in equity.

2.16 Provisions and Contingencies

a) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Company has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted. Unwinding of the discount is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss as a finance cost. Provisions are reviewed at each Balance Sheet date and are adjusted to reflect the current best estimate.

b) Contingencies

Contingent liabilities are disclosed on the basis of judgment of the management/independent experts. These are reviewed at each balance sheet date and are adjusted to reflect the current management estimate.

Contingent liabilities are disclosed when there is a possible obligation arising from past events, the existence of which will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Company or a present obligation that arises from past events where it is either not probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle or a reliable estimate of the amount cannot be made. Information on contingent liability is disclosed in the Notes to the Financial Statements.

Contingent assets are possible assets that arise from past events and whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Company. Contingent assets are disclosed in the financial statements when inflow of economic benefits is probable on the basis of judgment of management. These are assessed continually to ensure that developments are appropriately reflected in the financial statements.

2.17 Share capital and Other Equity

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

Self-insurance reserve is created @ 0.12% p.a. on Original Gross Block of Property, Plant and Equipment and value of inventory except ROU assets and assets covered under insurance as at the end of the year by appropriation of current year profit to mitigate future losses from un-insured risks and for taking care of contingencies in future by procurement of towers and other transmission line materials including strengthening of towers and equipment of AC substation. The Reserve created as above is shown as "Self Insurance Reserve" under 'Other Equity'.

2.18 Prior Period Items

Material prior period errors are corrected retrospectively by restating the comparative amounts for prior period presented in which the error occurred or if the error occurred before the earliest period presented, by restating the opening statement of financial position.

2.19 Earnings per Share

Basic earnings per share is computed using the net profit or loss for the year attributable to the shareholders and weighted average number of shares outstanding during the year.

Diluted earnings per share is computed using the net profit or loss for the year attributable to the shareholders and weighted average number of equity and potential equity shares outstanding during the year, except where the result would be anti-dilutive.

2.20 Statement of Cash Flows

Statement of Cash Flows is prepared as per indirect method prescribed in the Ind AS 7 'Statement of Cash Flows'.

3 Critical Estimates and Judgments

The preparation of financial statements requires the use of accounting estimates which may significantly vary from the actual results. Management also needs to exercise judgment while applying the company's accounting policies.

This note provides an overview of the areas that involved a higher degree of judgment or complexity, and of items which are more likely to be materially adjusted due to estimates and assumptions turning out to be different than those originally assessed.

The areas involving critical estimates or judgments are:

Useful life of property, plant and equipment

The estimated useful life of property, plant and equipment is based on a number of factors including the effects of obsolescence, demand, competition and other economic factors (such as the stability of the industry and known technological advances) and the level of maintenance expenditures required to obtain the expected future cash flows from the asset.

The Company reviews at the end of each reporting date the useful life of plant and equipment and are adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.

Provisions and contingencies

The assessments undertaken in recognizing provisions and contingencies have been made in accordance with Ind AS 37, 'Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets'. The evaluation of the likelihood of the contingent events has required best judgment by management regarding the probability of exposure to potential loss. Should circumstances change following unforeseeable developments, this likelihood could alter.

Estimates and judgments are periodically evaluated. They are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that may have a financial impact on the company and that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

Income Taxes:

Significant estimates are involved in determining the provision for current and deferred tax, including amount expected to be paid/recovered for uncertain tax positions.

Note 4 Property, Plant and Equipment

Particulars	Cost				Accumulated depreciation				Net Book Value		
	As at 01 April, 2022	Additions during the year	Disposal	Adjustment during the year	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 01 April, 2022	Additions during the year	Disposal	Adjustment during the year	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Land											
a) Freehold	2,473.28	-	-	-	2,473.28	-	-	-	-	-	2,473.28
Buildings											
a) Sub-Stations & Office	211.13	-	-	2.82	208.31	5.17	5.65	-	-	10.82	205.96
b) Township	502.69	-	-	(7.08)	509.77	3.03	13.84	-	-	16.87	499.66
Roads & Bridges	229.58	-	-	(2.47)	232.05	0.70	6.30	-	-	7.00	228.88
Plant & Equipment											
a) Transmission	3,17,272.97	-	-	(182.24)	3,17,455.21	25,527.73	8,493.02	-	-	34,020.75	2,83,434.46
b) Substation	41,675.42	-	-	(251.54)	41,926.96	2,888.89	1,129.29	-	-	4,018.18	37,908.78
c) Unified Load Despatch & Communication	2,324.68	-	-	-	2,324.68	317.84	143.24	-	-	461.08	1,863.60
Furniture Fixtures	29.77	-	-	-	29.77	11.38	3.17	-	-	14.55	15.22
Office equipment	2.50	-	-	-	2.50	2.29	0.02	-	-	2.31	0.19
Electronic Data Processing & Word Processing Machines	2.57	-	-	-	2.57	0.40	0.86	-	-	1.26	1.31
Electrical Installation	16.44	-	-	-	16.44	1.56	1.56	-	-	3.12	13.32
Workshop & Testing Equipments	2.09	-	-	-	2.09	0.64	0.05	-	-	0.69	1.40
Grand Total	3,64,743.13	-	-	(440.51)	3,65,183.63	28,759.63	9,797.00	-	-	38,556.63	3,26,627.00

Particulars	Cost				Accumulated depreciation				Net Book Value		
	As at 01 April, 2021	Additions during the year	Disposal	Adjustment during the year	As at 31 March, 2022	As at 01 April, 2021	Additions during the year	Disposal	Adjustment during the year	As at 31 March, 2022	As at 31 March, 2021
Land											
a) Freehold	2,473.28	-	-	-	2,473.28	-	-	-	-	-	2,473.28
Buildings											
a) Sub-Stations & Office	-	211.13	-	-	211.13	-	5.17	-	-	5.17	205.96
b) Township	-	502.69	-	-	502.69	-	3.03	-	-	3.03	499.66
Roads & Bridges	-	229.58	-	-	229.58	-	0.70	-	-	0.70	228.88
Plant & Equipment											
a) Transmission	3,16,865.40	-	-	(407.57)	3,17,272.97	17,037.10	8,490.63	-	-	25,527.73	2,91,745.24
b) Substation	41,681.23	-	-	5.81	41,675.42	1,766.68	1,122.21	-	-	2,888.89	38,786.53
c) Unified Load Despatch & Communication	2,324.68	-	-	-	2,324.68	174.59	143.25	-	-	317.84	2,006.85
Furniture Fixtures	30.37	-	-	0.60	29.77	8.39	3.16	-	0.17	11.38	18.40
Office equipment	2.71	-	-	0.21	2.50	2.49	0.08	-	0.28	2.29	0.21
Electronic Data Processing & Word Processing Machines	-	2.57	-	-	2.57	-	0.40	-	-	0.40	2.17
Electrical Installation	-	16.44	-	-	16.44	-	1.56	-	-	1.56	14.88
Workshop & Testing Equipments	1.28	-	-	(0.81)	2.09	0.11	0.08	-	(0.45)	0.64	1.45
Grand Total	3,63,378.96	962.41	-	(401.76)	3,64,743.13	18,989.36	9,770.27	-	-	28,759.63	3,35,983.51

1 The Company owns Freehold Land of 39.03 hectare (Previous Year 39.03 hectare) of land amounting to ₹2473.28 Lakh (Previous Year ₹2473.28 Lakh) based on available documentation.

2 Refer note no. 32 for details of immovable properties where title deeds are not in the name of the company.

Note 5 Capital work in progress

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 01 April, 2022	Additions during the year	Adjustments	Capitalised during the year	As at 31 March, 2023
Buildings					
Township	204.44	-	204.44	-	-
Plant & Equipments (including associated civil works)					
Transmission	-	214.92	214.92	-	-
Sub-Station	5.61	170.72	-	-	176.33
Construction Stores (Net of Provision)	-	726.05	-	-	726.05
Expenditure pending allocation					
Expenditure during construction period(net) (Note 30)	-	52.04	-	-	52.04
Grand Total	210.05	1,163.73	419.36	-	954.42

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 01 April, 2021	Additions during the year	Adjustments	Capitalised during the year	As at 31 March, 2022
Buildings					
Sub-Stations & Office	-	-	(209.73)	209.73	-
Township	739.59	19.57	441.00	113.72	204.44
Roads & Bridges	-	-	(214.83)	214.83	-
Plant & Equipments (including associated civil works)					
Sub-Station	-	5.61	-	-	5.61
Electrical Installations	-	-	(16.44)	16.44	-
Expenditure pending allocation					
Expenditure during construction period(net) (Note 30)	110.70	-	-	110.70	-
Grand Total	850.29	25.18	-	665.42	210.05

Note 5/Capital work in progress (Details of Construction stores)

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Construction Stores		
Sub-Station Equipments	665.72	-
Unified Load Despatch & Communication(ULDC)	-	-
Materials	55.69	-
Others	4.64	-
Total	726.05	-
Construction Stores include:		
i) Material with Contractors		
Sub-Station Equipments	665.72	-
Unified Load Despatch & Communication(ULDC)	-	-
Materials	55.69	-
Others	4.64	-
Total	726.05	-

Further Note:

Refer note no. 32 for ageing and completion schedule for Capital work in progress (CWIP) for the Project whose completion is overdue or has exceed its cost compared to original plan.

Note 6 Intangible assets

Particulars	Cost				Accumulated Amortisation				Net Book Value		
	As at 01 April, 2022	Additions during the year	Disposal	Adjustment during the year	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 01 April, 2022	Additions during the year	Disposal	Adjustment during the year	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
	5,015.12	-	-	-	5,015.12	371.56	142.12	-	-	513.68	4,643.56
Right of Way--Afforestation Expenses	5,015.12	-	-	-	5,015.12	371.56	142.12	-	-	513.68	4,643.56
Total	5,015.12	-	-	-	5,015.12	371.56	142.12	-	-	513.68	4,643.56

Particulars	Cost				Accumulated Amortisation				Net Book Value		
	As at 01 April, 2021	Additions during the year	Disposal	Adjustment during the year	As at 31 March, 2022	As at 01 April, 2021	Additions during the year	Disposal	Adjustment during the year	As at 31 March, 2022	As at 31 March, 2021
	5,015.12	-	-	-	5,015.12	229.44	142.12	-	-	371.56	4,785.68
Right of Way--Afforestation Expenses	5,015.12	-	-	-	5,015.12	229.44	142.12	-	-	371.56	4,785.68
Total	5,015.12	-	-	-	5,015.12	229.44	142.12	-	-	371.56	4,785.68

Note 7 Trade receivables (Non-current)

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31	As at 31
	March, 2023	March, 2022
Trade receivables		
Unsecured Considered good	943.21	-
TOTAL	943.21	-

Further Notes:

- Refer note no. 35 for disclosure as per Ind AS 115 'Revenue from Contracts with Customers' & note no. 41. for details of trade receivables from related parties.
- Electricity (late Payment Surcharge and Related Matters) Rules, 2022 as notified by Ministry of Power on 03 June 2022, provides that at the option of the Distribution licensees, the outstanding dues including the Late Payment Surcharge (LPSC) upto the date of said notification shall be rescheduled upto a maximum period of 48 months in the manner prescribed in the said rules and no further LPSC shall be charged on those dues. Pursuant to the above, some of the distribution licensees have opted for rescheduling of their dues with Central Transmission Utility.
The company's portion of dues have been presented at their fair value under Trade Receivables (Non-current / Current) considering the requirements of applicable Indian Accounting Standards. Consequently, the fair value difference amounting to ₹ 317.58 lakh (Previous year Nil) has been charged as Other Expense (refer Note 29) and unwinding thereon amounting to ₹ 159.74 lakhs (Previous year Nil) accounted for as Other Income (refer Note 26).

3 Ageing of Trade Receivables is as follows:

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars		Unbilled	Not Due	0-6M	6M-1Y	1Y-2Y	2Y-3Y	>3Y	Total
As at 31.03.2023									
Considered - Good	Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Undisputed	-	943.21	-	-	-	-	-	943.21
Significant increase in Credit Risk	Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Undisputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Credit Impaired	Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Undisputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
As at 31.03.2022									
Considered - Good	Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Undisputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Significant increase in Credit Risk	Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Undisputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Credit Impaired	Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Undisputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Note 8 Other non-current Assets

(Unsecured considered good unless otherwise stated)

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31	As at 31
	March, 2023	March, 2022
Advances for Capital Expenditure*	10.56	10.56
Advances other than for Capital Expenditure		
Security Deposits	11.22	11.22
Advances recoverable in kind or for value to be received		
Advance tax and Tax deducted at source	1,255.53	307.35
Less: Adjustment of Tax Liabilities	-	-
	1,255.53	307.35
TOTAL	1,277.31	329.13

*Rs.215 lakhs deposited at R & B Department, Narasaraopet, Govt of AP towards Road construction work from Annavaram village to main substation. Out of Rs.215 lakhs, work completed for Rs.204.44 lakhs (Previous year Rs.204.44 lakhs). Utilisation certificate is pending for balance Rs.10.56 lakhs (Previous year Rs.10.56 lakhs).

Note 9 Inventories

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31	As at 31
	March, 2023	March, 2022
Components, Spares & other spare parts	66.00	62.97
TOTAL	66.00	62.97

Note 10 Trade receivables

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Trade receivables		
Unsecured Considered good	9280.13	11929.80
Credit Impaired	4.11	0.33
	9284.24	11930.13
Less: Loss Allowance	4.11	0.33
TOTAL	9280.13	11929.80

Further Notes:

- 1 Refer note no. 35 for disclosure as per Ind AS 115 'Revenue from Contracts with Customers' & note no. 41. for details of trade receivables from related parties.
- 2 Trade receivable includes unbilled transmission charges & surcharge upto the month of March'23 amounting to Rs.3,900.51 lakhs (net of provision for rebate of Rs.24.23 lakhs) and Rs.171.32 lakhs respectively (Previous year Rs.6,183.86 lakhs (net of provision for rebate of ₹ 33.18 lakhs) and ₹ 186.62 lakhs) billed to beneficiaries in the subsequent month i.e., April 2023 and transmission incentive of Rs.1,348.98 lakhs to be billed in FY 2023-24 (previous year Rs.616.98 lakhs).

3 Ageing of Trade Receivables is as follows:

Particulars	Unbilled	Not Due	0-6M	6M-1Y	1Y-2Y	2Y-3Y	>3Y	Total
As at 31.03.2023								
Considered - Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed	5420.80	945.54	2761.6	152.19	-	-	-	9280.13
Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed	-	-	-	-	3.56	0.38	0.17	4.11
As at 31.03.2022								
Considered - Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed	6987.45	-	3501.39	835.12	603.33	2.44	0.07	11929.80
Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed	-	-	-	-	0.16	0.17	-	0.33

Note 11 Cash and Cash equivalents (₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, As at 31 March,	
	2023	2022
Balance with banks		
-In Current accounts	0.14	786.05
-In term deposits (with maturity less than 3 months)	-	1,390.00
Total	0.14	2,176.05

Note 12 Bank Balances other than cash and cash equivalents (₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, As at 31 March,	
	2023	2022
In Term Deposits having maturity over 3 months but upto 12 months	-	3.85
Total	-	3.85

Note 13 Other Current Financial Assets

(Unsecured considered good unless otherwise stated) (₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, As at 31 March,	
	2023	2022
Advance to/Receivable from Related Parties	947.94	495.41
Others#	11,154.00	-
Total	12,101.94	495.41

#Others includes the amount of Rs.150 lakhs (Previous year Nil) recovered towards safety corpus fund, to be utilised for working personnel work place safety improvement activities, deposited with Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. (Refer note no.19 & 41)

#Others includes the amount of Rs.11,004 lakhs (Previous year Nil) deposited with the LTTCS on account of CERC order (Refer note no.49)

Advance to/Receivable from Related Parties includes amount withheld by CTUIL from Transmission Charges billed on behalf of the Company. Refer Note No.41 for details of receivables from related parties

Note 14 Other current Assets

(Unsecured considered good unless otherwise stated) (₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, As at 31 March,	
	2023	2022
Advances other than capital Advance		
Advances recoverable in kind or for value to be received		
Contractors & Suppliers	-	3.75
Deposit with District authorities towards lower base compensation	-	176.40
	-	180.15
Others#		
Considered Good	7.01	-
Total	7.01	180.15

#Others includes advance towards CSR activities given to District Collector, Vizianagaram (10% of Total Cost of Rs.70.01 lakhs)

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Note 15 Equity Share capital

Particulars	(₹ In Lakh)	
	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Equity Share Capital Authorised		
731000000 (Previous Year 731000000) equity shares of Rs.10/- each at par	73,100.00	73,100.00
Issued, subscribed and paid up		
709004000 (Previous Year 709004000) equity shares of Rs.10/- each at par	70,900.40	70,900.40
Total	70,900.40	70,900.40

Further Notes:

1 Reconciliation of Number and amount of share capital outstanding at the beginning and at the end of the reporting period

Particulars	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023		For the Year ended 31 March, 2022	
	No. of Shares	₹ in Lakh Amount	No. of Shares	₹ in Lakh Amount
Shares outstanding at the beginning of the year	70,90,04,000	70,900.40	70,90,04,000	70,900.40
Shares Issued during the year	-	-	-	-
Shares bought back during the year	-	-	-	-
Shares outstanding at the end of the year	70,90,04,000	70900.40	70,90,04,000	70900.40

2 The Company has only one class of equity shares having a par value of ₹ 10/- per share.

3 The holders of equity shares are entitled to receive dividends as declared from time to time and are entitled to voting rights proportionate to their shareholding at meetings of the Shareholders.

4 Shareholding of Promoters and Shareholders holding more than 5% equity shares of the Company :-

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023		As at 31 March, 2022		% Change
	No. of Shares	% of holding	No. of Shares	% of holding	
Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (Promoter)#	70,90,04,000	100%	70,90,04,000	100%	-

#Out of 709004000 Equity shares (Previous year 709004000 Equity shares) 6 equity shares (Previous year 6 Equity Shares) are held by nominees of M/s Powergrid Corporation Of India Limited on its behalf .

Note 16 **Other Equity**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
(i) Retained Earnings		
Balance at the beginning of the year	(7,793.54)	10,704.91
Add: Additions		
Net Profit for the period	12,991.15	(3,751.17)
Less: Appropriations		
Self Insurance Reserve	(438.30)	-
Interim dividend paid	(1,843.41)	(11,911.26)
Final Dividend	-	(2,836.02)
Balance at the end of the year	2,915.90	(7,793.54)
(ii) Self-Insurance Reserve		
Balance at the beginning of the year	871.97	871.97
Addition during the year	438.30	-
Deduction during the year	-	-
Balance at the end of the year	1,310.27	871.97
Total	4,226.17	(6,921.57)

Further notes:

Self-insurance reserve is created @ 0.12% p.a. on Original Gross Block of Property, Plant and Equipment and value of inventory except ROU assets and assets covered under insurance as at the end of the year by appropriation of current year profit to mitigate future losses from un-insured risks and for taking care of contingencies in future by procurement of towers and other transmission line materials including strengthening of towers and equipment of AC substation.

Note 17 Borrowings (Non-current)

(` In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31	As at 31
	March, 2023	March, 2022
Unsecured Rupee Term Loans:		
Loan from Power Grid Corpoartion of India	2,44,271.36	2,65,132.52
Less: Current maturities of Non Current Borrowing	28.83	-
Less: Interest accrued on borrowings	74.20	-
Total	2,44,168.33	2,65,132.52

Further Note -

- 1 The various sources of Loans being extended to the company by Holding Company are Fixed Interest and floating interest rate which get reset periodically. The rate of interest on the loan ranged from 6.35% to 8.15% p.a. during the Financial Year. Loan of Rs.459.76 lakhs (including current maturities of Rs.28.83 lakhs) is repayable in 48 equal quarterly instalments, balance loan is repayable in 114 Quarterly Installments with prepayment facility without any additional charges.
- 2 There has been no default in repayment of loans or payment of interest thereon as at the end of the year
- 3 Refer note no. 41. for details of Loan from related parties.



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Note 18 **Deferred tax liabilities (Net)**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Deferred Tax Liability		
Difference in book Depreciation and Tax Depreciation	32,750.29	26,387.73
Sub-total (A)	32,750.29	26,387.73
Deferred Tax Assets		
Unused Tax Losses	25,647.89	23,719.27
On Fair value of Financial assets	39.73	-
Credit impaired	1.03	0.08
Sub-total (B)	25,688.65	23,719.35
Deferred tax liabilities (Net)	7,061.64	2,668.38

Movement in Deferred Tax Liabilities

(₹ in Lakh)

Particulars	Depreciation Difference in Property Plant and Equipment	Total
As at 01 April, 2021	18,456.52	18,456.52
-Charged/ (Credited) to Profit or Loss	7,931.21	7,931.21
As at 31 March, 2022	26,387.73	26,387.73
-Charged/ (Credited) to Profit or Loss	6,362.56	6,362.56
As at 31 March, 2023	32,750.29	32,750.29

Movement in Deferred Tax Assets

(₹ in Lakh)

Particulars	Credit Impaired	Unused Tax Losses	On Fair valuation of Financial assets	Total
As at 1st April 2021	0.08	14,563.36	-	14,563.44
-Charged/ (Credited) to Profit or Loss	-	(9,155.91)	-	(9,155.91)
As at 31 March, 2022	0.08	23,719.27	-	23,719.35
-Charged/ (Credited) to Profit or Loss	(0.95)	(1,928.62)	(39.73)	(1,969.30)
As at 31 March, 2023	1.03	25,647.89	39.73	25,688.65

Amount taken to Statement of Profit and Loss

(₹ in Lakh)

Particulars	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
Increase/(Decrease) in Deferred Tax Liabilities	6,362.56	7,931.21
(Increase)/Decrease in Deferred Tax Assets	(1,969.30)	(9,155.91)
Net Amount taken to Statement of Profit and Loss	4,393.26	(1,224.70)

Note 19 Other non-current liabilities

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31	As at 31
	March, 2023	March, 2022
Safety Corpus Fund	150.00	150.00
Total	150.00	150.00

Further Note:

Recovery towards safety corpus fund, to be utilised for working personnel work place safety improvement activities. The amount is deposited with Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. for utilisation towards above purpose (Refer note no.13 & 41)

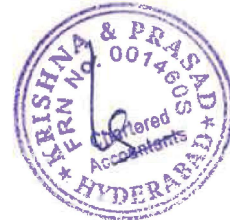
Note 20 Borrowings (Current)

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31	As at 31
	March, 2023	March, 2022
Short term Working Capital Loan		
Rupee Term Loans (Unsecured)		
Loan From M/s Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. (Holding Co.)	5,000.00	-
Current maturities of long term borrowings		
Rupee Term Loans (Unsecured)		
Loan From M/s Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. (Holding Co.)	28.83	-
Total	5,028.83	-

Further Note -

- 1 There has been no default in repayment of loans or payment of interest thereon as at the end of the year
- 2 Refer note no. 41 for details of Loan from related parties.
- 3 The Short term Working Capital Loan of Rs.5000 Lakhs is due for repayment at the end of 12 months from the date of first drawl i.e. drawn in the month of March 2023 with prepayment facility without any additional charges. The rate of interest on the loan was 8.10% during the financial year.



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Note 21 Trade payables

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
For goods and services		
Total outstanding dues of Micro enterprises and small enterprises	-	-
Total outstanding dues of creditors other than Micro enterprises and small enterprises	72.71	22.75
Total	72.71	22.75

Further Note -

1 Disclosure with regard to Micro and Small enterprises as required under "Division II of Schedule III of The Companies Act, 2013" and "The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006" is given in Note No 37.

2 Ageing of Trade Payables is as follows:

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	Not Billed	<1Y	1Y-2Y	2Y-3Y	>3Y	Total
As at 31.03.2023						
MSME						
Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Others						
Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed	72.71	-	-	-	-	72.71
Total	72.71	-	-	-	-	72.71
As at 31.03.2022						
MSME						
Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Others						
Disputed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed	11.47	11.28	-	-	-	22.75
Total	11.47	11.28	-	-	-	22.75

Note 22 **Other Current Financial Liabilities** (₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Interest accrued on borrowings from		
Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (Holding Company)	74.20	-
Others		
Dues for capital expenditure	220.13	466.69
Deposits/Retention money from contractors and others.	219.61	120.34
	<u>439.74</u>	<u>587.03</u>
Total	513.94	587.03

Further Note -

- 1 Disclosure with regard to Micro and Small enterprises as required under "Division II of Schedule III of The Companies Act, 2013" and "The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006" is given in Note No 37.
- 2 Refer note no. 41. for amount payable to related parties.

Note 23 **Other current liabilities** (₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Statutory dues	174.59	16.16
Total	174.59	16.16

Note 24 **Provisions** (₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Provision for Liquidated Damages		
As per last balance sheet	23,455.02	-
Additions during the year	-	23,455.02
Closing Balance	<u>23,455.02</u>	<u>23,455.02</u>
Provision-Others		
As per last balance sheet	3.79	3.22
Additions during the year	6.97	3.79
Adjustments during the year	3.79	3.22
Closing Balance	<u>6.97</u>	<u>3.79</u>
Total	23,461.99	23,458.81

Further Note:

- 1 Provision for Liquidated Damages is provided on the basis of CERC's order dtd 07.05.2022 on Petition No.13/MP/2021. Refer Note No.49 for details.
- 2 Provision others includes provision for expenses of Rs.3.55 lakhs (Previous year Rs.0.23 lakhs) and GST on construction consultancy of Rs.3.42 lakhs (Previous year Rs.3.56 lakhs).

Note 25 **Revenue from operations** (₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
Operating Revenue		
Sales of services		
Transmission Charges	47,609.35	48,791.14
Total	47,609.35	48,791.14

Further Notes:

1. Refer Note No.35 for disclosure as per Ind AS 115 "Revenue from Contracts with Customer".
2. Transmission Charges includes incremental tariff of Rs.1285.59 lakhs (previous year Rs.2469.73 lakhs) granted by CERC on account of Change in Law events vide Order dtd 07.05.2022 on Petition No. 13/MP/2021.

Note 26 **Other income** (₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
Interest income from		
Indian Banks	57.43	13.69
Others*	0.07	-
	57.50	13.69
Unwinding of discount on financial assets	159.74	-
Others		
Surcharge**	277.28	451.40
Miscellaneous income#	1.84	3.25
	279.12	454.65
TOTAL	496.36	468.34

*Others include interest on Income tax refund of Rs.0.07 lakhs (previous year Nil)

#Miscellaneous income include rebate on RLDC fees of Rs.1.84 lakhs (previous year Rs.1.39 lakhs).

** Surcharge includes unbilled surcharge of Rs.171.32 lakhs (Previous year Rs.186.62 lakhs).

Note 27 **Finance costs** (₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
i) Interest and finance charges on financial liabilities at amortised cost from		
Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (Holding Company)	18,735.87	19,097.23
ii) Unwinding of discount on financial liabilities	4.82	1.26
TOTAL	18,740.69	19,098.49
Less: Transferred to expenditure during construction(Net)-Note No.30	7.69	-
TOTAL	18,733.00	19,098.49

Further Notes:

1 Refer note no. 41 for Interest paid to related parties.

Note 28 **Depreciation and amortization expense** (₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
Depreciation of Property,Plant and Equipment	9,797.00	9,770.27
Amortisation of Intangible assets	142.12	142.12
Charged To Statement of Profit & Loss	9,939.12	9,912.39

Note 29 **Other expenses**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
Plant & Machinery		
Sub-Stations	219.08	209.99
Transmission lines	1,111.77	1,063.21
Others	0.82	-
	1,331.67	1,273.20
System and Market Operation Charges	124.49	139.55
Power charges	44.58	69.97
Less: Recovery from contractors	(0.01)	-
	44.57	69.97
Expenses of Diesel Generating sets	1.89	-
Legal expenses	15.19	56.51
Professional charges(Including TA/DA)	2.40	1.64
Consultancy expenses(Including TA/DA)	44.36	-
Payments to Statutory Auditors		
Audit Fees	0.83	0.71
Tax Audit Fees	0.30	0.30
In Other Capacity	0.47	0.40
Out of pocket Expenses	0.04	0.04
	1.64	1.45
Cost Audit and Physical verification Fees	0.36	0.30
CERC petition & Other charges	50.84	52.11
Miscellaneous expenses	14.32	12.17
Security Expenses	69.05	59.40
Expenditure on Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) & Sustainable development	71.39	103.15
Fair valuation loss on financial assets	317.58	-
Provisions		
Doubtful loans, advances, debts, claims etc.	3.78	-
	2,093.53	1,769.45
Less: Transferred to expenditure during construction(Net)-Note No.30	(44.35)	-
Total	2,049.18	1,769.45

Further Note:

Refer Note No.41 for Disclosure on Related Party transactions.

Note 30 **Expenditure during Construction (Net)**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
A. Other Expenses		
Power charges	-	-
Less: Recovery from contractors	0.01	-
	(0.01)	-
Consultancy expenses	44.36	-
Total(A)	44.35	-
B. Finance Costs		
a) Interest and finance charges on financial liabilities at amortised cost from Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (Holding Company)	7.69	-
Total (B)	7.69	-
GRAND TOTAL	52.04	-

Note 31 Financial Risk Management

The Company's principal financial liabilities comprise loans and borrowings denominated in Indian rupees or foreign currencies, trade payables and other payables. The main purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance the Company's capital investments and operations.

The Company's principal financial assets include loans and advances, trade and other receivables, and cash and cash equivalents that are generated from its operations.

The Company's activities expose it to the following financial risks, namely,

- (A) Credit risk,
- (B) Liquidity risk,
- (C) Market risk.

This note presents information regarding the company's exposure, objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing these risks.

The management of financial risks by the Company is summarized below: -

(A) Credit Risk:

Credit risk is the risk that counterparty will not meet its obligations under a financial instrument or customer contract, leading to a financial loss. The Company is exposed to credit risk from its operating activities on account of trade receivables.

A default on a financial asset is when the counterparty fails to make contractual payments within 3 years of when they fall due. This definition of default is determined considering the business environment in which the Company operates and other macro-economic factors.

Assets are written-off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery, such as a debtor declaring bankruptcy or failing to engage in a repayment plan with the Company. Where loans or receivables have been written off, the Company continues to engage in enforcement activity to attempt to recover the receivable due. Where such recoveries are made, these are recognized in the statement of profit and loss.

(i) Trade Receivables

The Company primarily provides transmission facilities to inter-state transmission service customers (DICs) comprising mainly state utilities owned by State Governments and the main revenue is from transmission charges. CERC (Sharing of Inter-State Transmission Charges and Losses) Regulations, 2020 ("CERC Sharing Regulations") allow payment against monthly bills towards transmission charges within due date i.e., 45 days from the date of presentation of the bill and levy of surcharge on delayed payment beyond 45 days. However, in order to improve the cash flows of company, a graded rebate is provided for payments made within 45 days. If a DIC fails to pay any bill or part thereof by the Due Date, the Central Transmission Utility (CTU) may encash the Letter of Credit provided by the DIC and utilise the same towards the amount of the bill or part thereof that is overdue plus Late Payment Surcharge, if applicable.

Trade receivables consist of receivables relating to transmission services of ₹ 10227.45 Lakh as on 31 March, 2023 (₹ 11930.13 Lakh as on 31 March, 2022).

(ii) Other Financial Assets (excluding trade receivables and unbilled revenue)**· Cash and cash equivalents**

The Company held cash and cash equivalents of ₹0.14 Lakh (Previous Year ₹2176.05 Lakh). The cash and cash equivalents are held with public sector banks and high rated private sector banks and do not have any significant credit risk.

· Deposits with banks and financial institutions

The Company held deposits with banks and financial institutions of ₹0 Lakh (Previous Year ₹3.85 Lakh). Term deposits are placed with public sector banks and high rated private sector banks and have negligible credit risk.

(iii) Exposure to credit risk

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Financial assets for which loss allowance is measured using 12 months Expected Credit Losses (ECL)		
Cash and cash equivalents	0.14	2,176.05
Deposits with banks and financial institutions	-	3.85
Other current financial assets	12,101.94	495.41
Total	12,102.08	2,675.31
Financial assets for which loss allowance is measured using Life time Expected Credit Losses (ECL)		
Trade receivables (Current)	9,284.24	11,930.13
Trade receivables (Non - Current)	943.21	-
Total	10,227.45	11,930.13

(iv) **Provision for expected credit losses**

(a) **Financial assets for which loss allowance is measured using 12 month expected credit losses**

The Company has assets where the counter- parties have sufficient capacity to meet the obligations and where the risk of default is very low. At initial recognition, financial assets (excluding trade receivables and unbilled revenue) are considered as having negligible credit risk and the risk has not increased from initial recognition. Therefore, no loss allowance for impairment has been recognised.

(b) **Financial assets for which loss allowance is measured using life time expected credit losses**

The Company has customers most of whom are state government utilities with capacity to meet the obligations and therefore the risk of default is negligible. Further, management believes that the unimpaired amounts that are 30 days past due date are still collectible in full, based on the payment security mechanism in place and historical payment behaviour.

Considering the above factors and the prevalent regulations, the trade receivables and unbilled revenue continue to have a negligible credit risk on initial recognition and thereafter on each reporting date.

(v) **Ageing analysis of trade receivables**

The ageing analysis of the trade receivables (Current & Non-current) is as below:

(₹ in lakh)

Ageing	Unbilled	Not due	0-30 days past due	31-60 days past due	61-90 days past due	91-120 days past due	More than 120 days past due	Total
Gross carrying amount as on 31.03.2023	5420.80	1,888.75	2305.08	358.13	84.20	5.89	164.60	10,227.45
Gross carrying amount as on 31.03.2022	6987.45	-	2057.88	528.52	342.56	200.04	1813.68	11,930.13

(vi) **Reconciliation of impairment loss provisions**

The movement in the allowance for impairment in respect of financial assets during the year was as

(₹ in lakh)

Particulars	Trade receivables
Balance as at 01.04.2021	0.33
Impairment loss recognised/ (reversed)	-
Amounts written off	-
Balance as at 31.03.2022	0.33
Impairment loss recognised/ (reversed)	3.78
Amounts written off	-
Balance as at 31.03.2023	4.11

Based on historic default rates, the Company believes that, apart from the above, no impairment allowance is necessary in respect of any other assets as the amounts are insignificant.

(B) **Liquidity Risk**

Liquidity risk management implies maintaining sufficient cash and marketable securities and the availability of funding through an adequate amount of committed credit facilities to meet obligations when due. The Company has entered into Inter-Corporate Loan Agreement for Funding of its obligations. For this, Company provided quarterly cashflows in advance to Holding Company with Monthly requirement.

The Company depends on both internal and external sources of liquidity to provide working capital and to fund capital expenditure.

Maturities of financial liabilities

The table below analyses the Company's financial liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on their contractual maturities for all non-derivative financial liabilities.

The amount disclosed in the table is the contractual undiscounted cash flows.

(₹ in lakh)

Contractual maturities of financial liabilities	Within a year	Between 1-5 years	Beyond 5 years	Total
As at 31.03.2023				
Borrowings (including interest outflows)	24,104.40	93,306.65	4,47,506.78	5,64,917.83
Trade payables	72.71	-	-	72.71
<u>Other financial liabilities</u>				
Others	513.94	-	-	513.94
Total	24,691.05	93,306.65	4,47,506.78	5,65,504.48
As at 31.03.2022				
Borrowings (including interest outflows)	18,943.76	1,03,900.22	4,54,416.38	5,77,260.36
Trade payables	22.75	-	-	22.75
<u>Other financial liabilities</u>				
Others	587.03	-	-	587.03
Total	19,553.54	1,03,900.22	4,54,416.38	5,77,870.14

(C) MARKET RISK

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises two types of risk:

- (i) Currency risk
- (ii) Interest rate risk
- (i) **Currency risk**

As on Reporting date the Company does not have any exposure to currency risk in respect of foreign currency denominated loans and borrowings and procurement of goods and services whose purchase consideration foreign currency.

(ii) Interest rate risk

The company has taken borrowings from Parent Company on cost to cost basis. The Company is exposed to interest rate risk because the cash flows associated with floating rate borrowings. The various sources of loans being extended to the company by parent company are Fixed interest and floating interest rate which get reset periodically. The Company manages the interest rate risks by maintaining a debt portfolio of fixed and floating rate borrowings. The Company's interest rate risk is not considered significant; hence sensitivity analysis for the risk is not disclosed.

Note 32 Additional Regulatory Information as per Schedule III to the Companies Act, 2013

a) There are no cases of immovable properties where title deeds are not in the name of the company.

b) Aging of Capital Work in Progress is as follows:

(₹ in lakh)						
Particulars as at 31.03.2023	<1 Year	1-2 Years	2-3 Years	>3 Years	Total	
Projects in progress	948.81	5.61	-	-		954.42
Total	948.81	5.61				954.42
As at 31.03.2022						
Projects in progress	25.17	184.88	-	-		210.05
Total	25.17	184.88				210.05

c) For capital-work-in progress (CWIP), whose completion is overdue or has exceeded its cost compared to its original plan, CWIP completion schedule is as follows:

(₹ in lakh)						
Particulars	Project	<1 Year	1-2 Years	2-3 Years	>3 Years	Total
Projects in progress	RTM 765 kV Spare Reactor	702.80	-	-	-	702.80
Projects in progress	RTM Scheme to bypass NGR	98.72	-	-	-	98.72

d) The company does not have any intangible assets under development.

e) No proceeding has been initiated or pending against the company for holding any benami property under the Prohibition of Benami Property Transactions Act, 1988 (as amended) and rules made thereunder as at the end of the financial year.

f) The Company is not sanctioned any working capital limit secured against current assets by any Finance Institutions.

g) The company was not declared as a wilful defaulter by any bank or financial Institution or other lender during the financial year.

h) The Company does not have any transactions, balances or relationship with Struck off companies.

i) The Company does not have any Charges on its assets.

j) The company has complied with the number of layers prescribed under clause (87) of section 2 of the Act read with the Companies (Restriction on number of Layers) Rules, 2017 during the financial year.

k) Ratios

Ratio	Numerator	Denominator	Current Year	Previous Year	Variance	Reason for variance >25%
(a) Current Ratio	Current Assets	Current Liabilities	0.73	0.62	19%	-
(b) Debt-Equity Ratio	Total Debt	Shareholder's Equity	3.32	4.14	-20%	-
(c) Debt Service Coverage Ratio	Profit for the period + Depreciation and amortization expense + Finance costs	Interest & Lease Payments + Principal Repayments	1.02	0.88	17%	-
(d) Return on Equity Ratio	Profit for the period	Average Shareholder's Equity	18.68%	-5%	-465%	Reduction in profit in previous year due to exceptional items
(e) Inventory turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Average Inventory	738.30	794.45	-7%	-
(f) Trade Receivables turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Average Trade Receivables (before deducting provision)	4.49	4.68	-4%	-
(g) Trade payables turnover ratio	Gross Other Expense (-) FERV, Provisions, Loss on disposal of PPE	Average Trade payables	43.78	63.92	-32%	Increase in average trade payables in current year
(h) Net capital turnover ratio	Revenue from Operations	Current Assets - Current Liabilities	-6.11	-5.28	16%	-
(i) Net profit ratio	Profit for the period	Revenue from Operations	27.29%	-8%	-455%	Reduction in profit in previous year due to exceptional items
(j) Return on Capital employed	Earnings before interest and taxes	Tangible Net Worth + Total Debt + Deferred Tax Liability	11.05%	4.32%	156%	Reduction in earnings before interest and taxes in previous year due to exceptional items
(k) Return on investment	{MV(T1) - MV(T0) - Sum [C(t)]}	{MV(T0) + Sum [W(t) * C(t)]}	NA	NA	NA	-

l) The company has not received/advanced or loaned or invested funds (either borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) through Intermediaries during the financial year.

m) The Company does not have any transaction that was not recorded in the books of accounts and has been surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961.

n) The Company has not traded or invested in Crypto currency or Virtual Currency during the financial year.

Note 33 a) Some balances of Trade Receivables and recoverable shown under Assets and Trade and Other Payables shown under Liabilities include balances subject to confirmation/ reconciliation and consequential adjustments if any. However, reconciliations are carried out on ongoing basis. The management does not expect any material adjustment in the books of accounts as a result of the reconciliation.

b) In the opinion of the management, the value of any of the assets other than Property, Plant and Equipment on realization in the ordinary course of business will not be less than the value at which they are stated in the Balance Sheet.

Note 34 Central Transmission Utility of India Limited (CTUIL) (Fellow Subsidiary Company) was notified as CTU w.e.f. 01.04.2021 by GOI vide Notification No. CG-DL-E-09032021-225743 and is entrusted with the job of centralized Billing, Collection and Disbursement (BCD) of transmission charges on behalf of all the IST licencees. Accordingly, CTUIL is raising bills for transmission charges to DICs on behalf of IST licencees. The debtors and their recovery are accounted based on the list of DICs given by CTUIL.

Note 35 Disclosure as per Ind AS 115 - "Revenue from Contracts with Customer"

- a) The company does not have any contract assets or contract liability as at 31st March 2023 and 31st March 2022.
- b) The entity determines transaction price based on expected value method considering its past experiences of refunds or significant reversals in amount of revenue. In estimating significant financing component, management considers the financing element inbuilt in the transaction price based on imputed rate of return. Reconciliation of Contracted Price vis-a-vis revenue recognized in profit or loss statement is as follows:

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
Contracted price	46,209.92	44,967.80
Add/ (Less)- Discounts/ rebates provided to customer	(217.91)	(220.27)
Add/ (Less)- Performance bonus	1,617.34	1,573.88
Add/ (Less)- Adjustment for significant financing component	-	-
Add/ (Less)- Other adjustments - Other adjustments on account of CERC order in Petition no.13/MP/2021 (refer note 49)	-	2,469.73
Revenue recognised in profit or loss statement	47,609.35	48,791.14

Note 36 Borrowing cost capitalised during the year is ₹7.69 Lakh (Previous Year ₹0 Lakh) in the respective carrying amount of Property, Plant and Equipment/Capital work in Progress (CWIP) as per Ind AS 23 'Borrowing Costs'.

Note 37 Based on information available with the company, there are no suppliers/service providers who are registered as micro, small or medium enterprise under The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act,2006 (MSMED Act, 2006). Information in respect of micro and small enterprises as required by Companies Act 2013 and MSMED Act, 2006 is given as under:

Sr. No	Particulars	Trade Payables		Others	
		As at 31.03.2023	As at 31.03.2022	As at 31.03.2023	As at 31.03.2022
1	Principal amount and interest due thereon remaining unpaid to any supplier as at end of each accounting year:				
	Principal	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
	Interest	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
2	The amount of Interest paid by the buyer in terms of section 16 of the MSMED Act, 2006 along with the amount of the payment made to the supplier beyond the appointed day during each accounting year	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
3	The amount of interest due and payable for the period of delay in making payment (which have been paid but beyond the appointed day during the year) but without adding the interest specified under MSMED Act, 2006	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
4	The amount of interest accrued and remaining unpaid at the end of each accounting year	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
5	The amount of further interest remaining due and payable even in the succeeding years, until such date when the interest dues as above are actually paid to the small enterprise for the purpose of disallowance as a deductible expenditure under section 23 of the MSMED Act 2006	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

Note 38 Disclosure as per Ind AS 116 - "Leases"

The company does not have any lease arrangements either as a lessor or a lessee. Therefore, Ind AS 116 "Leases" does not apply to the company.

Note 39 Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Expenses

As per Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 along with Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014 read with DPE guidelines no F.No.15 (13)/2013-DPE (GM), the Company is required to spend, in every financial year, at least two per cent of the average net profits of the Company made during the three immediately preceding financial years in accordance with its CSR Policy.

The details of CSR expenses for the year are as under: -

(₹ in lakh)

S. No.	PARTICULARS	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
A	Amount required to be spent during the year	71.39	103.15
B	Amount approved by the Board to be spent during the year	71.39	103.15
C	<u>Amount spent on CSR –</u>		
(i)	Construction or acquisition of any asset	-	-
(ii)	on Purpose other than (i) above	71.39	103.15
D	Total Shortfall/ (Excess) amount	-	-
E	Break-up of the amount spent on CSR		
1	Education and Skill Development expenses	-	-
2	Ecology and Environment Expenses	-	-
3	Health and Sanitation expenses	71.39	103.15
4	Sports, Art and Culture expenses	-	-
5	Protection of national heritage, art and culture including restoration of building and sites of historical importance	-	-
6	Other CSR activities	-	-
	Total Amount spent on CSR	71.39	103.15
	Amount spent in Cash out of above	71.39	103.15
	Amount yet to be spent in Cash	-	-

Note 40 Fair Value Measurement

(₹ in lakh)

Financial Instruments by category	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
	Amortised cost	Amortised cost
Financial Assets		
Trade Receivables (Current)	9,280.13	11,929.80
Trade Receivables (Non-Current)	943.21	-
Cash & cash Equivalents	0.14	2,176.05
Bank Balance	-	3.85
Other Financial Assets		
Current	12,101.94	495.41
Non-Current	-	-
Total Financial assets	22,325.42	14,605.11
Financial Liabilities		
Borrowings	2,49,197.16	2,65,132.52
Trade Payables	72.71	22.75
Other Financial Liabilities		
Current	513.94	587.03
Non-Current	-	-
Total financial liabilities	2,49,783.81	2,65,742.30

This section explains the judgements and estimates made in determining the fair values of the financial instruments that are measured at fair value and financial instruments that are measured at amortised cost and for which fair values are disclosed in the financial statements. To provide an indication about the reliability of the inputs used in determining fair value, the company has classified its financial instruments into the three levels prescribed under the accounting standard. An explanation of each level follows underneath the table.

Financial instruments that are measured at Amortised Cost:

(₹ in lakh)

Particulars	Level	As at 31 March, 2023		As at 31 March, 2022	
		Carrying Amount	Fair value	Carrying Amount	Fair value
Financial Assets					
Trade Receivables (Non-current)	2	943.21	943.21	-	-
Total Financial Assets		943.21	943.21	-	-
Financial Liabilities					
Borrowings	2	2,49,197.16	2,45,170.85	2,65,132.52	2,68,029.74
Total financial liabilities		2,49,197.16	2,45,170.85	2,65,132.52	2,68,029.74

The carrying amounts of trade receivables, trade payables, Bank Balance, cash and cash equivalents, other current financial assets and other current financial liabilities are considered to be the same as their fair values, due to their short-term nature.

For financial assets that are measured at fair value, the carrying amounts are equal to the fair values.

Level 1: Level 1 hierarchy includes financial instruments measured using quoted prices. This includes listed equity bonds which are traded in the stock exchanges, valued using the closing price as at the reporting period.

Level 2: The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market (for example, traded bonds) is determined using valuation techniques which maximise the use of observable market data and rely as little as possible on entity-specific estimates. If all significant inputs required to fair value an instrument are observable, the instrument is included in level 2.

Level 3: If one or more of the significant inputs is not based on observable market data, the instrument is included in level 3. This is the case for unlisted equity securities, contingent consideration and indemnification assets included in level 3.

There are no transfers between levels 1 and 2 during the year. The company's policy is to recognise transfers into and transfers out of fair value hierarchy levels as at the end of the reporting period.

Valuation technique used to determine fair value:

Specific valuation techniques used to value financial instruments includes:

- the use of quoted market prices or dealer quotes for similar instruments
- the fair value of the remaining financial instruments is determined using discounted cash flow analysis.

All of the resulting fair value estimates are included in level 2.

Note 41 Disclosure as per Ind AS 24 - "Related Party Disclosures"

(a) Holding Company

Name of entity	Place of business/ Country of incorporation	Proportion of Ownership	
		As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Power Grid Corporation of India Limited	India	100%	100%

(b) Subsidiaries of Holding Company

Name of entity	Place of business/ Country of incorporation
POWERGRID Vemagiri Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID NM Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Unchahar Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Medinipur Jeerat Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Mithilanchal Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Varanasi Transmission System Limited	India
POWERGRID Jawaharpur Firozabad Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Khetri Transmission System Limited	India
POWERGRID Bhuj Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Bhind Guna Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Ajmer Phagi Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Fatehgarh Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Rampur Sambhal Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Meerut Simbhavali Transmission Limited	India
Central Transmission Utility of India Limited	India
POWERGRID Ramgarh Transmission Limited (Erstwhile Ramgarh New Transmission Limited)	India
POWERGRID Himachal Transmission Limited (Erstwhile Jaypee POWERGRID Limited)	India
POWERGRID Bikaner Transmission System Limited (Erstwhile Bikaner-II Bhiwadi Transco Limited)	India
POWERGRID Sikar Transmission Limited (Erstwhile Sikar New Transmission Limited)	India
POWERGRID Bhadla Transmission Limited (Erstwhile Fatehgarh Bhadla Transco Limited)	India
POWERGRID Aligarh Sikar Transmission Limited (Erstwhile Sikar II Aligarh Transmission Limited)	India
POWERGRID Teleservices Limited	India
POWERGRID Energy Services Limited	India
POWERGRID Narela Transmission Limited (Erstwhile Khetri Narela Transmission Limited)*	India
POWERGRID Gomti Yamuna Transmission Limited (Erstwhile Mohanlalganj Transmission Limited)**	India
POWERGRID Neemuch Transmission System Limited (Erstwhile Neemuch Transmission Limited)#	India
POWERGRID ER NER Transmission Limited (Erstwhile ER NER Transmission Limited)##	India
Khavda II-B Transmission Limited***	India
Khavda II-C Transmission Limited***	India
Khavda RE Transmission Limited***	India
KPS2 Transmission Limited***	India
KPS3 Transmission Limited***	India
ERWR Power Transmission Limited***	India
Raipur Pool Dhamtari Transmission Limited###	India
Dharamjaigarh Transmission Limited###	India
Bhadla Sikar Transmission Limited###	India

*100% equity acquired by POWERGRID from PFC Consulting Limited on 11.05.2022

**100% equity acquired by POWERGRID from PFC Consulting Limited on 30.05.2022

#100% equity acquired by POWERGRID from REC Power Development and Consultancy Limited (erstwhile REC Power Distribution Company Limited) on 24.08.2022.

##100% equity acquired by POWERGRID from REC Power Development and Consultancy Limited (erstwhile REC Power Distribution Company Limited) on 10.10.2022

***100% equity acquired by POWERGRID from REC Power Development and Consultancy Limited (erstwhile REC Power Distribution Company Limited) on 21.03.2023

###100% equity acquired by POWERGRID from PFC Consulting Limited on 28.03.2023

(c) **Joint Ventures of Holding company**

Name of entity	Place of business/ Country of incorporation
Powerlinks Transmission Limited	India
Torrent Power Grid Limited	India
Parbati Koldam Transmission Company Limited	India
Teestavalley Power Transmission Limited	India
North East Transmission Company Limited	India
National High Power Test Laboratory Private Limited	India
Bihar Grid Company Limited	India
Energy Efficiency Services Limited	India
Cross Border Power Transmission Company Limited	India
RINL POWERGRID TLT Private Limited*	India
Butwal-Gorakhpur Cross Border Power Transmission Limited#	India
Power Transmission Company Nepal Limited	Nepal

*POWERGRID's Board of Directors in its meeting held on 01.05.2018 accorded in principle approval to close RINL Powergrid TLT Private Limited (RPTPL) and seek consent of other JV Partner Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Limited (RINL). RINL's Board of Directors in its meeting held on 08.03.2019 has agreed in principle for winding up proceedings of RPTPL & to seek the approval from Ministry of Steel(MoS), Government of India, for closure of RPTPL. The approval for closure of RPTPL is received on 11.07.2022 from MoS.

#Incorporated on 31.08.2022 as a Joint Venture between POWERGRID and Nepal Electricity Authority (NEA) with equity participation of 50:50 for implementation of Indian Portion of New Butwal - Gorakhpur 400 kV Double Circuit (Quad Moose) Cross Border Transmission Line.

(d) **Associates of Holding Company**

Name of entity	Place of business/ Country of incorporation
POWERGRID Kala Amb Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Jabalpur Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Warora Transmission Limited	India
POWERGRID Parli Transmission Limited	India

(e) **Key Managerial Personnel**

Name	Designation
Shri B.Anantha Sarma	Chairperson
Shri Rajesh Srivastava	Director (appointed w.e.f 04.08.2022)
Shri Yagya Datt	Director (appointed w.e.f 17.10.2022)
Smt Seema Gupta	Director (appointed w.e.f 06.06.2022)
Shri Anoop Kumar	Director (ceased to be director on 30.06.2022)
Shri Ravisankar Ganesan	Director (ceased to be director on 13.10.2022)
Smt V Susheela Devi	Director (ceased to be director on 31.05.2022)
Shri B Girish Kumar	Chief Financial Officer
Shri Shwetank Kumar	Company Secretary

(f) **Government Related Entities**

The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Central Public Sector Undertaking (CPSU) controlled by Central Government by holding majority of shares.

The Company has business transactions with other entities controlled by the GOI for procurement of capital equipment, spares and services. Transactions with these entities are carried out at market terms on arms-length basis through a transparent price discovery process against open tenders, except in a few cases of procurement of spares/services from Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) for proprietary items/or on single tender basis due to urgency, compatibility or other reasons. Such single tender procurements are also done through a process of negotiation with prices benchmarked against available price data of same/similar items.

The above transactions are in the course of normal day-to-day business operations and are not considered to be significant keeping in view the size, either individually or collectively.

(g) Outstanding balances arising from sales/purchases of goods and services

The following balances are outstanding at the end of the reporting period in relation to transactions with related parties:

(₹ in lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Amounts payable		
Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. (Holding Company)		
Purchases of goods and services - Consultancy	17.09	17.81
Loans from Holding Company	2,49,197.16	2,65,132.52
Interest Accrued on Loan	74.20	-
Amounts Receivable		
Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. (Holding Company)		
Other Receivables (Safety Corpus Deposit)	150.00	-
Central Transmission Utility of India Ltd. (Fellow Subsidiary Company)		
Outstanding Balance in capacity of CTU	11175.39	12425.54

(h) Transactions with related parties

The following transactions occurred with related parties (excluding taxes):

(₹ in lakh)

Particulars	For the Year ended 31 March, 2023	For the Year ended 31 March, 2022
Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. (Holding Company)		
Purchase of Goods or Services - O&M Maintenance / Consultancy Expense (excluding taxes)	1,146.54	1,079.30
Reimbursement of BG charges (excluding taxes)	11.17	9.87
Repayment of Loan	21,996.24	9,705.20
Additional Loan obtained during the year	6,060.88	309.36
Safety Corpus Fund deposited	150.00	-
Interest paid on Loan	18,735.87	19,097.23
Dividend Paid	1,843.41	14,747.28
Central Transmission Utility of India Ltd. (Fellow Subsidiary Company)		
Transactions in capacity of CTU	47,886.63	49,242.54

Note 42 Segment Information

The Board of Directors is the company's Chief operating decision maker who monitors the operating results of its business segments separately for the purpose of making decisions about resource allocation and performance assessment. One reportable segment has been identified on the basis of product/services. The company has a single reportable segment i.e., Power transmission network for transmission system.

The operations of the company are mainly carried out within the country and therefore there is no reportable geographical segment.

Note 43 Capital and other Commitments

(₹ in lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Estimated amount of contracts remaining to be executed on capital account and not provided for (net of advances)	246.25	203.55

Note 44 Contingent Liabilities and contingent assets**A. Contingent Liabilities**

Claims against the Company not acknowledged as debts in respect of:

i. Additional / Enhanced compensation for Kadapa - Madhugiri Line:

311 nos of civil cases (Previous Year 281 cases) are pending in the District court Tumukur before honourable VI Addl. District & Sessions judge, Tumkur at Madhugiri, filed by the parties for enhanced crop & tree compensation in Kadapa-Madhugiri line which is already completed and into operation on 28.02.2019, are for ₹ 17,075.15 lakhs (Previous Year ₹ 15,253.43 lakhs).

Contingent liability for 25% of the claim amount along with interest @ 9% p.a from the date of admission to 31.03.2023 amounting to ₹ 5,643.52 lakhs is considered (Previous Year ₹ 4,733.01 lakhs).The company is confident that there will not be any additional compensation payable to the above said cases.

ii. Bank Guarantees

Bank Guarantee of Nil (Previous Year ₹ 110.04 Crores) has been given by POWERGRID Corporation of India Limited (Holding Co.) on behalf of company as per the requirement of the TSA which is not form part of contingent liability to the company.

iii. The company has received show cause notice during FY 2021-22 from Directorate General of GST Intelligence (DGGI) for an amount of Rs. 614.62 lakhs towards payment of GST under RCM on amount paid to Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management & Planning Authority (CAMPA) for diversion of forest land for non-forestry purposes.

The proceedings were dropped by the Additional Commissioner, Tirupati, CGST Commissionerate vide Order no. 02/2023-24 CGST [ADC] dated 28.04.2023

In view of the above contingent liability towards GST under RCM on amount paid to Compensatory Afforestation can be considered as Nil as on 31.03.2023.

Note 45 Capital management**a) Risk Management**

The company's objectives when managing capital are to maximize the shareholder value; safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern; maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

For the purpose of the company's capital management, equity capital includes issued equity capital and all other equity reserves attributable to the equity holders of the company. The company manages its capital structure and makes adjustments in light of changes in economic conditions. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the company may adjust the dividend payment to shareholders, regulate investments in its projects, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares. The company monitors capital using debt-equity ratio, which is the ratio of long term debt to total net worth. The company includes within long term debt, interest bearing loans and borrowings and current maturities of long-term debt.

The debt -equity ratio of the Company was as follows: -

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Total debt (₹ in lakh)	2,49,197.16	2,65,132.52
Equity (₹ in lakh)	75,126.57	63,978.83
Debt to Equity ratio	3.32	4.14

No changes were made in the objectives, policies or processes for managing capital during the years ended 31.03.2023 and 31.03.2022.

b) Dividends

(₹ in lakh)

Particulars	As at 31 March, 2023	As at 31 March, 2022
Final dividend for the year ended 31.03.2022 of Nil (31.03.2021 - ₹0.40) per fully paid up share	-	2,836.02
Interim dividend for the year ended 31.03.2023 of ₹ 0.26 (31.03.2022 - ₹1.68) per fully paid up share	1,843.41	11,911.26

Dividend not recognized at the end of the reporting period:

In addition to above dividend, the Board of Directors on 03 May, 2023 declared the interim dividend of ₹ 0.41 per fully paid up equity share.

Note 46 Earnings per share

Particulars	For the year ended 31.03.2023	For the year ended 31.03.2022
Basic and diluted earnings per share attributable to the equity holders of the company (in ₹)	1.83	(0.53)
Total Earnings attributable to the equity holders of the company (₹ in lakh)	12,991.15	(3,751.17)
Weighted average number of shares used as the denominator	70,90,04,000	70,90,04,000

Note 47 Income Tax expense

This note provides an analysis of the company's income tax expense, and how the tax expense is affected by non-assessable and non-deductible items. It also explains significant estimates made in relation to the Company's tax position.

(a) Income tax expense

(₹ in lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended 31.03.2023	For the year ended 31.03.2022
Current Tax		
Current tax on profits for the year (A)	-	-
Deferred Tax expense		
Origination and reversal of temporary differences	4,393.26	(1,224.70)
Total deferred tax expense/benefit (B)	4,393.26	(1,224.70)
Income tax expense (A+B)	4,393.26	(1,224.70)

(b) Reconciliation of tax expense and the accounting profit multiplied by India's tax rate:

(₹ in lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended 31.03.2022	For the year ended 31.03.2021
Profit before income tax expense including movement in Regulatory Deferral Account Balances	17,384.41	(4,975.87)
Tax at the Company's domestic tax rate of 25.168 %	4,375.31	-
Tax effect of:		
Non-Deductible tax items	(17.97)	-
Unabsorbed tax losses	(4,357.34)	-
Deferred Tax expense/(income)	4,393.26	(1,224.70)
Income tax expense	4,393.26	(1,224.70)

Note 48 Employee Benefits

The Company does not have any permanent employees. The personnel working for the company are from holding company on secondment basic and are working on time share basis. The employee cost (including retirement benefits such as Gratuity, leave encashment, post-retirement benefits etc.) in respect of personnel working for the company are paid by holding company and holding company is raising the invoice to the Subsidiary company towards Consultancy charges for maintenance of Transmission Assets as per the agreement. Since there are no employees in the company, the obligation as per Ind-AS 19 does not arise. Accordingly, no provision is considered necessary for any retirement benefit like gratuity, leave salary, pension etc., in the books of the company.

Note 49 Provision for Liquidated Damages

The Company vide Petition no - 13/MP/2021 filed a petition to seek relief for time extension on Account of Force Majeure events and compensation in form of increase in transmission charges Change in Law events under Article 11 and Article 12 respectively of Transmission Service Agreement (TSA) dated 31.08.2015 signed by the Company with LITCs for execution of Transmission Project. CERC vide its order dated 07.05.2022 has allowed partial increase in transmission Charges on account of Change in Law events. However, CERC has denied time extension on account of Force Majeure events, which may result in action by LITCs to claim Liquidated Damages (LD) as per the provisions of TSA. The Company has filed an Appeal with Appellate Tribunal for Electricity (APTEL) (Appeal No.194 of 2022) to set aside CERC order dated 07.05.2022 in petition 13/MP/2021. The appeal has been posted for next hearing on 04.05.2023. However, provision for the amount of Rs 23,455.02 lakhs towards LD has been made in FY 2021-22. Due to said consolidated one-time LD, there is a reduction in the profit for the FY 2021-22 and the same has been disclosed under "Exceptional items" in the Statement of Profit and loss for the year ended 31.03.2022.

Out of the provision for LD of Rs. 23,455.02 lakhs, the Company has ^{deposited} paid the amount of Rs.11,004.00 lakhs to the LITCs on 28.03.2023 as per the CERC order dated 17.03.2023 in Appeal No. 194 of 2022 & IA No. 724 of 2022. Since the company has filed an appeal and the same is sub judice, the amount paid to LITCs is considered as Other current financial assets (Note no.13). * in exchange for bank guarantees issued earlier

Note 50 Recent Pronouncements

On 31.03.2023, Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has notified the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Amendment Rules, 2023 applicable from 01.04.2023. The Company will assess and implement the amendments in the FY 2023-24, as applicable.

Note 51 a) Figures have been rounded off to nearest rupees in lakh up to two decimals.

b) Previous year figures have been regrouped/ rearranged wherever considered necessary.

As per our report of even date

For Krishna & Prasad
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