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ವಸಂತನಗರ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-560 052

No. 16 C-1, Miller Tank Bed Area
Vasanthanagara, Bengaluru-560 052.

No. KERC/B7/14 / 531

Date:03rd Aug 2021

The Managing Director
BESCOM, MESCOM, CESC,
HESCOM, GESCOM, Hukkeri RECS,

Sir,

Sub: Discounted Energy Rate Scheme (DERS)

Ref: 1. KERC Tariff Order 2021 dated 09.06.2021

**2. BESCOM letter No. BESCOM/BC-26/2411/2009-10/482-484 dated
19.07.2021**

BESCOM in its letter cited under reference-2 has informed that, before the introduction of the Discounted Energy Rate Scheme (DERS) as per the Commission's Order dated 9th June, 2021, some of the HT consumers had already entered into long term Open Access(OA) agreement with the IPP's for a certain quantum of energy and are now willing to avail the DERS scheme for the balance quantum of energy and willing to give an undertaking as required under the scheme. Hence, BESCOM has requested the Commission to permit such consumers to avail the DERS scheme subject to obtaining the required undertaking with a view to increase the metered sales and revenue thereon.

The matter has been examined by the Commission and I am directed to inform that, the Commission concurs with the proposal to allow such HT consumers to avail the purchase of discounted energy under the scheme, subject to such consumers giving an undertaking to the BESCOM/ other ESCOMs/HRECS that they will not enter into any further OA agreement with the generators, during the period of operation of the scheme.

Your Faithfully,

Secretary

For Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission