

ANDHRA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION #11-4-660, 4th Floor, Singareni Bhavan, Red Hills, Hyderabad – 500004.

DISTRIBUTION LICENCE No. 1 of 2020

- The Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (hereinafter referred to as the Commission), in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 14 of the Electricity Act, 2003, hereby grants this Licence to M/s Andhra Pradesh Central Power Distribution Corporation Limited (hereinafter referred to as the Licensee), a company incorporated under the Companies Act, 2013 having registered office at Beside Govt. Polytechnic Collage, ITI Road, Vijayawada 520 005, to undertake distribution of electricity in the area of distribution as specified below.
- 2. The Licensee shall follow the "General Conditions of Distribution Licence" as specified under Chapter-4 of "Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Distribution Licence) Regulations, 2013" and all other relevant Regulations, Orders, Directions, issued by the Commission from time to time which shall be read as part and parcel of this Licence.

3. Area of Distribution

The area of distribution shall be the whole of the area of Guntur, Krishna and Prakasam districts of Andhra Pradesh State.

- 4. This Licence is not transferable, except in accordance with the provisions of the Act, the Rules and the Regulations.
- 5. (1) The Licensee shall not without prior approval of the Commission—
 - (a) undertake any transaction to acquire by purchase or take over or otherwise, the utility of any other licensee; or
 - (b) merge its utility with utility of any other licensee;
 - (2) The Licensee shall not at any time assign its Licence, or transfer its utility, or any part thereof, by sale, lease, exchange or otherwise without the prior approval of the Commission
 - (3) Any agreement relating to any transaction referred to in sub- clause (1) and subclause (2) unless made with the approval of the Commission, shall be void.



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- 6. The grant of this Licence to the Licensee shall not in any way hinder or restrict the right of the Commission to grant a licence to any other person within the same area for Distribution and retail supply of electricity. The Licensee shall not claim any exclusivity.
- 7. This Licence shall come into force with effect from 01-04-2020 and shall continue to be in force for a period of 25 (twenty five) years. The Commission may, at the instance of the Licensee, renew this Licence for such further period or periods and on such terms and conditions, as the Commission may consider appropriate.
- 8. The Licensee may with prior intimation to the Commission, engage in any business for optimum utilisation of its assets.
 - Provided that the Licensee shall not engage in the business of transmission of electricity.
- 9. The Licensee shall pay License fee as specified in Clause 21 of APERC (Distribution Licence) Regulations, 2013.
- 10. The provisions contained in the Act shall apply to the Licensee with regard to revocation of licence and sale of its utility.

(By order of the Commission on 31/03/2020)

(K. Sreedhar Reddy)
Joint Director (Engineering)

Place: Hyderabad Date: 31 -03-2020





