

Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission

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Public Notice

Public Hearing on the Petition filed by UPCL seeking amendment in the UERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Multi Year Tariff) Regulations, 2021 in compliance of the Electricity (Amendment) Rules, 2022

- 1. Uttarakhand Power Corporation Limited (UPCL), the sole Distribution and Retail Supply Licensee in the State, has filed a Petition seeking amendment in the UERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Multi Year Tariff) Regulations, 2021 in compliance of the Electricity (Amendment) Rules, 2022 under Section 61 and 181 (2) (zd) of the Electricity Act, 2003.
- 2. UPCL has proposed revision in existing methodology and formula for computation of Fuel Charge Adjustment and proposed to amend Regulation 83 of the UERC Tariff Regulation, 2021 in light of Electricity (Amendment) Rules, 2022 issued by Ministry of Power, Government of India vide Gazette notification dated 29.12.2022.
- 3. The amendment rules provide for specification of a price adjustment formula for recovery of the costs, arising on account of variation in the price of fuel, or power purchase costs by the appropriate Commission. The amended rules also provide for automatic pass through of Fuel and Power Purchase Adjustment Surcharge, on a monthly basis.
- 4. Responses/suggestions, if any, are sought from consumers and other stakeholders on the Petition filed by UPCL. Responses may be sent to the Secretary, Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission, either in person, or by post at 'Vidyut Niyamak Bhawan', Near ISBT, PO-Majra, Dehradun-248171 or through e-mail to secy.uerc@gov.in by **08.05.2023**.
- 5. The Commission has also decided to hold a Public Hearing in the matter on **09.05.2023 at 11:00 AM** in the Commission's office on the above-mentioned address. Any person, who wishes to put his views on the subject before the Commission, is invited to appear before the Commission and make the submission in the above Public Hearing.
- 6. The Petition is also available at the website of the Commission (www.uerc.gov.in) and at the Petitioner's website (www.upcl.org).

Secretary