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**MAHARASHTRA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

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**Extension of tenure of Individual Consumer Representative under MERC (Authorized Consumer Representatives) Regulations, 2012**

**Date: 10 March, 2016**

**ORDER**

Regulation 8.2 of the MERC (Authorized Consumer Representatives) Regulations, 2012, specifies that an individual CR shall be authorized for a maximum period of 3 years. Accordingly, the Commission, vide its notification 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2013, has authorized 15 Individual Consumer Representatives (CR) for a tenure of 3 years. The 3-year tenure of these 15 Individual CR expired on 24 February, 2016.

Considering that the due procedure to be followed for appointment of Individual CRs under Regulation 5 of the MERC (Authorized Consumer Representatives) Regulations, 2012, will take some time, the Commission considers it appropriate to extend the tenure of Individual CRs.

Considering the reasons stated above and in exercise of the power conferred by Regulation 15 of the Regulations, the Commission hereby extends the tenure of the 15 Individual CRs by 6 months, i.e. from 25 February, 2016 to 24 August, 2016.

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