

Renewable Energy Producers Association

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Circular No. 13/2025-26

To Date: 23.05.2025

All Members.

Sub: **Network Charges** not to be levied in the CC Bill for May 2025 and even thereafter and also to refund the Network Charges already collected in the CC Bill for April 2025-Regarding.

Ref: 1) The **modified instruction** of the CFC Revenue in letter No. CFC/REV/FC/REV/AO/REV/D.414/2025 dated 22.05.2025.

- 2) Our Circular No. 12/2025-26 dated 22.05.2025.
- 3) Our WhatsApp Message dated 22.05.2025.

In continuation of our Circular 2^{nd} cited above and also in furtherance of our WhatsApp Message 3^{rd} cited above, we are enclosing herewith a Model Letter for the information and further action of our members to provide intimation to the SEs/ DFCs of their Consumption End Circles.

Accordingly, the Model Letter as provided herewith, may be printed in the Letterhead of the Companies and can be presented with the SEs / DFCs of the Consumption End suitably, with a request, not to levy and charge anymore Network Charges on their Rooftop / GISS Projects, from the CC Bill for May 2025 onwards and also to refund the already collected Network Charges for April 2025, by way of adjustment in the CC Bill for May 2025 and also to request them to withdraw the arrears of Network Charges for March 2025.

This can be acted upon suitably and while filing the Model Letter, Members can attach the Membership Certificate, already issued by REPA to members during March / April 2025, to claim the waiver off Network Charges authentically, on their Rooftop Solar Projects. If any member is not having the membership certificate can apply immediately by mail to chiefadvisor@tnrepa.in

Thanking You,

With Regards, Dr. K. Venkatachalam, Chief Advisor cum CEO.

To be typed in letterhead

То	Date:
The Superintending Engineer,	
TNPDCL,	
Electricity Distribution Circle,	
Station	

HTSC No.

Sir / Madam,

Sub: Network Charges need not be levied and collected on our Rooftop / GISS Project anymore-Regarding.

Ref: The modified instruction of the CFC-Revenue in Letter No. CFC/REV/FC/REV/AO/REV/D.414/2025 dated 22.05.2025.

We invite your kind reference to the modified instruction of the CFC Revenue above cited.

In this connection, we wish to state that we are already a member in Renewable Energy Producers Association (**REPA**) and our Association has already filed a Writ Petition in W.P. No. 11841 of 2025 and obtained an order dated 02.04.2025. Accordingly, the system of collection of Network Charges, on the Rooftop / GISS Projects of the Members of REPA, was fully set aside by the above order of the Hon'ble High Court.

Further to the same, the CFC-Revenue, vide its letter No. CFC/REV/FC/REV/AO/REV/D.274/2025 dated 08.04.2025 has issued instructions to all the SEs and has directed the SEs / DFCs, not to collect Network Charges in respect of members of Renewable Energy Producers Association (REPA) more specifically.

However, due to wrong understanding of the Ex-Parte Interim order of the Hon'ble Division Bench of Madras High Court dated 28.04.2025, on a Single Writ Appeal filed by TNPDCL against only one mill, instructions were issued by CFC Revenue erroneously, to levy Network Charges on all Rooftop / GISS Projects and also directed the SEs / DFCs to collect arrears of Network Charges waived off for the month of March 2025 also, as per the instructions dated 05.05.2025. However, on a representation made by our Association, now the CFC-Revenue has modified the instructions and accordingly, advised all the SEs / DFCs, as per the reference above cited, to limit the instruction only on the Single Writ Appeal alone and accordingly, allowed the waiver to all others.

Since, we are a member in Renewable Energy Producers Association (REPA) and our Association's Order in its Writ Petition No. W.P. No. 11841 of 2025 dated 02.04.2025 is not yet challenged by way of any Writ Appeal filed by TNPDCL till now and the order of the Hon'ble Division Bench dated 28.04.2025, has not covered the above Writ Petition of REPA, we request you to kindly follow as below.

- 1) Not to levy Network Charges on our Rooftop / GISS Project anymore from 05/2025 onwards.
- 2) To refund the Network Charges already collected through the CC Bill issued for April 2025, in respect of our above HTSC No. by way of adjustment in the CC Bill for May 2025.
- 3) To withdraw the demand of arrears of Network Charges already waived off for us for March 2025.

Accordingly, we request you to kindly comply with all the above requirements in letter and spirit. We are enclosing herewith our Membership Certificate, as issued by our Association to demonstrate that we are a member in Renewable Energy Producers Association (REPA) and we are covered by the order of the Hon'ble High Court dated 02.04.2025 in W.P. No. 11841 of 2025.

Thanking You,

Yours Truly,