

Delhi Electricity Regulatory Commission
Viniyamak Bhawan, 'C' Block, Shivalik, Malviya Nagar, New Delhi – 17.

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In the Matter of: Determination of Open Access Charges and related matters

ORDER
(Date of Order: 4.10.2017)

The Delhi Electricity Regulatory Commission in exercise of the powers vested under Regulation 12 and Regulation 17 of Delhi Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Open Access) Regulations, 2005, hereby makes the amendment in its Order dated 1.6.2017 (hereinafter referred to as "the Principal Order") for determination of Open Access charges and related matters.

1.0 Short title and commencement:

This Order may be called as Open Access Charges and related matters (First Amendment) Order, 2017 and shall be applicable from 1.9.2017.

2.0 Amendment of Clause 1 of Principal Order:

The sub- clause (1) (i) of Clause 1 of the Principal Order on 'Applicable Charges for an Open Access Consumer' shall be substituted as under:-

"(i) Any Surcharge to the distribution licensee as applicable to other consumers;"

3.0 Amendment of Clause 2.1 of Principal Order:

The clause 2.1 (1) of the Principal Order on 'Transmission and Wheeling Charges' shall be substituted as under:-

"2.1 Transmission and Wheeling Charges:

- (1) The transmission charge for Open Access consumers availing open access from the Delhi Transco Limited's transmission system shall be regulated in terms of the applicable provisions of Delhi Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for determination of Tariff) Regulations, 2017:

Provided that the long term and medium term users shall pay the transmission charges in proportion to the contracted capacity:

Provided further that in case of Short Term Open Access, Transmission Charges shall be calculated in accordance with the following methodology:

$$ST_Rate = (ATSC / Av_CAP) / 365;$$

Where:

ST_Rate is the rate for short-term open access consumer in Rs. per MW per day;

ATSC is Annual Transmission Service Charge for the current financial year;

Av_CAP is the average capacity in MW served by the transmission system of the Transmission Licensee in the last Financial Year.

ST_rate shall be computed as under:-

| Sl. No. | Particulars | Value |
|---------|---|---|
| 1. | ATSC for DTL Transmission system as per DERC order | =Rs. Z crores |
| 2. | Av_CAP(Average Transmission Capacity Served in MW by DTL during previous year) | = Energy served (consumed in Delhi as per SEM data) in MUs X 1000 MWh / 365/24 = Y MW |
| 3. | ST_Rate for DTL Transmission System in Rs/MW/Day | = Z X 1,00,00,000 / Y / 365 = Rs. S |
| 4. | ST_Rate for DTL Transmission System in Rs./ kWh | = S / 24000 |

4.0 Amendment of Clause 2.5 of Principal Order:

The clause 2.5 of the Principal Order on 'Regulatory Surcharge' shall be substituted as under:-

"2.5 Surcharge as applicable to other consumers:

- (1) The Open Access consumer shall also be liable to pay any other surcharge as applicable to the consumers of the distribution licensee at the rate specified in the applicable Tariff Order:

Provided that if any surcharge levied on the open access consumer leads to excess recovery due to, (i) imposition of such surcharge and/or (ii) fulfillment of the obligations by the open access consumer at its own under any other Regulations, such open access consumer shall file its claim before the distribution licensee on quarterly basis:

Provided further that such excess recovery, after reconciliation on quarterly basis, shall be adjusted by the distribution licensee in the ensuing bills or refunded through demand draft/ Electronic clearance system, as applicable:

Provided also that if the adjustment/refund on account of such excess recovery is delayed beyond 30 days from the date of reconciliation, an interest at the rate of 1.0% per month shall be payable by the distribution licensee for the period of delay beyond such 30 day period.

- (2) For the purpose of computation of Surcharge, the distribution licensee shall compute the Surcharge treating the total power consumption of the Open Access Consumer as if taken from the distribution licensee."

{Explanation: For the purpose of this clause, surcharge as applicable to the other consumers shall mean as applicable to the consumers of distribution licensee. For example, at present as per Tariff Schedule applicable w.e.f. 1/9/2017, surcharge of 8% towards recovery of past accumulated deficit and 3.70% towards recovery of pension trust charges of erstwhile DVB employees/pensioners shall also be payable by open access consumers. }

Sd/-
(B.P. SINGH)
MEMBER