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Dear Madam,

**Least Cost Long Term Generation Expansion Plan**

Reference is made to the following;

- The Commission's letter ref. PUC/LI/TL/2015/14, dated December 18, 2016, regarding Long Term Generation Expansion Plan 2015-2034.
- The Commission's letter ref. PUC/LI/TL/2016/32, dated August 03, 2016, regarding Least Cost Long Term Generation Expansion Plan 2017-2036.
- The Transmission Licensee's letter ref. CEB/DGM/CSRA/REG/7 dated August 10, 2016, regarding the above subject.
- Secretary to the Ministry of Power and Renewable Energy (MoPRE)'s letter ref. PE/PL 32/2015, dated August 11, 2016, regarding Government policy on fuel diversity and preferred fuel of electricity generation as per Section 5 (2)(B) of Sri Lanka Electricity Act and Section 30 of Public Utilities Commission of Sri Lanka Act.

The Commission herewith grants its approval for the Least Cost Long Term Generation Expansion Plan 2015-2034 submitted vide Transmission Licensee's letter ref. CEB/DGM/CSRA/REG/7 dated August 10, 2016, subject to the following conditions.

- Approval is not granted for the Coal Power Plants in Sampur scheduled for the years 2021 and 2022, as per the policy guidelines sent by the Secretary to the MoPRE under his letter ref. PE/PL 32/2015 dated August 11, 2016 and as per the undertaking given to the Supreme Court Case No. SCFR 179/2016.
- Least Cost Long Term Generation Expansion Plan (LCLTGEP) for the period 2018- 2037 shall be submitted for the approval of the Commission, on or before April 30, 2017.

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- c. The plants mentioned in the LCLTGEP 2015-2034 plan beyond 2020 shall be revalidated with the LCLTGEP 2018- 2037 which should reflect least cost principles and the government policy.
- d. The LCLTGEP 2018-2037 shall address the requirements raised by the Commission vide its letter dated December 18, 2015 and as agreed upon by the Transmission Licensee under letter ref. CEB/DGM/CSRA/REG/7 dated August 10, 2016.



**Saliya Mathew**  
**Chairman**

Copy: Secretary, Ministry of Power and Renewable Energy