## **IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PAKISTAN**

(Original Jurisdiction)

#### Present:

Mr. Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry, CJ

Mr. Justice Ijaz Ahmed Chaudhry

Mr. Justice Gulzar Ahmed

# **Human Rights Case No.14392 of 2013**

[Action taken on unprecedented Load Shedding in the Country]

## <u>AND</u>

# **Human Rights Case No.790-G of 2009**

[News clipping published in the daily Jinnah, Islamabad, dated 14.04.2009]

Applicant : Mr. Razi-ud-Din, in person (in CMA.2602/13)

On Court's Notice

For NTDC & PEPCO : Mr. Zargham Eshaq, MD.

For WAPDA : Mr. Badar-ul-Munir Murtaza, CE (Hydel Power)

For IRSA : Mr. M. Wagar Rana, ASC

For AEDB : Nemo

For SSGC & SNGPL : Mr. Asim Iqbal, ASC

Mr. Arif Hameed, MD, SNGPL

Date of Hearing : 31.05.2013

### <u>ORDER</u>

IFTIKHAR MUHAMMAD CHAUDHRY, CJ.— In response to notice, Mr. Zargham Eshaq, Managing Director, PEPCO & NTDC appeared and stated that efforts are being made to implement the order of this Court dated 21.05.2013 i.e. to supply available electricity equitably in between the domestic and industrial consumers. He further stated that due to lack of communication between the NTDC and DISCOs, he is facing some problems.

2. In view of such statement, we direct all the Managing Directors of DISCOs throughout the country to convene a meeting with the Managing Director NTDC through Video Conference on 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2013 and after conclusion of meeting, all the stakeholders i.e. M.Ds of DISCOs and the Chairman IRSA as well as Secretary, Ministry of Water & Power etc shall prepare a joint statement to ensure the implementation of order dated 21.05.2013 in letter and spirit, and the same shall be filed in the office of Registrar of this Court by tomorrow positively, for our perusal in chambers. However, it is made clear to all the M.D's of DISCOs that they are bound by this order which shall be implemented without any excuse.

3. The case is adjourned, however, if need be, the date already fixed i.e. 10.06.2013 shall be accelerated. This order be communicated to the all concerned during course of the day through M.D, PEPCO and NTDC, for strict compliance.

CJ.

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<u>Islamabad</u> 31.05.2013 *Hashmi\** 

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