

**HIMACHAL PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION,  
SHIMLA**

**IN THE MATTER OF :-**

The Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Distribution Performance Standards) (Second Amendment) Regulations, 2022.

**Decided on: 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2022**

**CORAM: Hon'ble Sh. Devendra Kumar Sharma, Chairman  
Hon'ble Sh. Bhanu Pratap Singh, Member  
Hon'ble Sh. Yashwant Singh Chogal, Member(Law)**

**ORDER**

The Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission has notified the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Distribution Performance Standards) Regulations, 2010 on 08.10.2010 and the same were published in the Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh on 12.10.2010. These Regulations were amended on 30.04.2011 and published in the Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh, on 02.05.2011. The aforesaid Regulations have hereinafter been jointly referred to as "the said Regulations".

2. The Ministry of Power, Government of India has notified the Electricity (Rights of Consumers) Rules, 2020 and same were published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part-II, Section 3, Sub-section (i) dated 31.12.2020.
3. Taking above into consideration, the Commission, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 181 and Clauses (za) and (zb) of sub-section (2) of section 181, read with sections 57, 58, 59 and clause (i) of sub-section (1) of section 86, of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003) and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, proposed to amend some of the provisions of the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Distribution Performance Standards ) Regulations, 2010.

4. As required vide sub-regulation (3) of the Section 181 of the Electricity Act, 2003 read with the Rule 3 of the Electricity (Procedure for Previous Publication) Rules, 2005, the Commission invited public objections and suggestions on the said draft amendment Regulations by way of the publication in the Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh on 11.03.2022 and insertion in two News papers i.e. “The Times of India” and “Amar Ujala” on 16.03.2022. A copy of public notice was also sent to the major stakeholders vide Commission’s letter dated 17.03.2022. The full text of the draft Regulations was also made available on the Commission’s website [www.hperc.org](http://www.hperc.org). The last date for submission of suggestions/objection was fixed as 12.04.2022 and the Public hearing was held on 19.04.2022.
5. The Commission has not received any suggestions / objections in the matter from the Stakeholders and also no Stakeholder has attended the Public hearing held on 19.04.2022 in the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission.

Therefore, in view of above, the Commission proceeds to approve the provisions of draft amendment Regulations without any changes and notify the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Distribution Performance Standards) (Second Amendment) Regulations, 2022 accordingly.

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<b>(Yashwant Singh Chogal)</b>	<b>(Bhanu Pratap Singh)</b>	<b>(Devendra Kumar Sharma)</b>
Member(Law)	Member	Chairman