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**NOTIFICATION**

**Dated Kohima, the 18<sup>th</sup> July, '19**

**No. NERC/REGN/T-15/2017:** In exercise of powers conferred by Section 86 (1)(e) read with Section 181 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003) and all other power enabling it in this behalf, the Commission hereby makes the following regulations to amend NERC (Renewable Purchase Obligation and its Compliance) Regulations, 2011 as amended from time to time (hereinafter referred to as "the Principal Regulations") namely:

**1. Short title, commencement and extent:**

1.1 These regulations may be called the Nagaland Electricity Regulatory Commission (**Renewable Purchase Obligation and its Compliance**) (**Third Amendment**) Regulations, 2019.

**2. Amendment in Sub-regulation 2.1 & 2.7 of Regulation 2 of the Principal Regulations:**

**a) Sub-regulation 2.1 shall be substituted as under:**

*Minimum quantum of electricity to be purchased by the licensees from renewable energy sources, expressed as percentage of their total consumption of electricity in a year, excluding hydro power, shall be as per the schedule, given below:*

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Solar RPO (%)</b>	<b>Non-Solar RPO (%)</b>	<b>Total RPO (%)</b>
1.	2016-17	2.75	8.75	11.50
2.	2017-18	4.75	9.50	14.25
3.	2018-19	6.75	10.25	17.00
4.	2019-20	7.25	10.25	17.50
5.	2020-21	8.75	10.25	19.00
6.	2021-22	10.50	10.50	21.00

*The fund requirement to achieve the RPO target for each year shall be build in the ARR and Tariff Petition for the consecutive financial year by the Licensee.*

*The RPO Target shall be subjected to further revision as and when required.*

**b) Sub-regulation 2.7 shall be amended as under:**

*The obligated entities shall submit quarterly status on quantum of electricity purchased in compliance to RPO to the Commission as per the prescribed format in Appendix-I.*

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