



**JOINT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
FOR MANIPUR AND MIZORAM
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NOTIFICATION

Aizawl the 25th January, 2022

No. H. 20013/04/16-JERC: In exercise of powers conferred under Section 50 read with Clause (x) of Sub-section (2) of Section 181 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003), and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Manipur & Mizoram hereby makes the following Regulations to amend the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Manipur & Mizoram (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2013 (hereinafter referred to as “the Principal Regulations”), namely;

1. *Short title and commencement*

- (1) This Regulation may be called the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Manipur & Mizoram (Electricity Supply Code) (Fifteenth Amendment) Regulations, 2021.
- (2) This Regulation shall extend to the whole States of Manipur and Mizoram and shall apply in relation to all matters falling within the jurisdiction of the Commission.
- (3) This Regulations shall come into force from the date of their notifications in the Official Gazette of the concerned States.

2. *Amendments in Regulation 4 of the Principal Regulations:*

- (1) Clause 4.128 of the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Manipur and Mizoram (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2013 shall be substituted as below:

4.128 The licensee shall pay interest to the consumer at the State

Bank of India **Saving account interest** rate prevailing on the 1st of April for the year, payable annually on the consumer’s security deposit

with effect from date of such deposit in case of new connections energized after the date of this notification, or in other cases, from the date of notification of this Code. The interest accrued during the year shall be adjusted in the consumer's bill for the first billing cycle of the ensuing financial year.

(2) Clause 8.8 of the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Manipur and Mizoram (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2013 shall be amended as below:

8.8 The supply shall be disconnected permanently in following cases:

- (1) On the termination of the Agreement; or
- (2) If the cause for which the supply was temporarily disconnected is not removed within the notice period; or
- (3) On the request of consumer:

Provided that after permanent disconnection the licensee shall not levy rental or fixed/demand charges. The licensee shall have the right to recover the total outstanding amount due, after adjustment of load/consumption security, **with interest as accrued as per clause 4.128 of this Regulations**, from the consumer upto the date of permanent disconnection and late payment surcharges till the outstanding due is cleared through Court of Law, if necessary.

(3) Clause 8.10 of the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Manipur and Mizoram (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2013 shall be amended as below:

8.10 The licensee shall carry out a special reading and prepare a final bill including all arrears up to the date of such billing within 5 days from receipt of the request. Upon payment, the licensee shall issue a receipt with 'Final Bill' stamped on it. This receipt shall be treated as a

No Dues Certificate: Then, the licensee shall return all the security deposit with interest accrued as per clause 4.128 of this Regulations within 5 days of disconnection.

Provided that whenever an agreement is terminated on notice given by the consumer, the licensee shall give a written intimation within 2 working days after termination in the format given in Annexure 11.16 to this Code, failing which such intimation shall be deemed to have been given to the consumer.

By Order of the Commission

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(RICHARD ZOTHANKIMA)
Assistant Secretary