



**TELANGANA STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**In the matter of approval for draft banking agreement to be entered by the TSDISCOMs for providing banking of energy generated by renewable energy sources, who are having captive consumption.**

Whereas the erstwhile Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (APERC) had issued the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Interim Balancing and Settlement Code) Regulation, 2006 providing for banking facility. Subsequently, it was amended in the year 2013 and 2014 by the erstwhile APERC. The said regulation along with amendments has been adopted by the Commission by its Regulation No. 1 of 2014.

2. Whereas it has been submitted by one of the DISCOMs during the proceedings in a case relating to banking of energy by a solar developer having captive consumption that they could not provide banking services in the absence of any provision in the regulation as well as model agreement for that purpose.

3. Having regard to the said submissions, Commission initiated the process to amend the Regulation of 2006 and after calling for objections and suggestions on a draft placed on its website issued the final regulation being Regulation No. 1 of 2017 called Telangana State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Interim Balancing and Settlement Code for Open Access Transactions) Third Amendment Regulation, 2017.

4. Clause 3 of the said regulation provided as follows.

**“3. INCLUSION OF BANKING AGREEMENT**

After clause 10 of the Principal Regulation, the following clause shall be added as clause 10 A with the above heading.

To facilitate accounting of energy for banking by a generating companies, having captive consumption and has a connection agreement only, a separate agreement to be known as “Banking Agreement”, which shall contain, inter alia the terms and conditions as supplementary APPENDIX-3, has to enter by the Distribution and Retail Supply licensee with such generating companies.”

5. Pursuant to the above provision, the TSSPDCL has proposed a draft agreement for providing banking services by it and sought approval / consent of the Commission. The Commission having examined the same as such agreement is required by the licensees in the State of Telangana, after incorporating necessary changes, has placed the same on its website.

6. The Commission desires that all the stakeholders, interested persons and others in the matter and public at large may offer their comments, objections and suggestions on the proposed agreement for banking services. The comments, objections and suggestions shall be filed in the form prescribed in **Regulation No. 2 of 2015** being Conduct of Business Regulation available on the website of the Commission at [www.tserc.gov.in](http://www.tserc.gov.in). The draft agreement is available at the above said website.

7. The Comments and suggestions may be filed either in writing addressed to the Secretary TSERC at the above address or sent by email to [secy@tserc.gov.in](mailto:secy@tserc.gov.in). However, in the event of mailing the objections, a copy of the same shall be sent for confirmation to the Commission. The comments, objections and suggestions should be filed before the Commission on or before **5.00 PM on 07.10.2017** with a copy of such comments served to TSDISCOMs for their response.

8. The Commission may consider the submissions filed by the stakeholders and others, thereafter finalize the agreement subsequently.

Sd/-  
COMMISSION SECRETARY

Place: Hyderabad  
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