Subject: Petition of Ultratech Cement Limited under Section 86 (1) (k) of the Electricity Act (EA), 2003 read with Regulation 37 of the MERC (Distribution Open Access) Regulations ('DOA Regulations'), 2016 for clarification regarding the applicability of Power Factor Incentive to the Open Access power consumption by HT consumers.

- Case No. 218 of 2018 (Re-opened in pursuance of Hon'ble APTEL's Judgement dated 14.07.2022.

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Appeal No. 122 of 2019 directions to the Commission therein.)

- 1. I am directed to communicate that in pursuant to the Hon'ble APTEL's Judgement dated 15.03.2022 passed in Appeal No. 46 of 2018 & IA Nos. 233 of 2018 & 35 of 2019 and directions to the Commission therein, to comply with the directions, that the e-Hearing in the matter is scheduled on **Tuesday**, **13 September**, **2022 at 10.30 am**.
- 2. Kindly refer the Practice Directions dated 18 February 2021 available on MERC website (www.merc.gov.in) for the protocol to be followed for and during the e-Hearing.
- 3. Petitioner(s) and Respondent(s) shall communicate the name(s), email ID(s), contact number(s), and the address(es) of their Representative(s) (maximum 3 persons) who will be attending e-Hearing. MERC IT Team will communicate the credentials for login into e-Hearing Application and will also provide assistance for using this Application.
- 4. Documents to be referred during the e-Hearing shall be emailed to 'ehearing@merc.gov.in' at least one day before the scheduled e-Hearing. The said documents will be uploaded in e-Hearing Application for reference of the Commission and all concerned parties. During the e-Hearing, parties shall refer these uploaded documents only.
- 5. All communication related to e-Hearing shall be made on 'ehearing@merc.gov.in' mentioning MERC Case number.
- 6. The Petitioner is directed to get registered on e-filing portal on the Commission's website and file and upload the Petition on e-hearing portal immediately.
- 7. Kindly note that the Commission has launched 'Petition E-filing Portal' from 15 August 2021. All new Petitions filed post 15 August 2021 needs to be filed through 'Petition E-filing Portal'. Similarly, all Reply/Rejoinder or any other document in such cases also needs to be filed through 'Petition E-filing Portal'. Parties may refer Practice Directions dated 15 August 2021 in this regard on the website of the Commission https://www.merc.gov.in.

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