

## Discounted Energy Rate Scheme(DERS)

- Discounted Energy Rate Scheme can be availed by HT Consumers' @ the rate of **Rs.6.00 per unit for additional consumption, over and above the average monthly consumption.**
  - ❖ The monthly average base consumption shall be computed considering the energy supplied by BESCOM during the period **from April-2019 to March-2021 (Excluding Pandemic COVID-19 period from April-2020 to October-2020).**
  - ❖ In case of consumers whose installations are serviced after 01.04.2020, where the actual consumption for the past at least 6 months is not available, then the available energy consumption for a minimum period of 3 months, shall form the basis for computing the monthly average base consumption.
- In the Tariff Order-2022, dated: 04.04.2022, Commission has extended the scheme for one year i.e. from **April-2022 to March-2023.**
- **HT-2(a)(i), HT-2(a)(ii), HT-2(b)(i), HT-2b(ii), HT-2(c)(i), HT-2c(ii)** category of HT consumers are eligible for the scheme.
- HT consumers availing this scheme are not eligible for open access and have to give an Memorandum of Undertaking (MoU) on a Rs. 200 stamp paper stating that **they will not enter into any Open Access agreement with the generators, during the operation of the scheme.**
- As per the Commission's letter dated: 03.08.2021, HT consumers having long-term PPA can avail the scheme by providing an MoU to BESCOM stating **that they'll not enter into any further Open Access agreement with the generators, during the operation of the scheme.**
- Time of Day tariff is not applicable to the extent of energy consumed under the scheme.
- The consumer who has opted for this new scheme **can exit from the scheme by at least 30 days' notice in advance.**
- Consumers can avail only one scheme either Special Incentive Scheme or Discounted Energy Rate Scheme.
- **Required Details to apply**
  - ❖ Request letter from the consumer on the letter head of the company addressed to Director (Finance), Corporate office, BESCOM, K.R Circle, Bangalore-560 001 for availing the Scheme.
  - ❖ If the consumer is procuring power from external sources, MoU is to be signed between BESCOM and the HT consumer stating that they will not avail open access or wheeling consumption during the period they are under Discounted Energy Rate Scheme.
  - ❖ Scanned Copies of Electricity bill from April-2019 to March-2021.



## Special Incentive Scheme (SIS)

- Special Incentive Scheme can be availed by the **HT categories of consumers**.
- Excess energy consumed by the eligible consumers, over and above the average base consumption as arrived at **during the non-peak period between 10.00 Hours and 18.00 Hours**, shall be allowed a **discount of Rs.1.00/- per unit in the bill**.
  - ❖ The monthly average base consumption shall be computed considering the energy supplied by BESCOM **during the normal hours i.e. 10.00 to 18.00 hrs of April 2017 to March 2018** irrespective of the date of request by the consumer for opting for the Scheme.
  - ❖ The base consumption is not applicable for this additional incentive for the consumption during 22.00 Hours to 06.00 Hours.
- Further, the eligible consumers should be allowed an **incentive of Rs.2.00 per unit in the bill for the energy consumed during the period between 22.00 Hours and 06.00 Hours** as against the normal ToD rebate of Re.1.00 per unit.
- In the Tariff Order-2022, dated: 04.04.2022, Commission has extended the scheme for one year i.e. from **April-2022 to March-2023**.
- The scheme is applicable to all **HT-1, HT-2(a), HT-2(b) and HT-2(c) including sub-categories in these tariff schedules** and provided with ToD meters in the State, at their options.
- The Special Incentive Scheme benefit is also extended to Open Access consumers who consume energy from BESCOM by limiting the benefit to the energy drawn from BESCOM only.
- This incentive scheme will not be applicable to the consumers who opt for Discounted/Reduced tariff of Rs.6/unit.

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## Tariff for Green Power

- HT Consumers can avail green tariff by paying **50 paise per unit as the additional tariff over and above the normal tariff.**
- Tariff for green power can be availed by HT consumers even if they opt for any one of the above 2 schemes.