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NOTIFICATION (DRAFT)

ELECTRICITY ACT, 2003.

No. MERC/Legal/2017/____ In exercise of the powers conferred under Sections 43(1), 57(1), 57(2), 59 and 181 of the Electricity Act, 2003 and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, and after previous publication, the Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission makes the following Regulations to amend the Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission (Standards of Performance of Distribution Licensees, Period for Giving Supply and Determination of Compensation) Regulations, 2014 ('the principal Regulations'), namely:-

1. Short title and commencement

- 1) These Regulations shall be called the Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission (Standards of Performance of Distribution Licensees, Period for Giving Supply and Determination of Compensation) (First Amendment) Regulations, 2017.
- 2) These Regulations shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Amendment to proviso to Regulation 5.3 (a) (ii)

Regulation 5.3 (a) (ii) of the principal Regulations reads as follows:

"(ii) Four / Three wires, three phase, 230 / 240 volts between phase wire and neutral or 400 / 415 volts between the phases / lines and contract demand not exceeding 80 kW/ 100 kVA in all areas, except in Municipal Corporation areas where such limit would be 150 kW/ 187kVA:

Provided that in case of multiple consumers with contract demand more than $150~\mathrm{kW}$ / $187~\mathrm{kVA}$, in the same building / premises as a single point supply in the Municipal Corporation areas where such limit would be $480~\mathrm{kW}$ / $600~\mathrm{kVA}$:"

This shall be substituted by the following:

"(ii) Four / Three wires, three phase, 230 / 240 volts between phase wire and neutral or 400 / 415 volts between the phases / lines and contract demand not exceeding 150 kW/187kVA:

Provided that in case of multiple consumers in the same building / premises with cumulative contract demand exceeding 150 kW/ 187 kVA, such limit would be $480~\mathrm{kW}/600~\mathrm{kVA}$:"

Mumbai, Secretary,

__August, 2017 Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission

Note: The Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission (Standards of Performance of Distribution Licensees, Period for Giving Supply and Determination of Compensation) Regulations, 2014 were notified in the Official Gazette on 20 May, 2014, a Corrigendum to which was notified on 7 August, 2014.