Arunachal Pradesh Renewable Power Purchase Obligation and its Compliance Regulations - 2012

HIGHLIGHTS

Control Period	From the date of gazette notification.				
	Year	Minimum quantu energy in kWh)*	Minimum quantum of purchase (in %) from renewable energy sources (in terms of energy in kWh)*		
		Solar	Non-solar	Total	
	2016-17	2.75	8.75	11.50	
Renewable Purchase	2017-18 4.75 9.50 14		14.25		
Obligation (RPO)	2018-19	6.75	10.25	17.00	
	 In case of supply constraint or other situations not in the control of the licensee, the Commission may revise the targets. Compliance (FY 2015-16)-34.90% Distribution licensee, any person consuming electricity generated from captive generating plant of capacity 1 MW and the control of the licensee, the Commission may revise the targets.				
Obligated Entities	Distribution licensee, any person consuming electricity generated from captive generating plant of capacity 1 MW and above, open access consumers.				
Ways to meet RPO	Purchases from renewable energy generators, from distribution licensees of other renewable energy sources, energy from own generation sources, purchase of renewable energy certificates.				
Certificates	 Obligations to purchase solar and non-solar energy can be fulfilled only by purchase of solar and non-solar certificates, respectively. Certificates purchased by the obligated entities shall be deposited with the Commission as per procedure issue d by central agency. 				

OTHER PROVISIONS

State Agency	Arunachal Pradesh Energy Development Agency.		
Effect of Default	 In case of non-fulfilment of RPO by obligated entities, the obligated entity may be asked by the Commission to deposit an amountinto a separate fund created and maintained by the obligated entity. The amount of deposit shall be decided by the Commission on the basis of shortfall in RPO and the forbearance price. The fund shall be utilized partly to purchase certificates and partly for erection of transmission and sub-transmission infrastructure for evacuation of power from generating stations based on renewable energy, as may be directed by the Commission. 		
Monitoring and implementation framework	Coordination committee, constituted by the Commission, shall be responsible for implementation.		
Links	http://www.apserc.in/regulation.html		
References	http://www.apserc.in/pdf/Regulations/8-Final-RPPO-Notification.pdf http://www.apserc.in/pdf/Regulations/20-RPO-2.pdf		