



ASSAM ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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NOTIFICATION

Reconstitution of the Consumer Advocacy Cell (CAC)

The Commission is pleased to reconstitute the Consumer Advocacy Cell with the following members -

- i) Shri Subodh Sharma, Member - Convenor
- ii) Shri Rabindra Nath Kalita, Member
- iii) Dr. Trailokya Nath Saloi, Member
- iv) Shri Saurav Agarwal, Member
- v) Shri Khanindra Talukdar, Member
- vi) Shri Arup Jyoti Das, Member and
- vii) Pandit Sanjib Narayan Dass, Member

The terms of reference of the Committee shall be as follows:

1. The tenure of the Cell shall be from 01.04.2024 to 31.03.2025.
2. The Cell shall primarily concentrate in protecting the interest of the consumers belonging to the domestic segment, educational institutions, commercial units, and any other consumers who do not have an organized forum to represent their case before the Commission in regard to consumers related regulations viz. Multi Year Tariff, Standard of Performance, CGRF, Ombudsman etc.
3. During the tenure, the Cell will analyze the petitions to be submitted by APGCL, AEGCL and APDCL for determination of Aggregate Revenue Requirement (ARR) & tariff for the FY 2025-26, including the Annual Performance Review (APR) FY 2024-25 and True Up for FY 2023-24 .
4. The Cell will make presentations on the tariff petitions as in (3) above during the Public Hearing.
5. The Cell is also authorized to represent the consumers before the Commission in any other matter of common interests.

6. The members will be paid an honorarium of Rs 2000/- per sitting, and maximum number of sittings in a year may be restricted to 10 (ten).
7. Sitting accommodation, clerical assistance will be provided from the Commission and basic expenses for the meetings will be reimbursed.
8. Financial Assistance will be provided by the Commission to the Cell. A budget for the year will be prepared by the Cell and submitted to the Commission within 31st July, 2024 for approval. The budget may include expenses against Consultants/experts which CAC may engage.
9. The budget shall be finalized after discussion with the Cell.

Secretary

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3. Dr. Trailokya Nath Saloi, C/o. Late Surjya Kanta Saloi, H/No: 70, Bidyanagar, By lane NO: Namghar Path, Panjabari, Guwahati-781037. Mobile No: 9435028533/8638524482.
4. Shri Saurabh Agarwal, A5B, Ashadeep Residency, Majhar Road, Bhangagarh, G.S. Road, Opp ASTC Workshop, Guwahati - 781 007.
5. Shri Khanindra Talukdar, Secretary, Bidyut Grahak Manch, H/N - 5, Kushal Kunwar Byelane, Chenikuthi Hillside, Naba Graha Road, Guwahati - 781 003.
6. Pandit Sanjib Narayan Dass, Accredited Journalist And president, All India Small NEWS Papers Association, Assam State, North East Zone, P.O- Binovanagar, Kalapahar, Guwahati- 781018, Mobile No: 9101487408, email: panditsndass@gmail.com.
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By Order of the Commission

Secretary,
Assam Electricity Regulatory Commission