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GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR SECRETARIAT: POWER DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Imphal, the 22nd July, 2024

No. JERC/1/2022-POW-PD-Part (1): Whereas, Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission (JERC) for Manipur and Mizoram was established vide No. F.No.23/3/2002-R&R dated 18.01.2005 by signing the Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) among the Government of India and the States of Manipur and Mizoram on 23.07.2004 for a period of twenty (20) years under the provisions of section 83 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003).

- 2. And whereas, the State Cabinet of Manipur in its meeting held on 23.12.2021 has approved for establishment of a 2(two) Member State Electricity Regulatory Commission (SERC) for the State of Manipur w.e.f. 23.07.2024, i.e., on the expiry of the MoA.
- 3. And whereas, the Ministry of Power, Government of India vide Order No.47/7/2017-R&R dt. 27.06.2024, with the consent of both the State Governments of Manipur and Mizoram, has ordered that upon expiry of the MoA, the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission (JERC) for Manipur and Mizoram shall cease to exist with effect from 23.07.2024 i.e. after completion of 20 years of the Agreement.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1), (2) and (3) of section 82 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003), the Government of Manipur, hereby, constitute a State Electricity Regulatory Commission for the State of Manipur with effect from 23.07.2024 to be known as the "Manipur Electricity Regulatory Commission" (MnERC) and its headquarter shall be at Imphal.

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