भारत सरकार केंद्रीय विद्युत प्राधिकरण सेवा भवन (उत्तरी खंड) कक्ष सं. 622, छठा तल, आर.के.पुरम, नई दिल्ली-110066 टेली फैक्स – 26103246, ई-मेल – <u>celegal-cea@gov.in</u> वेबसाइट – <u>www.cea.nic.in</u>

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केंद्रीय विद्युत प्राधिकरण (के.वि.प्रा.), विद्युत अधिनियम, 2003 की धारा 177 के तहत प्रदत्त शक्तियों का प्रयोग करते हुए, **केंद्रीय विद्युत प्राधिकरण (मीटरों की स्थापना और संचालन) (5वाँ संशोधन) विनियमों,** 2025 के प्रारूप को अधिसूचित करने का प्रस्ताव करता है। हितधारकों से टिप्पणी हेतु विनियमों का उक्त प्रारूप के.वि.प्रा. की वेबसाइट www.cea.nic.in पर उपलब्ध हैं। प्रारूप विनियमों का निरीक्षण 05 अप्रैल ,2025 तक, किसी भी कार्य दिवस को, 11:00 बजे से 16:00 बजे के मध्य, मुख्य अभियंता (विधि), के.वि.प्रा, कमरा नं. 622, सेवा भवन (उत्तरी खंड), छठा तल, आर.के.पुरम, नई दिल्ली-110066 के कार्यालय में भी किया जा सकता है।

2. सभी हितधारकों एवं आम जनता से प्रारूप विनियमों पर अपनी टिप्पणियां ई-मेल (celegalcea@gov.in) अथवा डाक के जरिए मुख्य अभियंता (विधि), कमरा नं. 622, सेवा भवन, (उत्तरी खंड), 6वां तल, आर.के.पुरम, नई दिल्ली-110066 को 05 अप्रैल ,2025 तक भेजने का अनुरोध किया जाता है।

> (राकेश कुमार) सचिव, के.वि.प्रा.

Central Electricity Authority (Installation and Operation of Meters) (Amendment) Regulations, 2025

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III, Section 4] CENTRAL ELECTRICITY

AUTHORITY

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the....., 2025

F No......In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 55 read with clause (c) of sub-section (2) of section 177 of the Electricity Act, 2003, the Central Electricity Authority hereby makes the following regulations further to amend the Central Electricity Authority (Installation and Operation of Meters) Regulations, 2006, namely: -

1. Short Title and Commencement- (1) These regulations may be called the Central Electricity Authority (Installation and Operation of Meters) (Amendment) Regulations, 2025

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

- 2. In the Central Electricity Authority (Installation and Operation of Meters) Regulations, 2006 (hereinafter referred to as the said Regulations), in Regulation 2, the following shall be substituted-
 - (i) for Clause (n) in sub-Regulation (1) of Regulation 2, the following Clause shall be substituted, namely:

"(n) 'Interface Meter' means a meter used for accounting and billing of electricity, connected at the point of interconnection between electrical systems of generating company, licensee and consumers, directly connected to the Inter-State Transmission System or Intra-State Transmission System or Distribution System and who have been permitted open access at voltage level exceeding 650 V by the Appropriate Commission;";

(ii) for Clause 2 of Regulation 2, the following Clause shall be substituted, namely:

"(2) The words and expressions used and not defined in these Regulations but defined in the Act and Rules made therein shall have the meaning assigned to them in the Act and Rules.";

3. In Regulation 4 of the said Regulations, in sub-Regulation (1), for Clause (b), the following shall be added as Proviso 3 and 4, namely: -

"Provided further that consumer connected at voltage level not exceeding 650 V and permitted open access, shall be supplied electricity through Smart Meters as per relevant IS.

Provided further that in case of open access consumer connected at voltage level not exceeding 650 V or prosumer, prepayment mode may not be applicable."

4. In regulation 5 of the said regulations, the existing clause shall be numbered as 5(1) and the following sub clause shall be added after Clause (1):

"(2) All the "Advanced Metering Infrastructure" systems shall be consistent with the 'Guidelines for Standardization and Interoperability in Advanced Metering Infrastructure systems for End to End communication between Smart Meter, Head End System and Meter Data Management' as issued by the Authority and amended up to date."

5. In Regulation 7 of the said Regulations, in sub-Regulation (1) (a), for Serial number 4 of Table- 1, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

SI.	Stages	Main	Chec	Standby
No.		Meter	k	Meter
			Meter	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
4.	Consumer directly connected to the Inter- State Transmission System or Intra-State Transmission System or Distribution System who has been permitted open access at voltage level exceeding 650 V by the Appropriate Commission or any other system not covered above			

(Rakesh Kumar) Secretary Note: The principal regulations were published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part III, Section 4, vide notification No. 502/70/CEA/DP&D, dated the 22nd March, 2006 and last amended vide notification No. CEA-GO- 13-15(12)/1/2022-DPR Division, dated the 28th February, 2022.