



**JOINT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION  
FOR MANIPUR AND MIZORAM  
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**NOTIFICATION**

**Dated Aizawl, the 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2023**

**No.H.13011/36/16-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 (Metering for Grid Connected Renewable Energy) Regulations, 2016 (herein referred to as "Principal Regulations"), namely;

**1. Short title and commencement:-**

- 1) This Regulation may be called the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Manipur & Mizoram (Metering for Grid Connected Renewable Energy) (Fourth Amendments) Regulation, 2023.
- 2) This Regulation shall extend to the whole States of Manipur & Mizoram and shall apply in relation to all matters falling within the jurisdiction of the Commission.
- 3) This Regulation shall come into force from the date of their notification in the Official Gazette of the concerned States.

**2. Amendments in Regulation 7 of the Principal Regulations:-**

- 1) 7.6 of the Principal Regulations shall be substituted by the following:  
7.6 During the inspection, the licensee shall assess the feasibility for grid connection of the renewable energy system and shall verify all particulars mentioned in the application form and the documents as required and intimate the eligible consumer the outcome of feasibility assessment including the following within 3 (three) days of inspection:
  - (1) The details of additional documents to be submitted by the eligible consumer, if required;

- (2) Particulars of any deficiencies, if noticed, along with instructions to remove such defects.
- (3) Provided that if there is any requirement of upgradation of distribution infrastructure such as augmentation of service line, distribution transformer capacity, etc., for installation of the required capacity of solar PV system, the same shall be carried out by the distribution licensee or consumer, as the case may be.
- 2) Clause 7.8 of the Principal Regulations shall be substituted by the following
- 7.8 The connection agreement (ANNEXURE-III) shall be executed by the distribution licensee with the eligible consumer or third party owner within twenty (20) days of the accord of approval under regulation 7.7

By Order of the Commission

  
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Secretary

### **Statement of Reason**

Government of India notified the Electricity (Rights of Consumers) Rules, 2020 in the Gazette of India on 31.12.2020. Pursuant to the above Rules, it is required to amend the relevant regulations to comply with Clause 11 (7) & (9) of the Rules. Therefore, the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for Manipur and Mizoram (Metering for Grid Connected Renewable Energy) Regulations, 2016 is hereby amended for compliance by all the stakeholders in Manipur and Mizoram.

  
MOR (RICHARD ZOTHANKIMA)  
Secretary