



ANDHRA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Public Notice

In the matter of draft Second Amendment to Regulation No. 2 of 2005, draft Seventh Amendment to Regulation No. 4 of 2005, draft First Amendment to Regulation No. 4 of 2023 and draft First Amendment to Regulation No. 3 of 2024

The Government of Andhra Pradesh released the Integrated Clean Energy (ICE) Policy, 2024 on 16.10.2024 which aims to establish Andhra Pradesh as a leader in clean energy, focusing on attracting investments and promoting sustainable development. The policy targets achieving 50% cumulative electric power capacity from non-fossil fuel sources by 2030 and net-zero emissions by 2047 in AP.

2. To successfully implement the aforementioned policy, the Government of Andhra Pradesh (GoAP), acting through the Special Chief Secretary/Energy Department, and invoking Section 108 of the Electricity Act, 2003, addressed a letter to the Commission. In the letter, the GoAP proposed certain amendments to the following Regulations, among others and requested the Commission to incorporate the same.
 - A. The Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions of Open Access) Regulation, 2005 (Regulation No. 2 of 2005).
 - B. The Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff for Wheeling and Retail Sale of Electricity) Regulation, 2005 (Regulation No. 4 of 2005).
 - C. The Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff for Transmission of Electricity) Regulation, 2005 (Regulation No. 5 of 2005).
 - D. The Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (The Grid Interactive Solar Rooftop Photovoltaic Systems under Net/Gross Metering) Regulation, 2023 (Regulation No 4. of 2023).
 - E. The Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Green Energy Open Access, Charges, and Banking) Regulation, 2024 (Regulation No. 3 of 2024).
3. After thoroughly examining the amendments proposed by the GoAP and other relevant aspects, including the promotion of efficient and environmentally benign policies as envisaged in the preamble of the Electricity Act, 2003, the Commission has decided to make appropriate amendments to the Regulations mentioned under Para 2 above except the Regulation at Para 2(C) above. Accordingly, the Commission

has prepared drafts of the amendments and placed them on the Commission's website (<https://www.aperc.gov.in>), along with copies of the ICE Policy, 2024, G.O.Ms.No.37 Dated 30.10.2024 and the Policy direction issued by the GoAP.

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 the stakeholders and interested parties that these amendments will be finalised after the expiry of **21 days** from today. The comments/suggestions/objections on the above amendments, if any, may be sent by email to commn-secy@aperc.in or by post to the Commission's office at Kurnool to reach the undersigned on or before **16.04.2025** 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 amendments.

Place: Kurnool
Date: 26-03-2025


Commission Secretary (i/c)