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## Bhopal Dated: 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2006

No. 2377–MPERC-2006. In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 43(1) read with Section 181(2) (t), Section 50 read with Section 181(2)(x) of the Electricity Act 2003 (No. 36 of 2003) and Section 9(j) of Madhya Pradesh Vidyut Sudhar Adhiniyam, 2000 (No. 4 of 2001), the Madhya Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission hereby makes the following Amendments in the Madhya Pradesh Electricity Supply Code, 2004 notified vide No. 861/MPERC/04 dated 27<sup>th</sup> March, 2004.

### TENTH AMENDMENT TO MADHYA PRADESH ELECTRICITY SUPPLY CODE, 2004

#### Short Title and Commencement

- (i) This Code may be called the "Madhya Pradesh Electricity Supply Code, 2004 (Tenth Amendment) (AG-1(x) of 2006)".
- (ii) This Code shall come into force with effect from the date of its publication in the official gazette.
- (iii) This Code shall extend to the entire State of Madhya Pradesh.

### Amendment to Chapter 6:

In the **Madhya Pradesh Electricity Supply Code 2004** hereinafter called the Principle Code, in the **Clause 6.15** the following shall be substituted namely:

**`6.15** Every L.T consumer, including irrigation pump set consumer, whose connected load includes induction motor(s) of capacity of 3 BHP and above, shall arrange to install Low Tension Shunt Capacitors of appropriate capacity at his cost across the terminals of his motor(s).

The consumer on whose LT connection the meter provided by the Licensee does not have the power factor recording feature, shall ensure installation of Capacitors as per ratings indicated in the following table and shall maintain these capacitors in working condition.

Sr.	Rating of Individual Induction	KVAR Rating of LT
No.	Motor	Capacitors
1.	3 BHP and above up to 5 BHP	1
2.	Above 5 BHP up to 7.5 BHP	2
3.	Above 7.5 BHP up to 10 BHP	3
4.	Above 10 BHP up to 15 BHP	4
5.	Above 15 BHP up to 20 BHP	5
6.	Above 20 BHP up to 30 BHP	6
7.	Above 30 BHP up to 40 BHP	7
8.	Above 40 BHP up to 50 BHP	8
9.	Above 50 BHP up to 100 BHP	9

The Consumer on whose L.T connection, the meter provided by the Licensee has the power factor recording feature, shall ensure that the capacitors installed by him ensure power factor of 80% and above.

Supply to LT installations with induction motor(s) of capacity of 3 BHP and above will not be given unless suitable capacitors to improve power factor are installed."

(ii) In the **Clause 6.17** for the sentence "Any LT consumer, who fails to provide LT capacitors as specified hereinbefore, would be liable to pay a surcharge as may be specified in the tariff from time to time.", the following shall be substituted namely:

" LT consumer, in whose case the meter installed does not have power factor recording feature and who fails to provide LT capacitors as specified hereinbefore and fails to maintain these capacitors in working condition, would be liable to pay a surcharge as may be specified in the tariff order from time to time. LT consumer in whose case the meter installed has power factor recording feature and who fails to maintain power factor as per specified limits, as recorded by meter, by installing appropriate capacitors, would be liable to pay a surcharge as may be specified in the tariff order from time to time."

(iii) In **Clause 6.47** for the words "thirty days", the words "six months" shall be substituted.

#### Amendment to Chapter 7:

(i) In the Principle Code, Clause 7.12 as previously substituted vide Madhya Pradesh Electricity Supply Code, 2004 (Eighth Amendment) (AG-1(viii) of 2006) w.e.f 11<sup>th</sup> August, 2006 the following sentence shall be added at the end of the Clause 7.12, namely:

" Request of the consumer for reduction in contract demand of his connection shall not be refused by the Licensee on the ground that there are dues payable to the licensee against the connection."

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(ii) In **Clause 7.26** in the last sentence, after the words "last day of the", the word "billing" shall be inserted.

By the order of the Commission

## Ashok Sharma, Deputy Secretary

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