

**Before the
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CASE No. 75 of 2006

IN THE MATTER OF

Determination of Annual Revenue Requirement for the Control Period from FY 2007-08 to FY 2009-10 and Retail Tariff for FY 2007-08 for M/s. Reliance Energy Limited

**Dr. Pramod Deo, Chairman
Shri. A. Velayutham, Member
Shri. S.B. Kulkarni, Member**

CLARIFICATORY ORDER

Dated: September 21, 2007

The Commission passed an Order dated April 24, 2007 (Case No. 75 of 2006) in the matter of Determination of Annual Revenue Requirement for the Control Period from FY 2007-08 to FY 2009-10 and Retail Tariff for FY 2007-08 for M/s. Reliance Energy Limited. Subsequently, on September 7, 2007, the Commission issued a Clarificatory Order for REL in the context of applicability of LT 8 tariff (Advertisement and Hoardings).

The Commission, vide its Clarificatory Order dated August 24, 2007 (Case No. 26 of 2007 and 65 of 2006), clarified the applicability of tariffs for Multiplexes and Malls and HT temporary consumers in case of MSEDCL. Accordingly, the Commission is issuing the clarification for REL in the following cases:

a) Categorization of consumers under LT 9 (Multiplexes and Shopping Malls):

The ninth paragraph of the approved Tariff Schedule placed in Annexure IV [Page No. 96-97] of the Order stipulates the applicability of LT 9 tariff as follows:

“LT 9: Multiplexes and Shopping Malls (MSM)

Applicability

This category will be applicable to shopping malls and multiplexes with sanctioned load above 20 kW”.

For the purpose of applicability of LT 9 tariff, it is clarified that large shopping/departmental stores like Shoppers’ Stop, Big Bazaar, Shop Rite, Spencers, etc., with sanctioned load above 20 kW will be classified under LT 9 Tariff Category.

b) Tariff for HT Temporary consumers:

LT 7 tariff is applicable for consumers requiring LT temporary connections. The seventh paragraph of the approved Tariff Schedule placed in Annexure IV [Page No. 95-96] of the Order stipulates the applicability of LT 7 tariff as follows:

“LT 7: Temporary Connections

Applicability

Applicable to consumers requiring temporary connections.

TSR: Temporary Supply of electricity at Low Voltage for Traditional Public Religious Functions like Ganesh Ustav, Navaratri, Id, Mohurram, Ram Lila, Christmas, Guru Nanak Jayanti, Diwali, etc.

TSO: Temporary supply of electricity at low/medium voltage for any construction work, decorative lighting for exhibitions, circus, film shooting, marriages, etc., and any activity not covered under TSR.

For the purpose of applicability of tariff for HT temporary consumers, it is clarified that the tariff applicable for LT 7 category will be applicable also in the event of extending supply to consumers availing temporary supply at HT voltages.

The clarifications given in this Order will come into effect from April 24, 2007.

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Member

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(A. Velayutham)
Member

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(Dr. Pramod Deo)
Chairman

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