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THE ELECTRICITY (LICENCE FEES) (AMENDMENT) (NO. 3) REGULATIONS, 2014

ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS

Regulations

- 1. Title.
- 2. Amendment of SI. No. 20 of 2003.
- 3. Amendment of the Schedule to the principal regulations.

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The Electricity (Licence fees) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations, 2014.

(Under Sections 10 (c), 10 (n) and 119 of the Electricity Act, Cap.145)

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred upon the Electricity Regulatory Authority by Sections 10 (c), 10 (n) and 119 of the Electricity Act, Cap. 145, these Regulations are made this 2nd day of December, 2014.

1. Title.

This Regulations may be cited as the Electricity (Licence fees) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations, 2014.

2. Amendment of SI. No. 20 of 2003.

The Electricity (Licence Fees) Regulations, 2003, SI. No. 20 of 2003 in these Regulations referred to as the principal regulations are amended by substituting for regulation 2 the following—

"2. Licence and Permit fees.

- (1) The annual fees payable by a licensee shall be as prescribed under parts A, B and C set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.
- (2) The fees payable by an applicant in respect of an application to the Authority for a licence or permit shall be as prescribed under part D set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.
- (3) The applicant under this regulation shall upon submission of the application form, pay a non-refundable fee as prescribed under part D set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.
- (4) A licensee shall pay the annual fees prescribed under parts A, B and C set out in the Schedule to these Regulations not later than fourteen days from the commencement of the licence year.
- (5) A person who contravenes sub regulation (3) commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding two hundred currency points and in the case of a continuing offence, an additional fine not exceeding five currency points in respect of each day on which the offence continues.

- (6) Where the prescribed fee is not paid within the time specified in these Regulations, a surcharge will be payable on the amount due at the rate of 1% per week up to a maximum period of twelve weeks (12).
- (7) The application for the grant of a licence or permit under subregulation (6) shall lapse upon the expiration of the twelve weeks (12)."

3. Amendment of the Schedule to the principal regulations.

The principal regulations are amended by substituting for the Schedule the following—

"SCHEDULE

LICENCE FEES

A. GRID (NATIONAL) CONNECTED SYSTEMS

| CAT.I | VERY LARGE GENERATORS 200MW and above | US\$ 112,500 per 50MW or part thereof |
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| CAT.II | LARGE GENERATORS 50 MW and above but less than 200MW | US\$ 71,925 per 50 MW or part thereof |
| CAT.III | MEDIUM GENERATORS 10MW and above but less than 50MW | US\$ 12,000 fixed plus US\$ 3,000 per 10 MW or part thereof |
| CAT.IV | SMALL GENERATORS 0.5 MW and above but less than 10MW | US\$ 12,000 |
| CAT.V | VERY SMALL GENERATORS (a) 0.5 MW and above but less than 2.0 MW (b) Below 0.5 MW | US \$ 6,000 US \$ 2,500 |

TRANSMISSION RELATED LICENCES

| (a) Transmission | US \$112,500 | |
|---------------------|--------------|--|
| (b) System Operator | US \$112,500 | |
| (c) Bulk Supply | US \$112,500 | |

DISTRIBUTION RELATED LICENCES

| CAT.I | VERY LARGE DISTRIBUTORS 200 MW or (1,600 GWh) AND ABOVE (a) Distribution (b) Supply | US\$ 262,500 fixed US\$ 262,500 plus US\$ 30,000 per 100 GWh or part thereof |
|--------|--|--|
| CAT.II | LARGE DISTRIBUTORS 50MW (400GWh) but less than 200MW (1,600 GWh) (a) Distribution (b) Supply | US\$ 187,500 fixed US\$ 187,500 plus US\$30,000 per 100GWh or part thereof |

| CAT.III | MEDIUM DISTRIBUTORS 10 MW (80GWh) and above but less than 50 MW (400GWh) | US \$12,000 fixed plus US \$ 6,000 per 10GWh or part thereof. | |
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| CAT.IV | SMALL DISTRIBUTORS 2 MW (16GWh) and above but less than 10 MW (80GWh) | / US\$ 12,000 | |
| CAT.V | VERY SMALL DISTRIBUTORS (a) 0.5 MW (4 GWh) but less than 2 MW (4 GWh) (b) Less than 0.5 MW (4 GWh) | US\$ 3,500 US\$1,500 | |

B. ISOLATED GRID SYSTEMS COMBINED GENERATION DISTRIBUTION AND SALES LICENCE

| CAT. I | MEDIUM GENERATORS 10MW and above but less than 50MW | US\$12,000 fixed plus US\$6,000 per 25 MW or part thereof |
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| CAT. II | SMALL GENERATORS 2 MW and above but less than 10MW | US\$12,000 |
| CAT. III | VERY SMALL GENERATOR (a) 0.5 MW (4 GWh) and above but less than 2 MW (16 GWh) | US \$3,500 |
| | (b) Less than 0.5 MW (4 GWh) | Exempt |

C. IMPORT AND EXPORT OF ELECTRICITY

| CAT. I | AT A VOLTAGE ABOVE 33KV Import and Export | US\$112,500 | |
|--------|--|-------------|--|
| CAT.II | AT A VOLTAGE 33KV AND BELOW | | |
| | (a) Import | US\$12,000 | |
| | (b) Export | US\$12,000 | |

D. APPLICATION AND APPROVAL FEES

| Permit for Feasibility Studies | US\$ 3,000 |
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| 2. Licence Application | US\$ 3,500 |
| 3. Licence Transfer Application | US\$ 3,500 |
| 4. Application for Amendment of Licence or Modification | US \$ 3,500 |
| 5. Application for Renewal of Licence | US \$ 3,500 |
| 6. Permit Extension Application | US\$ 1,000 |
| 7. Application for licence exemption | US\$3,000" |

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