



## HIMACHAL PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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### PUBLIC NOTICE INVITING SUGGESTIONS/OBJECTIONS

In the matter of:

#### Petition No. 75 of 2017

The Himachal Pradesh State Electricity Board Limited (hereinafter referred to as the “the HPSEBL”) has submitted to the Commission the petition for True-up of FY2015-16 & FY2016-17, APR for FY2017-18 and ARR for FY2018-19 for the Third Control Period(FY15-19) under Section 62, 64 and 86 of Electricity Act, 2003 on 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2017 . The salient features of the petition were published by the HPSEBL in the newspapers i.e. “Divya Himachal” and “The Tribune” on 03.01.2018 and again in “Hindustan Times” and “Punjab Kesari” on 06.01.2018. Through this petition HPSEBL has proposed a tariff hike to recover a gap of 1318.50 Crores for FY2018-19 at existing tariff.

The full text of the petition, under consideration, can be obtained from the offices of the Chief Engineer (Commercial) and Chief Engineer (Operations) and all Superintending Engineers of Operations, HPSEBL on payment of Rs. 1500/- w.e.f. 07<sup>th</sup>, January, 2018. Interested parties are also free to see, examine and inspect the detailed compilation at these offices of HPSEBL during office hours on any working day. The full text of the petition is also available on HPSEBL’s website: [www.hpseb.com](http://www.hpseb.com).

As required under Section 64(3) of the Electricity Act, 2003, the HPERC hereby invites suggestions and objections in the matter from the interested parties. Suggestions/objections on the issues together with relevant data, details and copies of documents, if any, in support of the suggestions/objections, be sent to the **Secretary, Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission, Vidyut Aayog Bhawan, Block No. 37, SDA Complex, Kasumpti, Shimla-171009** along with proof of service of the same to the Chief Engineer (Commercial), HPSEBL Vidyut Bhawan, Shimla-171004 by 01<sup>st</sup> February, 2018.

The suggestions / objections shall be filed in English or Hindi. Suggestions / objections filed in any other language shall not be accepted unless accompanied by authenticated translation in English. The suggestions/objections should be filed in nine copies and should carry the full name, postal address with pin code number, fax number and email address, if any, of the person sending the suggestions/objections. Alternatively the suggestions/ objections can also be filed through email to the Commission ([hperc@rediffmail.com](mailto:hperc@rediffmail.com)) and HPSEBL ([cecomm@hpseb.in](mailto:cecomm@hpseb.in) and [edp@hpseb.in](mailto:edp@hpseb.in)) along with 2 hard copies to the Commission. It should be indicated whether the objection is being filed on behalf of any organization or any category of consumers. It should also be stated whether the objector wants to be heard in person by the Commission.

The HPSEBL shall submit replies to the suggestions/objections on affidavit with 9 copies to the Commission by **15<sup>th</sup> February, 2018**, one copy of which shall also be sent to the individual objectors. The objectors shall submit rejoinder, if any, to the Commission with a copy to the petitioner, HPSEBL by **24<sup>th</sup> February, 2018**.

The public hearing in the matter shall be held on **05<sup>th</sup> March, 2018** after **11.30 A.M.** onwards in the Commission’s Court Room at Shimla, wherein the Objectors can present their cases in the proposed hearing. Stakeholders in general, may also participate in the hearing.

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10.01.2018

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Secretary  
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