TAMIL NADU ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

<u>Draft Amendment to Tamil Nadu Electricity Supply Code,</u> 2005

Notification No. TNERC/SC/ 7- dated -07-2013

The following draft of amendment to the Tamil Nadu Electricity Supply Code, 2005, is proposed in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (x) of sub-section (2) of section 181 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (Central Act 36 of 2003) and all other powers hereunto enabling in this behalf and is hereby published for information of all persons likely to be affected thereby, as required by sub-section (3) of section 181 of the said Act.

- 2. Notice is hereby given that the draft amendment will be taken into consideration on or after the expiry of fifteen days from the date of publication of this Notification in the TNERC website and that any objection or suggestion, which may be received from any person with respect thereto before the expiry of the aforesaid period will be considered by the Commission.
- 3. Objection or suggestion, if any, should be addressed in duplicate to the Secretary, Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission, 19-A, Rukmini Lakshmipathy Salai, Egmore, Chennai 600 008.

DRAFT AMENDMENT

In the said Supply Code,-

(i) in regulation 6, for sub-regulation (b), the following sub-regulation shall be substituted, namely:-

"(b). For the H.T services disconnected on the request of the consumer, the monthly minimum charges based on the KVA demand shall be the actual recorded demand (when the disconnection is for part of a month) or such percentage of sanctioned demand declared by the Commission whichever is higher:

Provided that where the Licensee is prevented from supplying electricity owing to cyclone, floods, storms, fire, strike or lockout in the Licensees' establishment or other occurrences beyond the control of the Licensee, or if the consumer is prevented from consuming electricity either in whole or in part for similar reasons, the Licensee may recover from the consumer a minimum charge at twenty percent of the <u>sanctioned demand</u> or <u>recorded demand</u> whichever is higher besides charges for the actual consumption of electricity".

/By Order of the Commission/

-Sd/Secretary
Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission