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WEST BENGAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

NOTIFICATION

No. 80/WBERC

Kolkata, the 6th January, 2025.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) and clauses (zo) and (zp) of sub-section (2) of section 181 read with clause (g) of sub-section (1) of section 86 and sub-section (1) of section 127 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003), and all powers enabling it on that behalf, the West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission hereby makes the following regulations to amend the West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Fees) Regulations, 2013 published under Notification No. 60/WBERC dated 11.09.2013 in the Kolkata Gazette, Extraordinary on the same date.

1. Short Title, Commencement, and Interpretation:

- 1.1 These Regulations may be called the West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations, 2025;
- 1.2 They extend to the State of West Bengal;
- 1.3 They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the official Gazette.

2. After regulation 3.1 the following Regulation shall be inserted:

"3.1(A): Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained elsewhere in these Regulations, the fees specified in the Schedule-I shall be revised annually with an escalation of 3.40% to account for inflation, effective from the base year 2014-15 up to the previous year. The revised rates for each category of application/petition shall be duly notified by the Commission through office orders. The revised fee shall have the effect from the date of issuance of notification."

By order of the Commission,

Place : Kolkata
Dated : 06.01.2025

MAUSUMI GUHARROY,
Secretary of the Commission