

DELHI ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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PUBLIC NOTICE

<u>On</u>

"Rationalization of structure of tariff slabs for Domestic Consumers" & "Draft DERC (Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum & Ombudsman) Regulations, 2011"

The Commission has issued the MYT Order for the FY 2012-13 to 2014-15 in respect of the Distribution licensees in Delhi on 13.07.2012. The Tariff schedule in respect of this MYT Order was issued by the Commission on 26.06.2012 vide order No.F.11(771)/DERC/2011-12/1752 which is an integral part of the said MYT Order. In the Tariff Schedule applicable for the FY 2012-13, the Commission had revised the structure of the tariff slabs for the energy charges for domestic consumers from earlier slabs of 0-200 units, 201-400 units and above 400 units to 0-200 units, 0-400 units and above 400 units

The Commission has received various representations from the stakeholders regarding restoring the earlier structure of the slabs. Taking cognizance of the representations/requests of the consumers of NCT of Delhi, the Commission proposes to rationalize the structure of the Tariff Slabs for domestic consumers, in Public Interest as follows:

Existing Tariff Structure (Dated 26.06.2012)		Proposed Tariff Structure	
Slabs	Energy Rate/Unit	Slabs	Energy Rate/Unit
0-200	3.70	0-200	3.70
0-400	4.80	201-400	5.70
Above 400	6.40	Above 400	6.40

The revised tariff/slab structure is proposed to be applicable w.e.f. 1 July 2012; and refund on account of the earlier billing under the existing tariff structure shall be adjusted in the future Bills.

In accordance with the provisions of the DERC (Comprehensive Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2001, the Commission shall conduct a Public Hearing on this issue for seeking comments of the stakeholders/consumers on the above proposal on 08.10.2012 at 11 a.m at the DERC office premises.

The Commission vide its Public Notice dated 07.11.2011 sought objections/comments from stakeholders on DERC Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum and Ombudsman) Regulations, 2011. The last date for receipt of comments/objections from the stakeholders was 29.11.2011, which was extended to 13.12.2011. The said Draft Regulations 2011 may be downloaded from the web-site of the Commission, www.derc.gov.in.

Notice is also hereby given that after Public Hearing in respect of DERC (Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum and Ombudsman) Regulations, 2011 shall also be held on the same day. All interested stakeholders may appear in person or as an association and give their comments and suggestions at the DERC office Premises.

Secretary

Delhi Electricity Regulatory Commission

