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IN THE APPELLATE TRIBUNAL FOR ELECTRICITY (Appellate Jurisdiction)

APPEAL NO. 262 OF 2017 & IA NO. 389 OF 2017, IA Nos. 24, 325 & 326 of 2019

Dated: 6th March, 2019

Present: Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Manjula Chellur, Chairperson

Hon'ble Mr. S. D. Dubey, Technical Member

In the matter of:

Chandrasekharan K. R. & Ors. Appellant(s)

Vs.

Kerala State Electricity Board Ltd. & Ors. Respondent(s)

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ORDER

IA No. 24 of 2019

(Application for impleadment)

This application is filed by workers' Union seeking permission to come on record, so that they would also assist the Tribunal to consider merits of the Appeal since the issue involved pertains to safety measures of workers.

The very order of the Commission pertains to a complaint made by a third party, i.e. Respondent No. 7. The grievance seems to be that if State Government exempts implementation of Regulations 6 and 7 of 2010 Regulations by relaxing the said Regulations, then it is the concern of the employees. In that view of the matter, we are of the opinion that presence of the impleading applicant would assist the Court to dispose of the controversy effectually and finally. Hence the IA is allowed.

Accordingly, learned counsel for Appellant is directed to file amended memo of parties and also carry out consequential amendment in the main appeal within two weeks.

APPEAL NO. 262 OF 2017

After amendement to the cause title/appeal is carried out, the impleading applicant may file objections / reply, if any, to the main appeal within two weeks, i.e. on or before 3-4-2019 with advance copy to the other side.

List the matter for hearing on <u>06-05-2019</u>.

(S. D. Dubey)
Technical Member

(Justice Manjula Chellur) Chairperson

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