TAMIL NADU ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Draft Notification No. TNERC / NCES Regn. / 16 /, dated 21-06-2010 (Comments/suggestions are invited on or before 14-07-2010)

WHEREAS the Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission under section 61(h) read with section 86(1)(e) and section 181 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (Central Act 36 of 2003), specified and notified in the *Tamil Nadu Government Gazette* dated the 27th February 2008, the Power Procurement from New and Renewable Sources of Energy Regulations, 2008

AND WHEREAS it is considered necessary to issue certain amendments to the above Regulations and such amendments shall be subject to the condition of the previous publication and accordingly undergone such previous publication.

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred under section 61(h) read with section 86(1) (e) and section 181 of the said Electricity Act, 2003 (Central Act 36 of 2003), and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission hereby makes the following Amending Regulations to the Power Procurement from New and Renewable Sources of Energy Regulations, 2008 (herein referred to as the Principal Regulations) issued under Notification No. TNERC/NCES Regn./16/1 Dated 8th February, 2008 and published in Part VI –Section 2 of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette dated the 27th February 2008.

Amending Regulations

1. Short title and commencement

(a) These Regulations may be called the Power Procurement from New and Renewable Sources of Energy (Amendment) Regulations, 2010.

(b) They shall come into force on 27th day of May, 2010.

2. Amendment of regulation 6 of the Principal Regulations

In regulation 6 of the Principal Regulations, for the first sentence, the following sentence shall be substituted, namely:-

"The tariff as determined by the Commission by a general or specific order for the purchase of power from each kind of renewable sources based generators by the distribution licensee as referred to in sub-regulation (3) of regulation 4 shall remain in force for such period as specified by the Commission in such tariff orders issued from time to time."

(By order of the Commission)

(R.V.Rajah) Secretary Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission