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**Sales Circular No. D-32/2019**

From

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To

All CEs/SEs/XENs/SDOs/OP,  
JEs-I, Incharge Sub Office in DHBVN.

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**Subject: - Time of Use (ToU)/ Time of Day (ToD) tariff.**

The Hon'ble Commission vide its Order dated 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2019 on ARR of UHBVN & DHBVN and Distribution and Retail Supply Tariff for the FY 2019-20 has decided to continue the Time of Use (ToU) / Time of Day (ToD) tariff. The ToU tariff shall be admissible during the period from October, 2019 to March, 2020.

The conditions for implementing the ToU/ToD tariff in FY 2019-20, as approved by the Hon'ble Commission, are as under:-

- i) The ToU tariff to be charged from the eligible consumers, who opt for the same is as per the below mentioned table:-

<b>Period</b>	<b>Charges</b>	<b>Time</b>
Off-Peak Demand Hours (October to March)	10 % rebate on the normal energy charges as approved by the Commission*.	9:00 P.M to 05:30 A.M (Next day)
Peak Demand Hours (October to March)	19% premium over the energy charges determined by the Commission	05:30 P.M to 09:00 P.M
Normal demand Hours (October to March)	Normal tariff	05:30 A.M to 5:30 P.M
Demand Charges	As determined by the Commission - shall be the same for all categories of consumers including ToU, PLEC shall continue to be applicable for Open Access Power.	

- ii) **This rebate shall be allowed only to the consumers who install Smart Meter / Smart Grid, irrespective of the consumer category.** The same may be installed by the DISCOMs as well as by the consumer themselves as per the directions of DISCOMs. Further, if such consumer install rooftop solar system also, then the rebate shall be increased to 15% and in case the rooftop solar system is accompanied by battery storage system (minimum 15% of sanctioned load), the rebate shall increase to 20%. The consumers may be

allowed to avail these benefits by giving an undertaking to comply with the terms and conditions mentioned herein above within seven months of the date of undertaking. In case any consumer fails to comply with the undertaking, within the period of seven months, the benefits so availed shall be recovered by the Discoms immediately alongwith the interest of 17% per annum. **The ToD tariff shall not be applicable to the consumers, who source their power from captive generation or open access at any point of time after 15.06.2019.**

- iii) Further, the consumers having Smart Meter/Smart Grid (as per DISCOMs norms) and Rooftop Solar system (as per HAREDA norms), may apply for availing supply under Single Point Supply and shall be eligible for ToD benefits also.
- iv) Provided further that all consumers opting for ToD facility with smart meter/smart grid, the additional rebate of 2% shall be allowed on the additional consumption i.e. consumption over and above its consumption during the corresponding period of the previous year, except for load enhancement cases during the year. In case the DISCOMs fails to provide smart meter/smart grid within two months of receipt of order, the consumer/industry association may opt for self-execution to avail the concession provided under ToD tariff.

In view of the conditions for implementation of ToD tariff approved by the Hon'ble Commission as above, the following may kindly be specifically noted.

- a) The rebate with ToD tariff shall only be allowed to the consumers who install smart meter/smart grid irrespective of the consumer category.
- b) The ToD tariff shall not be admissible to the consumers, who source their power from captive generation or open access at any point of time after 15.06.2019.

Since, the ToU tariff as approved by the Hon'ble Commission is on optional basis, the consumer/ applicant who once exercises his option to be charged under ToU tariff, shall continue to be charged under ToU tariff from the date the Discoms on an application submitted by an eligible consumer/applicant allows the same, until the end of the ToU period i.e. 31<sup>st</sup> March of the relevant year. The Discom shall in no case delay approval / consent beyond three working days from the date of receipt of application from a consumer/applicant.

All other charges like fixed charges, MMC, FSA etc. except PLEC shall be applicable on energy drawn from the Discoms during the ToU period for the eligible consumers opting for ToU tariff. **However, eligible consumers opting for ToU tariff shall pay PLEC on the energy drawn through Open Access in the Peak Demand Hours during the ToU period. During the Non-**

**ToU period PLEC shall continue to be levied as before as per instructions already in-vogue.**

The smart meters/smart grid presently installed for any consumers should have the facility of recording consumption in different time slots as given in ToU tariff. In case the same is not available, the eligible consumer can install compatible smart meter/smart grid at his own cost.

In such cases, the requisite meter can be procured by the consumer and handed over to the concerned SDO (OP) for testing / sealing and installing. The XEN (OP) shall ensure that, in no case, the process is delayed beyond ten days from the day (inclusive) the meter is handed over by a consumer.

**Procedure to be followed:-**

The eligible consumers opting for ToU tariff shall submit their applications for exercising their option to the concerned SDO (OP) who shall allow the same and inform the concerned consumer within three days of the date of application. A copy each of the intimation to the consumer shall be sent to the Billing Agency, Xen/CBO and concerned XEN (OP)/SE (OP). Complete category wise list of consumers who have opted for the ToU tariff in the ToU period shall also be sent to XEN (OP), SE (OP) and SE/Commercial Back Office (CBO). It shall be the responsibility of the XEN (OP) to ensure that the consumers who have opted for ToU tariff are billed by the Billing Agency as per the ToU tariff.

SE (OP)/ CE/HPPC/ SE/SO will submit the following data for onward submission to the HERC.

- a) Category wise number of consumers opting for ToU Tariff and their connected load / contract demand.
- b) Comparative statement of quantum of power drawn by such consumer during peak hours, off peak hours and normal demand hours pre and post ToU month wise for corresponding six months i.e. October, 2019 to March, 2020 and October, 2018 to March, 2019.
- c) Revenue realized from such consumers during the corresponding six month periods
- d) Quantum of power drawn by such consumers under Open Access mechanism and average cost (Rs/kWh) thereto during the corresponding six month periods.
- e) Details of power surrendered / under drawn / disposed off on short-term basis and the per unit revenue realized / UI received or paid by the Discoms during the said period.

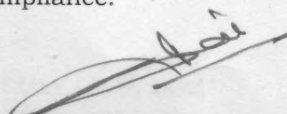
It is directed to provide the rebate on the current billing cycle of the respective consumer. There should not be any arrear in respect of such

rebate, pending for settlement. In case of arrears of such rebate, the responsibility of concerned officer/official shall be fixed and the consumer shall be given the rebate along with interest @ 9% per annum.

The above instructions may be given wide publicity so that all eligible consumers are made aware about the introduction of ToU tariff by the Hon'ble Commission and be brought to the notice of all concerned for strict and meticulous compliance.

The previous sales circular No D-32/2018 & D-14/2019 stands superseded from the date of issue of this circular.

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