

HIMACHAL PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION, SHIMLA

Draft Notification

HPERC-H(1)25/2024

Shimla, the 17th January, 2026

WHEREAS, the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (hereinafter referred to as the 'Commission') notified the HPERC (Deviation Settlement Mechanism and Related Matters) Regulations, 2024 on 20.05.2024, as published in Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh on 21st May, 2024 amended from time to time;

AND WHEREAS, the Commission after analyzing the impact of deviations limits fixed vide aforesaid Regulations and taking into account the variations in generation during summer and monsoon months in the hydro projects of the State, find it expedient to further rationalize the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) and clause (zp) of sub-section (2) of section 181 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003) (hereinafter referred to as the Act), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (10 of 1897), and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the Commission proposes further to amend the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Deviation Settlement Mechanism and Related Matters) Regulations, 2024, and as required by sub-section (3) of section 181 of the 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 Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh, together with objections or suggestions, if any, received within the aforesaid stipulated period 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 RREGULATIONS

1. Short title and commencement.-(1) These Regulations may be called the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Deviation Settlement Mechanism and Related Matters) (Third Amendment) Regulations, 2026.

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

2. Amendment of Regulation 7.- In Regulation 7 of the Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Deviation Settlement Mechanism and Related Matters) Regulations, 2024, in sub-regulation (3), for the Note appearing at the end of sub-regulation (3), the following Note shall be substituted, namely,-

“Note: Volume Limits for Buyer (VLB):

Buyer	Volume Limit
Buyer with a schedule upto 400 MW	VLB(1)=Deviation [20% D_{BUY} or 40 MW, whichever is less] VLB(2)=Deviation beyond [20% D_{BUY} or 40 MW, whichever is less]
Buyer with a schedule beyond 400 MW	VLB(1)=Deviation upto [10% D_{BUY} or 100 MW, whichever is less] VLB(2)=Deviation [beyond 10% D_{BUY} or 100 MW, whichever is less] and upto [15% D_{BUY} or 200 MW, whichever is less]. VLB(3)=Deviation beyond [15% D_{BUY} or 200 MW, whichever is less] ”

By order of the Commission
Sd/-
(Sunil Verms), HPAS
Secretary