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Government of India  
Ministry of Power  
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Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg,  
New Delhi, 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2023

To,

1. Secretary, MNRE, New Delhi
2. Chairperson, Central Electricity Authority, Sewa Bhavan, R.K. Puram, New Delhi
3. Secretary, Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (CERC), New Delhi
4. Principal Secretaries/Secretaries (Power/Energy) of all State Governments/UTs
5. Secretaries of All State Electricity Regulatory Commissions/JERCs.
6. Chairman/CMDs of all PSUs under administrative control of Ministry of Power
7. CMD, SECI, New Delhi
8. CMDs/MDs of Discoms/Gencos of all State Governments
9. CMD, IEX LTD New Delhi & MD/CEO, PXIL, Mumbai
10. DG, Association of Power Producers, New Delhi.
11. President, FICCI, House No. 1, Tansen Marg New Delhi
12. President, CII, New Delhi
13. President, PHDCCI, New Delhi
14. ASSOCHAM, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi
15. Member, PRAYAS Energy Group, Pune
16. DG, Electric Power Transmission Association (EPTA), New Delhi
17. Chairman Indian Wind Power Association, New Delhi
18. Chairman, Indian Wind Turbine Manufacturers Association, New Delhi
19. Director General, National Solar Energy Federation of India (NSEFI), New Delhi.

**Subject: Draft National Electricity Plan Notification (Amendment) Rules, 2023- Reg.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to forward herewith the draft National Electricity Plan Notification (Amendment) Rules, 2023, with request to provide your comments, if any, to this Ministry within 15 days from the date of this letter, i.e. **by 22.02.2023**. The comments may also be emailed at [debranjanchattopadhyay@nic.in](mailto:debranjanchattopadhyay@nic.in).

2. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

Encl: as above

Yours faithfully,



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**Copy for information to:** PS to Hon'ble Minister for Power and NRE, APS to HMoSP, Sr. PPS to Secy (P), PS to CE (R&R), Ministry of Power.

**Copy to:** Technical Director, NIC Cell for uploading on MOP's website under "Current Notices" with the heading of "**Seeking comments on draft National Electricity Plan Notification (Amendment) Rules, 2023.**"

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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**

**MINISTRY OF POWER**

New Delhi, the ..... February, 2023

G.S.R. ....- In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (a) of sub-section (2) of section 176 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (Act 36 of 2003), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules, to amend the National Electricity Plan Notification Rules, 2004, namely:-

1. (1) These rules may be called the National Electricity Plan Notification (Amendment) Rules, 2023.

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

2. In the National Electricity Plan Notification Rules, 2004, for rule 3, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

**“3. Notification of National Electricity Plan.-** (1) A draft National Electricity Plan prepared under the provisions of sub-section (4) of section 3 of the Act shall be published on the website of the Authority for inviting suggestions and objections of licensees, generating companies and

general public and notice to this effect shall be published in at least two daily newspapers;

Provided that for inviting suggestions and objections, a period of sixty days, from the date of publication of such draft Plan, shall be provided by the Authority.”

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(Piyush Singh)

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of India

**Note:** The Principal Rules were published in 2004 in the Gazette of India vide notification number G.S.R. 234(E) dated 6th April, 2004.