

TORRENT POWER LIMITED

BEFORE THE GUJARAT ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

6th Floor, GIFT ONE, Road 5C, Zone 5, GIFT City, Gandhinagar – 382355.

PUBLIC NOTICE

1. Torrent Power Limited (hereinafter referred to as "TPL-D"), has filed its petition vide Case No. 1844/2019 for Truing up of FY 2018-19 and Determination of tariff for FY 2020-21 for its Distribution business of Ahmedabad/Gandhinagar Supply Area.
2. The truing up for FY 2018-19 is proposed as per the actuals of FY 2018-19 in accordance with GERC (Multi Year Tariff) Regulations, 2016. The Revenue Gap/ (Surplus) of FY 2020-21 for Ahmedabad Supply Area is arrived at considering the approved ARR for FY 2020-21 in accordance with the GERC (Multi Year Tariff) Regulations, 2016 and estimated revenue at existing tariff on approved sales for FY 2020-21.
3. In order to limit the tariff increase and since the cumulative gap for determination of tariff for FY 2020-21 is arising mainly on account of past under-recoveries, TPL-D has proposed to recover substantial part of the cumulative gap through Regulatory Charge of Rs. 0.35 per unit, w.e.f. 1st April, 2020 for a limited period of two years and balance cumulative gap through revision in tariff for FY 2020-21.
4. TPL-D has proposed to implement the revised tariff including Regulatory Charge with effect from 1st April, 2020. The proposed changes in tariff schedule for FY 2020-21 is summarized herein below:

Proposed Tariff for Ahmedabad-Gandhinagar Licence Area

Sr. No.	Category	Fixed Charge
1.	RGP (i. Residential purpose; and ii. Installations having connected load upto & including 15 kW for common services like elevators, water pumping systems, passage lighting in Residential premises and Pumping stations run by local authorities)	Other than BPL consumers Single phase supply ₹ 35 per month per installation Three phase supply upto 15KW ₹ 75 per month per installation Three Phase Supply above 15 kW for Residential purpose ₹ 10 per kW per month
2.	GLP (Applicable for supply of electricity to other than residential premises used for charitable purposes)	Single phase supply ₹ 50 per month per installation Three phase supply ₹ 100 per month per installation
3.	Non-RGP (Supply of electricity to premises which are not covered in any other LT tariff categories, upto and including 15kW of connected load.)	For Connected Load upto and including 5 kW ₹ 75 per kW per month For Connected Load more than 5 kW and upto 15 kW ₹ 95 per kW per month
4.	LTMD-1 (Supply of electricity to installations above 15 kW of connected load used for common services like elevators, water pumping system and passage lighting for residential purposes and pumping stations run by local authorities)	Billing Demand upto and including Contract Demand First 50 kW ₹ 165 per kW per month Next 30 kW ₹ 195 per kW per month Rest of Billing demand ₹ 255 per kW per month In excess of Contract Demand ₹ 400 per kW per month
5.	LTMD-2 (Supply of electricity to premises not covered in any other LT tariff categories and having connected load above 15kW)	Billing Demand upto and including Contract Demand First 50 kW ₹ 185 per kW per month Next 30 kW ₹ 245 per kW per month Rest of Billing demand ₹ 315 per kW per month In excess of Contract Demand ₹ 475 per kW per month
6.	HTMD-1 (Contract Demand of 100 kW and above for purpose other than pumping stations run by local authorities)	Billing Demand upto and including Contract Demand Upto 1000 kW ₹ 275 per kW per month 1000 kW and above ₹ 350 per kW per month In Excess of Contract Demand ₹ 435 per kW per month
7.	HTMD-2 (Contract Demand of 100 kW and above for Water and Sewage pumping stations run by local authorities)	Billing Demand upto and including Contract Demand ₹ 235 per kW per month In Excess of Contract Demand ₹ 335 per kW per month
8.	HTMD-METRO Traction (Contract Demand of 100 kW and above for Metro Traction)	Billing Demand upto and including Contract Demand ₹ 350 per kW per month In Excess of Contract Demand ₹ 400 per kW per month

- a) **Energy Charges:** TPL has proposed no change in Energy Charges of BPL consumers upto 30 units and HT Metro Traction Tariff Category; whereas for RGP category, it is proposed to increase Energy Charge by ₹ 0.10 per unit for first 50 units. For all other categories and slabs, Energy Charges have been proposed to be increased by ₹ 0.15 per unit.
- b) **Regulatory Charge:** TPL has proposed Regulatory Charge of ₹ 0.35 per unit.
- c) **Open Access Charges:** TPL has proposed to determine the wheeling charges and cross-subsidy surcharge applicable to Open Access consumers.

Provision for availing the Petition Copy

5. Copies of the petitions are available for inspection at the office of General Manager (Finance) of Torrent Power Limited, Naranpura Office, Sola Road, Ahmedabad 380013. Further, the copy of the petition can be purchased on payment of ₹ 150/- by cash or demand draft/ pay order drawn in favour of Torrent Power Ltd payable at Ahmedabad from the above address. For obtaining the copy of the petition by post, postage fee @ Rs. 50/- (Rupees fifty) will be payable extra.
6. The electronic copy of the above mentioned petition is available at website www.torrentpower.com in Regulatory Section.

Guideline for Submission of Response

7. Pursuant to applicable Regulations, it is hereby notified that the persons who are interested in filing their objections / suggestions to the above petitions may file the same with the documents on which they want to rely upon, in five sets, duly supported by an affidavit on or before 13th January, 2020 to the Secretary, Gujarat Electricity Regulatory Commission, 6th floor, GIFT One, Road 5C, Zone 5, GIFT City, Gandhinagar - 382355 with a copy to the undersigned.

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Dt: 13th December, 2019

For **Torrent Power Limited,**

Sd/-

Vice President