

UTTARAKHAND POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

PUBLIC-NOTICE

In terms of the provisions of section 45 of the Electricity Act, 2003, the consumers and the general public are hereby informed of the tariff and charges for different categories of consumers approved by the Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission and effective from 01-04-2024, as follows:

Rate Schedule	Descriptions		Fixed/ Demand Charges (Per Month)	Energy Charges	
RTS-1: Domestic	1.1	Life Line Consumers Below Poverty line including Kutir Jyoti having load upto 1 kW and Consumption upto 60 units per Month	Rs.18/Connection		
	1.2	Other Domestic Consumers			
	Upto 100 Units per month		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Upto 1 kW- Rs. 75 / kW • Above 1 kW and upto 4 kW – Rs. 85/kW Above 4 kW – Rs. 100/kW 	Rs. 3.40/ kWh	
	101-200 Units per month			Rs. 4.90/ kWh	
	201-400 Units per month			Rs. 6.70/ kWh	
	Above 400 Units per month			Rs. 7.35/ kWh	
RTS-1A: Snowbound	2. Single Point Bulk Supply above 75 kW		Rs. 120/ kVA	Rs. 7.00/ kWh	
	1. Domestic		Rs. 18/Connection	Rs. 1.75/ kWh	
	2. Non-Domestic upto 1 kW		Rs. 18/Connection	Rs. 1.75/ kWh	
	3. Non-Domestic above 1 kW & upto 4 kW		Rs. 18/Connection	Rs. 2.60/ kWh	
RTS-2: Non-Domestic	4. Non-Domestic above 4 kW		Rs. 30/Connection	Rs. 3.80/ kWh	
	1.(i) Government/Municipal Hospitals (ii) Government / Government aided Educational Institutions (iii) Charitable Institutions registered under the Income Tax Act, 1961 and whose income is exempted from tax under this Act.				
	1.1	Upto 25 kW	Rs. 90/kW	Rs. 5.70/ kWh	
	1.2	Above 25 kW	Rs. 100/kVA	Rs. 5.50/kVAh	
	2. Other Non-Domestic Users				
	2.1	Small non-domestic consumers with connected load upto 4 kW and consumption upto 60 units per month	Rs. 90/kW	Rs. 5.40/ kWh	
	2.2	Others upto 25 kW not covered in 2.1 above	Rs. 110/kW	Rs. 7.35/ kWh	
	2.3	Above 25 kW	Rs. 115/kVA	Rs. 7.35/ kVAh	
	3.	Single point bulk supply above 75 kW for shopping complexes / multiplex / malls	Rs. 130/kVA	Rs. 7.35/ kVAh	
	4.	Independent Advertisement Hoardings	Rs. 140/kW	Rs. 8.20/ kWh	
RTS-3: Government Public Utilities	1. Urban (Metered)		Rs.130/kVA	Rs. 7.45/ kVAh	
	2. Rural (Metered)		Rs. 120/kVA	Rs. 7.45/ kVAh	
	3. Maintenance Charge for public lamps		Rs. 10/Light point	-	
RTS-4: Private Tube-wells / Pumping sets	Metered		Nil	Rs. 2.55/kWh	
RTS-4 A: Agriculture Allied Activities	Metered		Nil	Rs. 3.60/kWh	
RTS-5: LT & HT Industry	1. LT Industries having contracted load upto 75 kW (100 BHP)		Rs. 185/kVA	Rs 5.40/kVAh	
	2. HT Industries (above 75 kW/88kVA & upto 1000 kVA)				
	2.1	Load factor upto 40%	Rs. 410/kVA	Rs. 6.00/ kVAh	
	2.2	Load factor above 40%	Rs. 410/kVA	Rs. 6.40/ kVAh	
	3. HT Industries (above 1000 kVA)				
	3.1	Load factor upto 40%	Rs. 480/kVA	Rs. 6.00/ kVAh	
	3.2	Load factor above 40%	Rs. 480/kVA	Rs. 6.40/ kVAh	
RTS-6: Mixed Load	Mixed Load Single Point Bulk Supply above 75 kW including MES		Rs. 150/kVA	Rs. 6.90/kVAh	
RTS-7: Railway Traction	Railway Traction		Rs. 330/kVA	Rs 6.60/ kVAh	
RTS-8: Electric Vehicle Charging Stations	Electric Vehicle Charging Stations		Nil	Rs 7.00/kWh	
RTS-9: Temporary Supply	Temporary Supply		Corresponding rate of charge in appropriate schedule plus 25%		

Note:

1. Rate Schedule RTS-1 (Domestic) applicable to consumers having load upto 2 kW and consumption upto 200 kWh/month using some portion of their domestic premises for business / other purposes, shall be continued for such consumers.
2. Home Stay registered under Deen Dayal Upadhyay Home Stay Development Policy Rules, 2018 shall be continued to be covered under Rate Schedule RTS - 1 (Domestic Category).
3. Gaushalas/Gausadans and Dairy farms having load upto 4 kW and consumption upto 600 units/month shall be continued to be covered under Rate Schedule RTS - 1 (Domestic Category). In case consumption of Gaushalas/Gausadans and Dairy farms exceed 600 units per month, the entire consumption shall be billed under rate schedule RTS-2 (Non-domestic).
4. In case of consumers covered under Rate Schedule RTS - 2 (para 2.1 of the Table), if monthly consumption exceeds 60 units then the entire consumption of that month shall be billed as per Tariff applicable on the consumers covered under that Rate Schedule (para 2.2 of the Table).
5. No Minimum Consumption Guarantee (MCG) has been specified for any category of Consumers.
6. Sugar, Ice, Rice Mill, Frozen Foods and Tea Industries have been specified as seasonal industries.
7. Low power factor surcharge shall not be applicable on Domestic, PTW and categories having kVAh based tariff. The applicability and rate of this surcharge shall be as follows:
 - (i) On the consumers without Electronic Tri Vector Meters, who have not installed shunt capacitors of appropriate ratings and specifications, a surcharge of 5% on the current energy charges shall be levied.
 - (ii) On consumers with Electronic Tri Vector Meters, a surcharge of 5% on current energy charges will be levied for having power factor below 0.85 and upto 0.80 & a surcharge of 10% of current energy charges will be levied for having power factor below 0.80.
8. Rebate for using Solar Water Heating System has been specified as Rs. 75 per 50 Ltr. capacity of the heating system per month.
9. Prompt Payment Rebate has been modified as follows:
 - (i) A prompt payment rebate of 1.50% of the monthly bill (excluding Taxes and Duties) shall be provided to consumers for payment of electricity bills through various modes of digital payment such as credit cards, debit cards, UPI, BHIM, internet banking, mobile banking, mobile wallets, online Bank Transfer (RTGS/NEFT/IMPS) etc. within 10 days from the date of issuance of the bill/ bill date.
 - (ii) A prompt payment rebate of 1.00% of the monthly bill (excluding Taxes and Duties) shall be provided to consumers for payment of electricity bills not through digital mode but through other modes of payment, namely Cash/Cheque/Demand Draft etc., within 10 days from the date of issuance of the bill/bill date.

Provided that the prompt payment rebate shall be subject to cap of Rs 10,000/- per month for LT Consumers and Rs 1,00,000/- per month for HT consumers.

10. All consumers having load above 25 kW in non-domestic and LT & HT Industry categories shall necessarily have ToD meters. ToD tariff shall be continued for all consumers covered under Rate Schedule RTS-5 (above 25 kW), subject to the following timings and energy charges :

Season / Time of day	Morning Peak Hours	Normal hours	Evening Peak Hours	Off-peak hours
Winters 01.10 to 31.03	0600-0900 hrs	0900-1800 hrs	1800-2200 hrs	2200-0600 hrs
Summers 01.04 to 30.09	--	0700-1800 hrs	1800-2300 hrs	2300-0700 hrs
Energy Charge				
1. LT Industry (Above 25 kW)	Rs. 7.02/kVAh	Rs. 5.40/kVAh	Rs. 7.02/kVAh	Rs. 4.05/kVAh
2. HT Industry				
2.1 Load factor upto 40%	Rs. 8.32/kVAh	Rs. 6.00/kVAh	Rs. 8.32/kVAh	Rs. 4.50/kVAh
2.2 Load factor above 40%	Rs. 8.32/kVAh	Rs. 6.40/kVAh	Rs. 8.32/kVAh	Rs. 4.80/kVAh

11. Consumers covered under Rate Schedule RTS-4 (Private Tube-wells / Pumping Sets) shall be given bills only two times a year i.e. by end of December (for period June to November) and end of June (for period December to May). The bill raised in December may be paid by the consumers either in lump-sum or in parts (not more than four times) till 30th April next year for which no DPS shall be levied. Similarly, bill raised in June may be paid by 31st October without any DPS.
12. In case of consumers (other than Domestic, Snow Bound and PTW categories) where electronic meters with MDI have been installed, if the maximum load/demand recorded in any month exceeds the contracted load/demand, such excess load / demand shall be levied twice the normal rate of fixed / demand charge as applicable. Such excess load penalty shall be levied only for the month in which maximum demands exceeds contracted load. However, no excess load penalty would be applicable on consumers having pre-paid connections.
13. In case of Rate Schedule RTS-5 (HT Industry), load factor shall be calculated as follows:

Consumption excluding the energy received through open access during the billing period $\times 100 / (\text{Maximum Demand or Contracted Demand whichever is less} \times \text{no. of hours in the billing period})$.

Provided that in cases where maximum demand during the month occurs in a period when open access is being availed by the consumer, then maximum demand for the purpose of computation of load factor shall be that occurring during the period when no open access is being availed.

14. Demand charges in respect of Rate Schedule RTS-5 (HT Industry) are based on billable demand, which shall be actual maximum demand or 75% of the contracted load, whichever is higher. However, if the minimum average supply to any HT Industry Consumer is less than 18 hours per day during the month, the Demand Charges applicable for such HT Industry Consumer shall be 80% of approved Demand Charges.
15. The billing cycle for industrial consumers having contracted demand of 3 MVA and above shall be on fortnightly basis (every 15 days) from the month of April, 2024.

16. Single Point Bulk Supply for Domestic, Non- Domestic and Mixed Load connections shall only be allowed for Sanctioned/Contracted Load above 75 kW with single point metering for further distribution to the end users. However, this shall not restrict the individual owner/occupier from applying for individual connection. Single Point Bulk Supply under "Domestic" shall only be applicable for Residential Colonies/Residential Multistoreyed Buildings including common facilities (such as Lifts, Common Lighting and Water Pumping system) of such Residential Colonies/Residential Multistoreyed Buildings. In case these Residential Colonies/Residential Multistoreyed Buildings also have some shops or other commercial establishments, the tariff of Mixed Load shall be applicable for such premises subject to conditions provided in the Rate Schedule of Mixed Load Category. Single Point Bulk Supply Under "Non-Domestic" shall only be applicable for Shopping Complexes/ Multiplex/ Malls. The person who has taken the single point supply shall be responsible for all payments of electricity charges to the Licensee. He is authorized to bill the end consumers as per the approved tariff for the single point bulk supply of the concerned category as per the Rate Schedule and the distribution licensee shall ensure the compliance of the same.
17. Voltage rebate / surcharge :
 - (i) For consumers having contracted load upto 75 kW/88 kVA and receiving supply at voltage above 400 Volts and upto 11 kV- a rebate of 5% on Energy Charge.
 - (ii) For consumers having contracted load above 75 kW/88 kVA and receiving supply at 400 Volts - an extra charge of 10% on Energy Charge.
 - (iii) For consumers having contracted load above 75kW/88 kVA and receiving supply at 33 kV - a rebate of 3.50% on Energy Charge.
 - (iv) For consumers having contracted load above 75 kW/88 kVA and receiving supply at 132 kV and above - a rebate of 7.5% on Energy Charge.

18. Continuous Supply to Industrial Consumers:

- (i) Only Continuous Process Industry consumers operating 24 hrs. a day and for 07 days in a week without any weekly off connected on either independent feeders or industrial feeder can opt for continuous supply. For industrial feeder, all connected industries will have to opt for continuous supply and in case any consumer on industrial feeder does not wish to opt for continuous supply, all the consumers on such feeder will not be able to avail continuous supply. Continuous process industry consumers who have opted for continuous supply shall continue to remain Continuous Supply Consumers and they need not apply again for seeking continuous supply. Such consumers shall pay 15% extra energy charges, in addition to the energy charges given above, w.e.f. April 01, 2024 till March 31, 2025. However, in case of any pending dispute with UPCL in the matter of continuous supply on certain feeders, those consumers will have to apply afresh, for availing the facility of continuous supply, by April 30, 2024.
- (ii) The existing continuous process industry consumers who are new applicants for continuous supply of power (including those who are applying afresh as per above) can apply for seeking the continuous supply option at any time during the year to Chief Engineer (Commercial), UPCL, VCV Gabar Singh Urja Bhawan, Kanwali Road, Dehradun. However, continuous supply surcharge for such consumers shall be applicable with effect from May 1, 2024 till March 31, 2025. UPCL shall provide the facility of continuous supply within 7 days from the date of application, subject to fulfillment of Conditions of Supply. The prescribed format of option (affidavit) is available in the office of Chief Engineer (Commercial) as well as website of UPCL at www.upcl.org

- (iii) In case of re-arrangement of supply through independent feeder, UPCL shall provide the facility of continuous supply from the date of completion of work of independent feeder subject to fulfillment of Conditions of Supply and the Continuous Supply Surcharge on such consumers shall be applicable from the date of energisation of aforesaid independent feeder till 31st March 2025, irrespective of actual period of continuous supply option.
 - (iv) In case of a new consumer (new connection) opting continuous supply, 15% extra energy charges as Continuous Supply Surcharge shall be applicable from the date of new connection till 31st March 2025, irrespective of the actual period of continuous supply.
 - (v) The existing continuous process industry consumers availing continuous supply option, who wish to discontinue the continuous supply option granted to them earlier, will have to communicate, in writing, to Chief Engineer (Commercial), UPCL, VCV Gabar Singh Urja Bhawan, Kanwali Road, Dehradun latest by April 30, 2024 and they shall continue to pay continuous supply surcharge alongwith the tariff approved in this Order till April 30, 2024. Further, in this regard, if due to withdrawal by one consumer from availing continuous supply option on a particular feeder, supplying to other continuous supply consumers as well, the status of other continuous supply consumers on that feeder is affected, then UPCL shall inform all the affected consumers in writing, well in advance.
 - (vi) The non continuous process industrial consumers will not have an option to avail continuous supply. The existing non continuous process industrial consumers who have opted for continuous supply will get continuous supply only till 30th April, 2024 and they shall continue to pay continuous supply surcharge alongwith the tariff approved in this Order till April 30, 2024.
19. Green Power Tariff @ Rs. 0.28/kWh shall be applicable for any consumer who intends to avail 100% power generated through only Renewable Sources. The prescribed application form for seeking the green power is available in the office of Chief Engineer (Commercial), UPCL, VCV Gabar Singh Urja Bhawan, Kanwali Road, Dehradun as well as website of UPCL at www.upcl.org. On the application of the consumer, Chief Engineer (Commercial), UPCL shall communicate the decision to the consumer in the matter.

20. **Prepaid Metering:**

The option of prepaid metering shall be available for all categories of consumers upto 25 kW load under LT Category. Prepaid Metering shall be mandatory for new Temporary LT connections, for Advertisements/Hoardings and for Government connections upto 25 kW. A rebate of 4% of energy charges for Domestic category (RTS-1 and RTS-1A) and 3% of energy charges for Other LT consumers shall be allowed to the consumers under the Prepaid Metering Scheme from the date of installation and operationalisation of Prepaid Meters. However, no rebate shall be applicable on Para 1 (i) of RTS-9, i.e. Temporary Supply for Illumination/Public Address/ceremonies and festivities/functions/ temporary shops not exceeding 3 months. Solar water heater rebate as provided in the Rate Schedule shall be applicable on prepaid consumers also subject to fulfillment of conditions provided therein. The detailed conditions/features of prepaid tariff are mentioned in the Tariff Order. Fixed Charge in respect of other Domestic consumers [para 2 (1.2) of the RTS -1] shall be Rs. 75/kW/month.

21. The Open access charges shall be as follows:

Particulars	Embedded Open Access Consumers who have been allowed open access upto the Contracted load		Other Open Access Consumers	
	HT Industry	Non-Domestic	HT Industry	Non-Domestic
Wheeling charges	(i) Rs. 2576/MW/day for consumers having load above 1000 kVA (ii) Rs. 4532/MW/day for consumers having load upto 1000 kVA	Rs. 12776/MW/day	Rs. 15990/MW/day	Rs. 15990/MW/day
Intra-State Transmission losses	1.40%	1.40%	1.40%	1.40%
Distribution losses	13.00%	13.00%	13.00%	13.00%
Cross subsidy surcharge	Rs. 0.63/kWh	Rs. 1.16/kWh	Rs. 0.63/kWh	Rs. 1.16/kWh

Wheeling charges shall not be levied on the Open Access Customers connected to the Transmission systems at 132 KV and above voltage levels.

22. The above tariff is enforced w.e.f. 01-04-2024 in the area of supply by Uttarakhand Power Corporation Limited and shall continue to be applicable till revised by Hon'ble Commission.
23. The approved tariff order dated 28-03-2024 of UERC and rate schedule are available at the Corporate Office i.e. VCV Gabar Singh Urja Bhawan, Kanwali Road, Dehradun as well as website of UPCL at www.upcl.org.

Managing Director

**Before Uttarakhand Power Corporation Limited,
VCV Gabar Singh Urja Bhawan, Kanwali Road, Dehradun**

In the matter of: **Application seeking continuous supply in accordance with the provisions of Retail Tariff Order dated 28-03-2024 issued by Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission.**

And

In the matter of: (Name and full address of the applicant consumer)

Affidavit

I, Sh./Smt., (S/o, W/o, D/o) Sh., (occupation)...., residing at), the deponent named above do hereby solemnly affirm and state on oath as under:

1. That the deponent is the Managing Director / Director who is authorized as per the resolution of the company dated (in case the applicant consumer is a company) and is acquainted with the facts deposed to below.
2. I, the deponent named above do hereby verify that the contents of Paragraph No.-1 of the affidavit and those of the following paragraphs are true to my personal knowledge and are based on legal advice which I believe to be true and verify that no part of this affidavit is false and nothing material has been concealed:
 - (i) That, the deponent has an electricity connection, the summary of which is as follows:

1	Name of Consumer	
2	Full Address where Electricity Supply is released including telephone, fax and email	
3	Contracted Load (KVA)	
4	Service Connection No. (K. No. of the Bill)	
5	Voltage of supply	
6	Registered Address of the Consumer (Postal & Nearest Landmark) including telephone, fax and email	
7	Purpose for which Supply is released	
8	Name of feeder from where the consumer is getting supply	
9	Status of the feeder from where the consumer is getting supply (Independent / Industrial)	
10	Name of Distribution Division where the consumer is being dealt with	

- (ii) That, the deponent is a Continuous Process Industry operating 24 hrs. a day and for 07 days in a week without any weekly off connected on independent / industrial feeder (whichever is applicable).
- (iii) That, the following other consumers are also connected on the feeder from where the deponent gets supply of electricity:

S. No.	Name & Address of Consumer	Contracted Load (KVA)	Service Connection No. (K. No.)
1			
2			
3			

- (iv) That, the deponent has gone through the provisions for taking continuous supply as mentioned in Tariff Order dated 28-03-2024 issued by Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission and eligible to avail continuous supply as per provisions of the Tariff Order.
- (v) That, the deponent is unconditionally agree to take continuous supply on the terms and conditions (including levy of continuous supply surcharge) as fixed by Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission in its Tariff Order dated 28-03-2024. The deponent also depose that, it will not raise any dispute in the matter before any authority / court of law etc at any time in future.

Deponent

I, Advocate, do hereby declare that the person making this affidavit is known to me through the perusal of records and I am satisfied that he is the same person alleging to be deponent himself.

(.....)

Advocate

Solemnly affirmed before me on this (date, month and year) by the deponent who has been identified by the aforesaid advocate.

I have satisfied myself by examining the deponent that he understood the contents of the affidavit which has been read over and explained to him. He has also been explained about section 193 of Indian Penal Code that whoever intentionally gives false evidence in any of the proceedings of the Commission or fabricates evidence for purpose of being used in any of the proceedings shall be liable for punishment as per law.

(Notary Public)

Application Form for Supply of 100% Green Power

As per provisions of Retail Tariff Order dated 28-03-2024 issued by Hon'ble Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission in petition no. 53 of 2023, I/We _____ (Consumer Name) apply to receive entire energy supplied to us by UPCL from Renewable Energy Sources i.e. Green Energy for FY 2024-25. My / our particulars are as follows:

1. Applicant's Full Name and Address : _____
2. Connection No. : _____
3. Consumer Existing Category : _____
4. Contact Details:
 - a. Email : _____
 - b. Mobile : _____
5. Contract Demand (kVA/kWh) : _____
6. Average Monthly Consumption (kWh) : _____
7. Green Power Requirement (kWh) : _____

Name of Consumer and Signature

Date : _____

UNDERTAKING

I/We _____ (Consumer Name) with Consumer No. _____ (Consumer No.) have submitted application to apply to receive entire energy supplied to us by UPCL from Renewable Energy Sources i.e. Green Energy.

I/We hereby declare that:

1. I/We have read the UERC Order dated 28/03/2024 (petition no. 53 of 2023) and agree to abide by the conditions mentioned therein.
2. I/We will deposit electricity dues, every month, along with the applicable green power tariff and other charges in addition to the applicable electricity tariff approved by the Hon'ble Commission.
3. I/We agree that the Green Energy Certificate issued by UPCL for the monthly consumption under this arrangement is non-negotiable.
4. I/We hereby declare that I/We am/are not an 'Obligated Entity' defined under Regulation 9 (1) of UERC (Tariff and Other Terms for Supply of Electricity from Renewable Energy Sources and non-fossil fuel based Co-Generating Stations) Regulations, 2023 amended from time to time.
5. I/We hereby declare that I/We shall not claim any Renewable Purchase Obligation against the Units consumed under this arrangement.

I/We agree to all the above terms and conditions

Name of Consumer and Signature

Date: _____