No. 15/3/2018-Trans-Part(7) Government of India Ministry of Power

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Dated the 28th March, 2025

To

1. Secretary, MNRE, New Delhi

- 2. Chairperson, Central Electricity Authority, Sewa Bhavan, R.K. Puram, New Delhi
- 3. Secretary, Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (CERC), New Delhi
- 4. Principal Secretaries/Secretaries (Power/Energy) of all State Governments/UTs
- 5. Secretaries of All State Electricity Regulatory Commissions/JERCs
- 6. Chairman/CMDs of all PSUs under administrative control of Ministry of Power
- 7. CMD, SECI, New Delhi
- 8. CMDs/MDs of Discoms/Gencos of all State Governments
- 9. CMD, IEX LTD New Delhi & MD/CEO, PXIL Mumbai
- 10. DG, Association of Power Producers, New Delhi.
- 11. President, FICCI, House No. 1, Tansen Marg, New Delhi
- 12. President, CII, New Delhi
- 13. President, PHDCCI, New Delhi
- 14. ASSOCHAM, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi
- 15. Member, PRAYAS Energy Group, Pune
- 16. DG, Electric Power Transmission Association (EPTA), New Delhi
- 17. Chairman Indian Wind Power Association, New Delhi
- 18. Chairman, Indian Wind Turbine Manufacturers Association, New Delhi
- 19. Director General, National Solar Energy Federation of India (NSEFI), New Delhi
- 20. DG, Solar Power Developers Association.

Subject: Draft Amendment in Electricity (Transmission System Planning, Development and Recovery of Inter State Transmission Charges) Rules, 2021-Reg.

Sir/Madam.

I am directed to forward herewith Draft Amendment in Electricity (Transmission System Planning, Development and Recovery of Inter State Transmission Charges) Rules, 2021 with request to provide your comments, if any, to this Ministry within 30 days from the date of issuance of this letter i.e. by 26.04.2025. The comments in word file may also be emailed at transdesk-mop@nic.in.

This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

Encls: As above

Yours faithfully,

(Naorem Indrakumar Singh) Under Secretary (Trans)

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<u>Copy to</u>: Technical Director, NIC Cell, M/o Power, for uploading on MoP's website under "Current Notices" with the heading of "Seeking comments on Draft Amendment in Electricity (Transmission System Planning, Development and Recovery of Inter State Transmission Charges) Rules, 2021".

(Naorem Indrakumar Singh) Under Secretary (Trans)

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF POWER

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the March, 2025

G.S.R. (E).— In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) and clause (z) of sub-section (2) of section 176 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules to amend the Electricity (Transmission System Planning, Development and Recovery of Inter State Transmission Charges) Rules, 2021, namely:-

- 1. (1) These rules may be called the Electricity (Transmission System Planning, Development and Recovery of Inter State Transmission Charges) Amendment Rules, 2021.
- (2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
- 2. In the Electricity (Transmission System Planning, Development and Recovery of Inter State Transmission Charges) Rules, 2021, in rule 3, in sub-rule (5), after the first proviso, the following proviso shall be inserted, namely: -

"Provided further that the Central Government may delegate powers to the National Committee on Transmission and Central Transmission Utility for approving ISTS projects subject to the cost limits specified by the Central Government from time to time."

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(Dr. D. Sai Baba)

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of India

Note: The principal rules were published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, sub-section (i) *vide number G.S.R.* 711(E), dated the 1st October, 2021.