

**KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM**

No. 1234/Con.Engg/ 2023/ KSERC

Dated 9th October, 2025

NOTIFICATION

Kerala Electricity Supply Code (Removal of Difficulties) (Third Order), 2025

WHEREAS, the Kerala Electricity Supply Code, 2014 (hereinafter referred to as the Code) came in to force on the 1st April, 2014;

AND WHEREAS, the Commission has amended the Code to incorporate the provisions of Electricity (Rights of Consumers) Rules, 2020 notified by the Ministry of Power and as part of ease of doing business policy of the State Government, and notified the Kerala Electricity Supply (Fifth Amendment) Code, 2024 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 2479 dated 31st July, 2024;

AND WHEREAS, by the aforesaid (Fifth Amendment) Code, 2024, the clauses (a), (b), (c) and (d) of sub regulation (1) under Regulation 49 has been omitted by Regulation 17(1)(ii);

AND WHEREAS, the Commission has noted that though the clauses (a), (b), (c) and (d) of sub-regulation (1) under Regulation 49 were omitted by Regulation 17(1)(ii) of the Kerala Electricity Supply (Fifth Amendment) Code, 2024, corresponding changes were not incorporated in sub-regulation (5) of Regulation 49 of the Code. It is observed that sub-regulation (5) of Regulation 49 contains reference to the omitted clauses (a), (b) and (c) of sub-regulation (1);

AND WHEREAS, the Commission is satisfied that difficulties have arisen in the interpretation and implementation of Regulation 49 of the Code due to the omission of the said clauses without corresponding modifications in sub-regulation (5); and the Commission finds it necessary to issue appropriate clarification to ensure consistency and effective implementation of the provisions of the Code;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Kerala State Electricity Regulatory Commission in exercise of its powers conferred by Regulation 179 of the Code, hereby makes the following order in public interest and to remove the difficulties related to sub regulation (5) of Regulation 49, namely:-

1. Short title and commencement. – (1) This order may be called the “Kerala Electricity Supply Code (Removal of Difficulties) (Third Order), 2025”.

(2) It shall come into force from the date of this order.

2. Amendment to Regulation 49. — (1):- In sub regulation (5) of Regulation 49 of the Code, for the words “under the clauses (a), (b) and (c) of sub regulation (1) above” shall be replaced with the words “for the cases *specified under Regulation 36 of the Code*”.

By Order of the Commission

Sd/-

Rajendran K. V

Secretary