



## ANDHRA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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### **Public Notice**

#### **In the matter of draft First Amendment to the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Tariff Determination from Renewable Energy Sources) Regulation, 2025 (Regulation No. 6 of 2025)**

1. The Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission notified the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Tariff Determination from Renewable Energy Sources) Regulation, 2025 (Regulation No. 6 of 2025), which was published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette on September 12, 2025. The Regulation specifies the technical and financial norms for tariff determination for renewable energy projects commissioned during the Control Period.
2. The Commission has undertaken a review of the operating performance of small hydro generating stations across the State after the issuance of the Principal Regulation. The review indicates that the existing minimum normative Capacity Utilisation Factor (CUF) of 40% does not reflect the actual realised CUF of several existing small hydro projects. It is also observed that the CUF norms under the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Tariff Determination from Renewable Energy Sources) Regulations, 2024, prescribe a CUF of 30% for small hydro projects. Accordingly, the Commission has prepared a draft amendment to revise Clause 27 of the Principal Regulation.
3. The draft amendment is placed on the Commission's website (<https://www.aperc.gov.in>), proposing the substitution of Clause 27 with a minimum normative CUF of 30% for project-specific determination. Stakeholders and interested parties may refer to the draft amendment, which is hosted on the website.
4. Therefore, Notice is hereby given under subsection (3) of Section 181 of the Electricity Act, 2003, read with the Electricity (Procedure for Previous Publication) Rules, 2005, informing all stakeholders and interested parties that the amendment will be finalised after the expiry of **14 days** from the date of this Notice. The comments/suggestions/objections on the above amendment, if any, may be sent by email to [commn-secy@aperc.in](mailto:commn-secy@aperc.in) or by post to the Commission's office at Kurnool, to reach the undersigned on or before **02.12.2025** for consideration by the Commission.
5. The comments/suggestions/objections received after the above date may not be considered by the Commission while finalising the amendment.

**Place: Kurnool**

**Date: 18-11-2025**

  
**Commission Secretary (i/c)**