

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

NOTIFICATION
Shimla the 31st July, 2025

No. HPERC/151-Vol-III-2081.-

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 92 and clause (zl) of sub-section (2) of section 181 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (10 of 1897), and all other powers enabling it in this behalf as contained in the Electricity Act, 2003 and any other law for the present being in force, the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission proposes to make the following Draft Regulations to amend the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2024, published in the Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh, dated 4th November, 2024 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 said Draft 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 Regulations will be taken into consideration, after the expiry of thirty (30) days from the date of their publication in the Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh, together with any objections/suggestions which may within the aforesaid period be received in respect thereto.

The text of the original Regulations and the Explanatory Memorandum for the proposed amendments is available on the Commission's website i.e. <https://www.hperc.org>.

The objections/suggestions in this behalf should be addressed to the Secretary, Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission, Vidyut Aayog Bhawan, Block No. 37, SDA Complex, Kasumpti, Shimla-171009.

DRAFT REGULATIONS

1. Short title and commencement.—(1) These Regulations may be called the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Conduct of Business) (Amendment) Regulations, 2025.

(2) These Regulations shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh.

2. Amendment of Regulation 2. In Regulation 2 of the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2024 (hereinafter referred to as the “Principal Regulations”), in clause (e), after the words “Regulatory Commission”, the words “and includes the Chairperson” shall be inserted.

3. Amendment of Regulations 6. In Regulations 6 of the Principal Regulations, in sub-regulation (3), for the word “Chairperson”, the word “Commission’ shall be substituted.

4. Amendment of Regulations 7, 8 and 14.

In Regulations 7,8 and 14 of the Principal Regulations, for the word “Chairperson” wherever it occurs, the word “Commission” shall be substituted; and in sub-regulation (2) of Regulation 7, clauses (a) to (f) shall be renumbered as clauses (a) to (g).

5. Amendment of Regulation 19.

In Regulation 19 of the Principal Regulations, in sub-regulation (7) and in proviso to sub-regulation (10), the words “of the Commission” shall be omitted.

6. Amendment of Schedule.

In the Schedule to the Principal Regulations, after Sr. No. 20, the following Sr. No. 21 shall be added, namely:-

“21.	Adjudication of disputes under the Energy Conservation Act, 2001	Section 27 of the Energy conservation Act, 2001 & CBR 1(4).	50,000/-”.
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By order of the Commission

**Sd/-
Secretary**