XX/CSERC/2020- In exercise of powers vested under section 86 read with Section 181 of the Electricity Act 2003 (36 of 2003) and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, this Commission made Chhattisgarh State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Renewable Purchase Obligation and REC framework Implementation) Regulations, 2016 (hereafter called “the Principal Regulations”). These regulations were applicable from April 01, 2016. In these regulations, obligated entities and minimum quantum of electricity to be procured by obligated entities as percentage of total consumption for five years starting 2016-17 have been specified.

In pursuance of the Principal Regulations, the Commission hereby makes the following regulations to amend the Principal Regulations.

1. **Short title and commencement**

1.1 These Regulations may be called the Chhattisgarh State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Renewable Purchase Obligation and REC Framework Implementation)(First Amendment) Regulations, 2020.

1.2 These Regulations shall come into force from date of notification in the CG Rajpatra.

2. **Amendment of Regulation 4.3 of the Principal Regulations**

   Following proviso shall be added after last proviso of regulation 4.3.
Provided also that captive users, consuming electricity from captive generating plants (CGP), commissioned before 1st April 2016, shall have RPO target applicable for FY 2015-16, which is 1% solar and 6.25% non-solar.

Provided also that for CGPs commissioned after 1st April 2016 onwards, the RPO levels as specified in these Regulations or MoP trajectory, whichever is higher, for the year of commissioning of the CGPs shall be applicable.

Provided also that in case of any augmentation in the capacity of the CGPs, the RPO for augmented capacity shall be the RPO applicable as specified in these Regulations for the year in which the CGPs have been augmented.

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