

**Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Ltd
(Technical Branch)**

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Memo No.CE/Coml/SE/EE3/AEE3/F-TNERC Codes/D.No.107/2023, dt.29.09.2023

Sub:- Electricity – Amendment to regulation (9) of TNE Supply Code by the Hon'ble TNERC – Dynamic reduction of demand - Instruction issued – Regarding.

Ref:- TNERC Notification No.TNERC/SC/7-48, dated 02-09-2023 and notified in Tamil Nadu Government's Gazette No.335 on 08-09-2023.

The Hon'ble TNERC have made amendment to the Regulation (9) of the TNE Supply Code and the same was published in the Tamil Nadu Government's Gazette vide Gazette No. 335, dated 08-09-2023.

Consequent to the amendment, the following instructions are issued for implementation of dynamic reduction of demand to suit the seasonal requirements in respect of Industries other than IT services covered under IIIB.

1. The dynamic reduction of demand is automatic without any charges and no verification is necessary. The dynamic reduction of demand is not allowed if there is any pending arrears in the LT Services beyond due date.
2. The dynamic reduction of demand is applicable to all Industries other than IT services covered under IIIB.
3. The reduction in demand is applicable for a minimum of one billing cycle and is permissible four times in a block of one year without any charges. The reduction shall take effect from the date of meter reading and MD reset of **succeeding assessment** following the date of application.
4. The period of one year block shall be reckoned from the commencement of first billing cycle from which the reduction of demand was sanctioned.

5. The metering system need not be changed for a dynamic reduction of demand and no inspection is required. RTR is also not necessary. Contracted demand shall remain the same and continue to be unaltered in their Test report and agreement.
6. The consumer can extend the period of reduction of demand, before the date of expiry of billing cycle and also have an option for applying increase in demand within the contracted limit from the date of expiry of the existing sanction.
7. In both the cases, the extension of period or revision of desired demand reduction shall be counted for the purpose of reckoning the four times permissible in one year. On expiry of above period of demand reduction, the reduced demand shall automatically be restored to the original level of contracted demand on the date of the expiry.
8. In case the recorded demand exceeds the level of reduced temporary demand in a billing cycle, the fixed charges for the entire contracted demand shall be payable for that billing cycle.
9. If the temporary reduction of demand is made or extended for a continuous period of one year by the consumer without restoring to the contracted demand at any point of time during that year, the reduced demand at the end of such block of one year period shall be made permanent as the contracted demand with revised RTR and agreement. The metering system shall also be de-rated if necessary. If the consumer requires additional demand after a period of one year, he shall apply a fresh for the additional demand and the terms and all charges payable at the time of such application shall be applicable.
10. The online filing of dynamic reduction of load is implemented from 30.09.2023. The Superintending Engineer's/EDC are directed to instruct the officers down the level to give wide publicity for online filing of dynamic reduction of demand

by displaying in all offices. The above procedure is only for dynamic reduction of demand. For regular reduction/ increase in demand, existing procedure to be followed.

The copy of the amendment is enclosed herewith. The Superintending Engineer's/EDC are directed to ensure that the section officers under their control are complying the above instructions strictly without any deviation.

Receipt of the memo shall be acknowledged.

Sd/- 29.9.23

Director/Distribution

Encl:- As above

To
All the Chief Engineers/ Distribution Regions.

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Copy to the Chief Engineer /IT

Copy to all the Superintending Engineers/EDCs.

Copy to the CIAO/Chennai – 2

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