

**HIMACHAL PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION, SHIMLA  
Vidyut Aayog Bhawan, Block-37, SDA Complex, Kasumpti, Shimla-171009.**

**NOTIFICATION**

**No. HPERC-418.**

**Shimla the 04<sup>th</sup> July, 2024.**

WHEREAS, the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission has notified the HPERC (Short Term Open Access) Regulations, 2010 vide Notification No. HPERC/418 dated 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2010 and the same were published in the Rajpatra on 3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2010 (hereinafter referred to as “the said Regulations”). The said Regulations came into force on 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June, 2010; and were amended by (First Amendment) Regulations, 2018 vide Notification of even number dated 11 June 2018;

**AND WHEREAS**, the Commission considers it expedient to make certain amendments in the said Regulations to address the matters of fee and charges to facilitate the HPSLDC, to make them more competent to handle their operations;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 181 read with sections 39, 40, 42 and 86 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003) (Act for short) and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, proposes further to amend the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Short Term Open Access) Regulations, 2010 and as required by sub-section (3) of section 181 of the said Act and Rule 3 of the Electricity (Procedure for Previous Publication) Rules, 2005, the draft amendment Regulations are hereby published for the information of all the persons likely to be affected thereby; and notice is hereby given that the said draft amendment Regulations will be taken into consideration after the expiry of thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this Notification in the Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh, together with any objections or suggestions which may, within the aforesaid period, be received in respect thereto.

The text of the aforesaid draft amendment Regulations is available on the website of the Commission i.e. <http://www.hperc.org>.

The objections or suggestions in this behalf should be addressed to the Secretary, Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission, Vidyut Aayog Bhawan, Block-37, SDA Complex, Kasumpti-171009 (HP).

### **DRAFT REGULATIONS**

- 1. Short title and commencement.**- (1) These Regulations may be called the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Short Term Open Access) (Second Amendment) Regulations, 2024.  
(2) These Regulations shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh.
- 2. Amendment of Regulation 6.**- In Regulation 6 of the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Short Term Open Access) Regulations, 2010 (hereinafter referred to as the said Regulations”), in sub-regulation (3), for the words “rupees five thousand”, the words “rupees fifteen thousand ” shall be substituted.
- 3. Amendment of Regulation 26.** In Regulation 26 of the said Regulations, for the words, signs and figures “Rs. 2000/-”, the words, signs and figures “Rs. 5000/-” shall be substituted.

**By Order of the Commission**

Sd/-  
**Secretary**