



*Dear All,*

It is a pleasant immense to present myself by conveying my feelings/observations. I am happy that it will be well received, both in and outside the company.

The main objective of the website of SLDC is to achieve global standards in reliable and quality grid services, brought this online portal to make available real time power position and availability in the state. The contents of this portal are designed to comply with the statutory requirements as well as to bring transparency to the various constituents and consumer.

Gujarat is the first state in the country to carry out and complete intra-state Availability Based Tariff (ABT) trial to ensure continuous coordination and agreements amongst the various participants. ABT compliant meters have been installed and tested at all interface points. GETCO has set up three Sub LDCs which are headed by the SLDC. Implementation of Intra-state ABT in Gujarat is expected very soon.

Supervisory control and data acquisition (SCADA) system have been installed at all sub LDCs to track real time online data. The key function of LDCs is to provide load forecasts to the SLDC on a daily basis, calculate the unscheduled interchange charges and monitor and control the drawl of power by DISCOM. Intra-state ABT will be put into force once approval is obtained from the GERC.

State Load Dispatch centre is amongst the better performing utilities in the country with regard to system availability, network outages and faults, safety etc. In 2008-2009 & 2009-2010, SLDC handled a peak load of 9437 MW and 9837 MW (GUVNL) till Sept-2009. Installed capacity of Gujarat comes to 11128 MW as on Oct-2009.

The maximum demand the energy requirements have been worked out based on the past trends in variation of demand and consumption levels coupled with the current scenario of power supply in the state.

During Oct-09

Gujarat own availability (Thermal +Hydro)	-	9000
Wind Generation	-	200
Net Power availability	-	9200
Maximum unrestricted demand	-	10000
Surplus (+) / Deficit (-) @	-	-800

May I expect your feedback by communicating on my e-mail [celd@gebmail.com](mailto:celd@gebmail.com)

N.H.SUTHAR  
Chief Engineer,  
Dt : 20.10.2009

*Wishing "HAPPY NEW YEAR" to all my valued customers and visitors*