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सेवा में,

All Electricity Distribution Licensees (DISCOMs)

विषय: Compliance and Reporting of Renewable Consumption Obligations (RCO) for FY 2024–25-Electricity Distribution Licensee (DISCOMs).

महोदय,

उपयुक्त विषय पर ऊर्जा दक्षता ब्यूरो द्वारा पत्र सदर्भ सं. NMEEE-11018/1/2023-BEE दिनांक १४ मई २०२५ अग्रेषित किया जा रहा है ।

भवदीय,

(अशोक कुमार) उप-महानिदेशक



## NOTICE

F. No. NMEEE-11018/1/2023-BEE

Dated: 14th May 2025

Subject: Compliance and Reporting of Renewable Consumption Obligations (RCO) for FY 2024–25- Electricity Distribution Licensee (DISCOMs).

Ref:

- i). Gazette notification dt 20th Oct'2023 for Non fossil obligation. (Annexure-1)
- ii). Letter from JS MNRE dt 28th Nov'2023 on non-fossil obligations. (Annexure-2)
- iii). Letter from Advisor MNRE dt 01st Feb 2024 on non-fossil obligations. (Annexure-3)
- iv). BEE letter dt 3rd Feb 2025 on submission of progress towards RCO/RPO compliance. (Annexure-4)

Whereas, the Energy Conservation (Amendment) Act, 2022 empowers the Central Government to mandate minimum consumption of energy from non-fossil sources by designated consumers (DCs);

And whereas, the Ministry of Power (MoP) has, vide its Gazette Notification dated 20.10.2023, specified Renewable Consumption Obligations (RCO) applicable from **1st April 2024** to various categories of consumers including DCs operating **electricity distribution licensee (DISCOMs)**;

And whereas, the said obligations mandate the following minimum percentage of electricity consumption from renewable energy sources:

SI No.	Year	Wind renewable energy	Hydro renewable energy	Distributed renewable energy	Other renewable energy	Total renewable energy
1	2024-25	0.67%	0.38%	1.50%	27.35%	29.91%
2	2025-26	1.45%	1.22%	2.10%	28.24%	33.01%
3	2026-27	1.97%	1.34%	2.70%	29.94%	35.95%
4	2027-28	2.45%	1.42%	3.30%	31.64%	38.81%
5	2028-29	2.95%	1.42%	3.90%	33.10%	41.36%
6	2029-30	3.48%	1.33%	4.50%	34.02%	43.33%

And whereas, BEE has undertaken a series of stakeholder consultations across India (Delhi – 21.06.2024; Visakhapatnam – 23.09.2024; Jaipur – 28.11.2024; Guwahati – 06.02.2025; Goa – 24.03.2025) to disseminate awareness and finalize compliance procedures. The feedback received has been incorporated into the compliance framework.

Now therefore, in accordance with the powers conferred upon the Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE) under the above Notification, all DCs falling under the categories mentioned

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are hereby directed to submit their RCO compliance report for FY 2024-25 in the prescribed format (Annexure-5), as per the following timelines:

- 1. Initial submission (certified by CMD/MD): On or before 30th May 2025
- 2. Audit by BEE-empanelled Accredited Energy Auditor (AEA): On or before 31st July 2025

It is further notified that:

- Failure to meet the prescribed RCO targets shall attract penalty under Section 26(3) of the Energy Conservation Act, 2001.
- Failure to submit the compliance report by the prescribed timelines shall be considered as non- compliance and shall attract penalty under Section 26(4) of the Act.

The compliance reports shall be sent on the email id rco.support@beeindia.gov.in.

(Milind Deore) Secretary, Bureau of Energy Efficiency

To

CMD/MD

All Electricity Distribution Licensees (DISCOMs)

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- i. MoP/ MNRE/ CERC/ CEA.
- ii. Additional Chief Secretary of all State Governments/UTs.
- iii. Principal Secretaries/Secretaries (Power/Energy) of all State Governments/UTs
- iv. Secretaries of all State Electricity Regulatory Commissions (SERCs)/ Joint Electricity Regulatory Commissions (JERCs).
- v. State Designated Agencies (SDAs).