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Sub: Tariff and Associated Terms and Conditions vide Order dated July 4, 2018 of the Hon'ble West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission

As per aforesaid Order of the Hon'ble Commission, the applicable tariff and related conditions for all categories of consumers of CESC Limited for the year 2017-18 are given below.

LOW AND MEDIUM VOLTAGE CONSUMERS

Table with columns: SI No., Type of Consumer, Applicable Tariff Scheme, Optional Tariff Scheme - I, Optional Tariff Scheme - II, and Fixed Charge/Demand Charge. Rows include Life Line Consumer (Domestic), Domestic (Urban), Commercial (Urban), Short-term Supply, Specified Institution (Municipal or Non-Municipal), Government School, Public Bodies (Municipal or Non-Municipal), Cottage Industry/Artisan/Weavers, Poultry/Duckery/Horticulture, Public Water Works & Sewerage System, Industries (Urban), Street Lighting, Private Educational Institutions and Hospitals, Emergency Supply, Construction Power Supply, Bulk Supply at single point to Co-operative Group Housing Society, and Common Services of Industrial Estate.

Note :- * Fixed Charge will be applicable for the Consumer having Contract Demand below 50 KVA and Demand Charge will be applicable for the consumer having Contract Demand of 50 KVA and above.

HIGH & EXTRA HIGH VOLTAGE CONSUMERS

Table with columns: SI No., Type of Consumer, Applicable Tariff Scheme, and Optional Tariff Scheme. Rows include Public Utility, Industries (below 33 KV), Industries (33 KV), Commercial (below 33 KV), Commercial (33 KV), Domestic, Public Water Works & Sewerage, Sports Complex & Auditorium, Cold storage or Dairy with Chilling Plant, Emergency Supply, Construction Power Supply, Co-operative Group Housing Society, Common Services of Industrial Estate, Traction/ Metro Rail / Calcutta Tramways, Short-term Supply, Private Educational Institutions, and MES.

Details of different tariff schemes of different classes of consumers and various associated terms and conditions are specified in various regulations and in Annexure - C1 and Annexure - C2 of the West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions of Tariff) Regulations, 2011 as amended (hereinafter referred to as the "Tariff Regulations").

1. Load Factor Rebate / Surcharge: a) In order to reduce the overall system T&D loss and to flatten the load curve by improving the existing system load factor of CESC Limited, the HT industrial, HT commercial and HT domestic consumers shall receive voltage wise graded load factor rebate as per the following table:

LOAD FACTOR REBATE (Paaise / kWh) table with columns: Range of Load Factor (LF), Supply Voltage (Below 33 kV, 33 kV, Above 33 kV), and Rebate/Surcharge values.

b) The above load factor rebate shall be applicable on total quantum of energy consumed in the billing period. (For example a 6 kV industrial or commercial or domestic consumer at 85% load factor shall be eligible for a rebate @ 30 paaise / kWh on the total quantum of energy consumed in the billing period). c) Load factor surcharge shall continue at the prevailing rate. d) The load factor rebate and load factor surcharge shall be computed in accordance with the formula and associated principles given in regulations 3.9.2, 3.9.3 and 3.9.4 of the Tariff Regulations and at the rates as mentioned in paragraphs 1.a) and 1.c) above.

2. Fixed / Demand Charge: a) The fixed charge shall be applicable to different categories of consumers as per rate as shown herein. b) The demand charge shall be applicable to different categories of consumers as per rate as shown herein on the basis of recorded demand as specified in regulation 4.3.3 of the Tariff Regulations. c) When a new consumer gets connected to the system, the computation of fixed charge or demand charge in respect of that consumer for that month shall be made pro-rata for the number of days of supply in that particular month.

3. Subject to conditions as specified in regulation 4.13 of the Tariff Regulations, for all consumers, minimum charge shall continue at the existing level.

4. In case of short term supply to Pandals for community religious ceremonies, a rebate of 30 paise / kWh on energy charge of each unit will be given if the entire illumination is done with LED. 5. For all consumers, excluding consumers having pre-paid meters, rebate shall be given @ 1% of the amount of the bill excluding meter rent, taxes, duties, levies and arrears (not being the arrears due to revision of tariff) if the payment is made within the due date. 6. In addition to the rebate under paragraphs 4 and 5 above, if the payment is made within due date, then an additional rebate of 1% of the amount of the bill excluding meter rent, taxes, duties, levies and arrears (not being arrears due to revision of tariff) would be allowed to the consumers who would pay their energy bills through e-payment facility (through web by using net banking, debit card, credit card, electronic clearing scheme) as introduced by CESC Limited. The prepaid consumers purchasing prepaid voucher through e-payment facility will get 1% rebate in voucher amount. A rebate of Rs. 5.00 will be admissible prospectively if any consumer opts for e-bill following regulation 3.1.10 of West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2013. These rebates are applicable after giving effect under paragraphs 4 & 5 above.

7. Power Factor Rebate/ Surcharge: a) The power factor rebate and surcharge shall continue for all HV and EHV categories of consumers to whom these are applicable at present. The rate of rebate and surcharge and the methods of calculation of such rebate and surcharge are given below:

Power Factor Rebate & Surcharge on Energy Charge in Percentage table with columns: Power Factor (PF) Range, Normal Period, Peak Period, Off-peak Period, and Rebate/Surcharge in %.

b) The rebate and surcharge against different time periods shall be reflected in the bill separately and shall be treated separately.

8. For short term supply, emergency supply and for supply of construction power, there shall be no rebate or surcharge for load factor and power factor. 9. Delayed payment surcharge shall be applicable as per regulation 4.14 of the Tariff Regulations. 10. All existing charges relating to meter rent for HT consumers, meter testing, meter replacement, disconnection and reconnection etc. shall continue. 11. A consumer opting for pre-paid meter shall not be required to make any security deposit for the energy charge. 12. All statutory levies like electricity duty or any other taxes, duties etc. imposed by the State Government / Central Government or any other competent authority shall be extra and shall not be a part of the tariff determined under the order dated 4 July 2018. 13. All the rates and conditions of tariff are effective from 1 April 2017 and onwards. This rate will continue till further order of the Hon'ble Commission. The rates mentioned hereinabove exclude the Monthly Variable Cost Adjustment (MVCA), if any, realized / to be realized by CESC Limited. 14. In addition to the tariff determined under the order dated 4 July 2018 of the Hon'ble Commission, CESC Limited will be further entitled to additional sums towards enhanced cost of fuel and power purchase, if any, as per provisions of the Tariff Regulations based on the tariff in this order. While computing MVCA, the direction in paragraph 4.2 of the order dated 10.08.2015 shall be complied with. 15. The MVCA realized by CESC Limited from 1 April, 2017 shall not be considered for adjustment, if any, as per the tariff order dated 4 July 2018. The MVCA realized by CESC Limited is subject to being true up during Fuel and Power Purchase Cost Adjustment (FPPCA) and Annual Performance Review (APR) for the year as per provision of Tariff Regulations. 16. For any pre-paid and TOD tariff scheme, other charges shall be the charges applicable to consumers under respective category of non-TOD tariff. 17. An applicant for short term supplies through pre-paid meter shall have to comply with all necessary formalities for obtaining supply including payment in accordance with the Regulations made by the Hon'ble Commission. The same will be subject to the following conditions: a) Provision of requisite meter security deposit to be kept with the licensee; b) Provision of space for installing weather-proof, safe and secure terminal services apparatus to protect sophisticated meter; and c) Availability of prepaid-meter of appropriate capacity. 18. To avail Rate C-2 for street lighting the supply should be metered and all the street lights under the same meter shall be illuminated with LED. For mixed type of street lights under one meter Rate - C shall be applicable. 19. For a pre-paid consumer who has purchased voucher prior to issue of the order dated 4 July 2018, the existing tariff will continue till such voucher is exhausted. 20. Any matter, which has not been explicitly mentioned in the order dated 4 July 2018 of the Hon'ble Commission, shall be guided by regulations 2.9.8 and 2.9.9 of the Tariff Regulations. 21. It is open to the State Government to grant any subsidy to any consumer or any class of consumers in the tariff determined by the Hon'ble Commission for CESC Limited, if at all any such subsidy under the provisions of the Act is intimated to CESC Limited and to the Hon'ble Commission by the Government of West Bengal with clear indication of the consumer or class of consumers to be subsidized and the amount of the subsidy proposed to be given is paid in advance, the tariff of such consumer and / or the class of consumers shall be deemed to have been reduced accordingly as has been indicated by the State Government. However, such direction of the State Government shall not be operative till the payment is made by the State Government in accordance with the provisions of the Act and the Regulations made thereunder, and the tariff as fixed by the Hon'ble Commission shall remain applicable. In accordance with the Tariff Regulations, the State Government is required to communicate within 15 days from the date of receipt of a tariff order, whether it shall give any subsidy to any group of consumers etc.

For any further interpretation / clarification, the order of the Hon'ble Commission dated 4 July 2018 may be referred to.



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