



महाराष्ट्र विद्युत नियामक आयोग

Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission



माहितीचा
अधिकार

MERC/ADM/RTI/064/2023/0249



एक कदम स्वच्छता की ओर
Dt. 26.05.2023

To

Shri. Raju Nikam,
Lakhandur Road, At - Amgaon,
Tal. - Desaiganj (Vadasa),
Dist. Gadchiroli, Pin: 441207.

Subject : Your application dated 19.04.2023 submitted under RTI Act 2005.

Sir,

Your application has been transfer from Industries, Energy and Labour Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai vide its letter No. माअअ-२०२३/प्र.क्र.१८२/ऊर्जा-५, Dated 08th May, 2023 under section 6 (3) RTI Act 2005 to the Public Information Officer, Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission, Mumbai. The office of the Commission is in receipt of your application through Mantralaya by email dated 17.05.2023 under section 6 (1) RTI Act 2005 seeking information by the PIO as under:-

No.	Information Sought	Information Provided
1	Provide the information (scanned copies) (letters/minutes of meetings/Hon'ble court order/MERC Order etc.) by which "\undue charges\" have been defined under Regulation No.- 9.2 (b) of MERC (CGRF &EO) Regulations, 2020. Please share scanned copies of all such letters. Hon'ble Court Orders, Constitutionals articles, and office orders of all the references that have been taken to define "\undue charges\". Please share the fee notice & information (scanned copies) at my email ID only I am ready to pay all due charges for the same. Just want to know the exact meaning of undue charges and the reason to include in MERC (CGRF & EO) Regulations, 2020.	No such documents are available, However, refer the "MERC (Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum & Electricity Ombudsman) Regulations, 2020" along with the Statement Of Reason (SOR) notified by the Commission on 21 st September, 2020. Copy of the Regulation & SOR is available in downloadable form on Commission's website www.merc.gov.in .

As per the Hon'ble CIC decision No. CIC/YA/A/2014/000379/SB Dated 19.09.2016 in the matter of Shri. K. Lall Vs M. K. Bagri, Assistant Registrar of Companies and CPIO, Appeal No. CIC/AT/A/2007/00112, dated 12.04.2007, since the same is available in public domain, the PIO is not obliged to provide the same to the appellant under the RTI Act.

Shri Anil Kumar Ukey, Director (Legal) In-charge is the first Appellate Authority for the purpose of Appeal under Sub- Section (1) of section 19 of the Right Information Act, 2005. Address: Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission, World Trade Centre, Centre No.1, 13th Floor, Cuffe Parade, Mumbai – 400005 Tel. No. 022-22163964/65/69. Email:- anilkumar.ukey@merc.gov.in.

Yours faithfully,



(Arun Walunj)

Public Information Officer & Under Secretary

Copy to:-

Smt. Sangita Lande,
Public Information Officer / Section Officer,
Industries, Energy and Labour Department,
3rd Floor, Main Building, Hutatma Rajguru Chouk,
Madam Kama Marg, Mantralaya, Mumbai - 400032