

**TAMILNADU ELECTRICITY BOARD**  
**Technical Branch**

**144,Anna Salai,  
Chennai -2**

**Memo.No. CE/Comml/EE/DSM/AEE1/F. R&C /D 332 /10 dt.28.8.10**

Sub: Electricity – R&C measures- Purchase of power by HT  
Consumers to their HT Service under open access transactions-  
Instructions issued -Reg.

Ref: TNERC Interim order dt. 17.8.2010

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A copy of the TNERC order referred is enclosed . The base demand as worked out by the TNEB on the basis of Circular dated 17.11.2008 shall remain.

2.0 The HT consumer can use the purchased power over and above the original quota fixed for him under Restriction & Control measures upto the sanctioned demand. The TNEB shall add the quantum of energy purchased by the consumers over and the above the quota fixed by giving equivalent demand only for the energy proposed to be purchased under short term open access transactions within the sanctioned demand.

3.0.The consumer should declare in advance one month prior to the billing period for availing of Open access procurement. For example for a billing period commencing from 27<sup>th</sup> September 2010, the declaration should be made before 27<sup>th</sup> August 2010.

4.0 If the Open access procurement does not materialize to the extent projected by the consumer, he will limit his drawl to the extent of actual availability of Open access procurement. Excess consumptions will be arrived accordingly and excess charges will be levied as per the TNERC order.

5.0 All SEs/EDC are requested to adhere the above instructions strictly with immediate effect

( By order of the Chairman)

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