

BEFORE THE UTTAR PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION, LUCKNOW

IN THE MATTER OF:

Amendment in Point No. 13 on Page 5 in Chapter 1 of Cost Data Book in the matter of providing instalment facility to rural and urban domestic consumers having load up to 5 KW.

Corrigendum No. 3

ORDER

The Managing Director, UP Power Corporation Ltd. vide its letter no. 825 jsLiks@xzk fo dated 6.5.2017 has requested to approve instalment facility for new connection to urban and rural domestic consumers. It has been further submitted that the consumers who are unable to purchase cable, shall be provided new connection with armoured cable only.

The Commission is aware that nearly 1.8 crore house holds are not having the electricity connections and discoms in the state have nearly 1.8 crore connections. In view of the Commission's directions to provide more and more connections to the house holds to improve the financial health of the discoms, the Commission appreciates the proposal of UPPCL for providing instalment facility to rural and urban domestic consumers as this will help the poor consumers to take new connections.

With the above objective the Commission decides to replace Point No. 13 on Page 5 in Chapter 1 of Cost Data Book as follows:-

"The connection charges for new connection up to 5 KW may be paid in instalments.

- i. **Urban consumers** may pay connection charges for new connection (with armoured cable /un armoured cable or without cable) in instalments as per Annexure-A
- ii. **Rural consumers** may pay connection charges for new connection (with armoured cable /un armoured cable or without cable) in instalments as per Annexure-B"

(S. K. Agarwal)
Member

(Desh Deepak Verma)
Chairman

Place: Lucknow

Date: 16 June, 2017