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PUBLIC NOTICE

Sub: Previous publication for amendment to Orissa Grid Code (OGC) Regulations, 2006.

The Commission had framed the Orissa Grid Code (OGC) Regulations, 2006 which was published in the Orissa Gazette, Extra-ordinary No.819 dt.14th June, 2006. The said Regulation was amended vide the 1st amendment which was published in the Orissa Gazette, Extra-ordinary No.556 dt.24th March, 2007. In the meanwhile proposal for amendment of certain regulations has come from the Member-Secretary, Grid Co-ordination Committee as per their decision in the 1st Grid Co-ordination Committee meeting.

Accordingly, the Commission hereby publishes the proposed amendments of the Orissa Grid Code (OGC) Regulations, 2006 for information of the general public.

The proposed amendments are available in the Commission's website: www.orierc.org. The copies of the proposed amendments may also be obtained from the Commission's office by payment of necessary fees.

Before finalization of the said amendment, the Commission invites opinion through this previous publication u/s 181(3) of the Electricity Act, 2003. Interested persons/institutions/associations may furnish their suggestions/opinions on the said amendment to the undersigned within 30 days of publication of this notice. On receipt of the responses from different quarters, the Commission may, in appropriate cases, bring the modifications, if any, to the proposed amendment and approve the same for publication in the official gazette.

By order of the Commission

(N.C. Mahapatra)
Secretary I/c

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NOTIFICATION

Dated, the _____

No.OERC-Engg.-17/2005 (Vol.IV) – In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 86(1)(h) of the Electricity Act 2003, the Commission had framed the Orissa Grid Code (OGC) Regulations, 2006 which was published in the Orissa Gazette, Extra-ordinary No.819 dt.14th June, 2006. The said Regulation was amended vide the 1st amendment which was published in the Orissa Gazette, Extra-ordinary No.556 dt.24th March, 2007. In the meanwhile proposal for amendment of certain regulations has come from the Member-Secretary, Grid Co-ordination Committee as per their decision in the 1st Grid Co-ordination Committee meeting.

Accordingly, the Commission hereby notifies the following amendments of the Orissa Grid Code (OGC) Regulations, 2006 for information of the general public.

1. **Short title and commencement** – (i) These Regulations may be called the Orissa Grid Code (OGC) (Amendment) Regulations, 2008.

(ii) It shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.
2. In Regulation-5.8 (4)(b) the words “except OHPC” may be inserted in between the words “SGS” and “shall”. The following sentence may be added after the first sentence of the Regulation.
“OHPC shall provide SLDC their proposed outage programmes in writing for the next financial year by 15th October of each year”.
3. In the last sentence of the 5th paragraph of Regulation-6.5(1), the word “may” may be replaced by the word “shall” and the words “and users” may be inserted in between the words “ERLDC” and “by”.
4. In Regulation-11.2(3)(ii) may be replaced by “two members from State Transmission Utility, i.e. OPTCL, one of whom shall be nominated by the STU to act as Member Secretary of OGC”.
5. The contents of Regulation-11.2(3)(viii) may be replaced by “ Total two out of which at least one representative of Captive Generating Plants from the State having installed capacity more than 100 MW”.
6. An additional Regulation No.11.2(3)(xiii) may be inserted as below:
11.2(3)(xiii) - One member representative from ERPC.
7. In Regulation-11.2(4), the first proviso may be deleted. The word “further” in the second proviso may also be deleted.

By order of the Commission

**(N.C. Mahapatra)
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