

Sr. No.	Particulars	Existing Charges (Rs.)	Proposed Charges (Rs.)	Basis of proposal
12	<b>Charges for Dishonored Cheques</b> (irrespective of cheque amounts) - for first instance	250	300	In line with CPI-IW
13	<b>Charges for Dishonored Cheques</b> (irrespective of cheque amounts) - for 2nd and subsequent instance	750	910	In line with CPI-IW
<b>D</b>	<b>Schedule of Charges related to Open Access</b>			
1	Open Access Processing fee per application	3000	3,600	In line with CPI-IW
2	Open Access Operating Charges per month	3000	3,600	In line with CPI-IW

AEML-D requested the Commission to approve the proposed Schedule of Charges for FY 2023-24 and FY 2024-25. However, AEML-D requested the Commission to maintain uniformity in the Service Connection Charges between AEML-D and TPC-D, as existing at present, as these charges are normative and hence, should not result in creating any artificial barriers for competition between the two Licensees.

### ***Commission's Analysis and Ruling***

In line with the MERC (Electricity Supply Code and Other Conditions of Supply) Regulations, 2005, AEML-D has sought approval for revision of certain components of “Schedule of Charges” (SoC) for the various services provided to the consumers.

The Commission observed that most of the charges have been proposed to increase in line with the CPI-WPI. The Commission feels that it is appropriate to increase the charges in line with the CPI and WPI.

AEML-D has requested that any consumer who switched over to TPC earlier and is willing to migrate back to AEML-D’s network, should not be levied Service Connection charges again, if adequate network of AEML-D is already present in the premises to provide connection. However, such a case is clearly a case of new connection, and hence, Service Connection Charges will be applicable.

The Commission approves the Schedule of Charges, as shown in the Table below:

**Table 7-4: Approved Schedule of Charges**

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Particulars</b>	<b>Existing Charges (Rs.)</b>	<b>Approved Charges (Rs.)</b>	<b>Basis</b>
<b>A</b>	<b>Application processing for New connections/ Reduction or addition of Load/Shifting of service/ Extension of service/Change of Tariff Category/Temporary Connection</b>			
	a) Single-phase	70	85	Increase in line with CPI - IW
	b) Three-phase	110	135	Increase in line with CPI - IW
	c) HT supply	280	350	Increase in line with CPI - IW
<b>B</b>	<b>Change of Name</b>			
	a) Single-phase	70	85	Increase in line with CPI - IW
	b) Three-phase	70	85	Increase in line with CPI - IW
	c) HT supply	220	275	Increase in line with CPI - IW
<b>C</b>	<b>Service Connection Charges</b>			
<b>1</b>	<b>L.T. Supply</b>			
	<b>Single Phase</b>			
	For loads up to 5 kW	2,000	2,400	Increase in line with WPI
	For loads above 5 kW and upto 10 kW	2,000	2,400	Increase in line with WPI
	<b>Three Phase</b>			
	Motive power upto 27 HP or other loads upto 20 kW	3,000	3,650	Increase in line with WPI
	Motive power > 27 HP but <= 67 HP or other loads >20 kW but <= 50 kW	6,500	7,900	Increase in line with WPI
	Motive power > 67 HP but <= 134 HP or other loads >50 kW but <= 100 kW	12,000	14,500	Increase in line with WPI
	Motive power >134 HP but <= 201 HP or other loads >100 kW but <=160 kW	12,000	14,500	Increase in line with WPI
	Above 160 kW	2,50,000	3,00,000	Increase in line with WPI

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	Alternate Fire Fighting Connection (Single phase or three phase)	-	At actual	In line with Supply Code Regulations, 2021
	Provision for Dedicated Distribution Facility to LT consumer	-	At actual	In line with Order dated 12.06.2017, in Case No. 182 of 2014
<b>2</b>	<b>H.T. Supply</b>			
	If line extended from existing network			
	For loads upto 500 kVA	3,50,000	4,25,000	Increase in line with WPI
	For loads above 500 kVA	4,00,000	4,90,000	Increase in line with WPI
	Provision for Dedicated Distribution Facility to HT consumer	At actual	At actual	Kept at the same level
<b>3</b>	<b>Temporary Connection (LT or HT)</b>	At actual	At actual	Kept at the same level
<b>4</b>	<b>Extension of Load:</b> (c) charges will be applicable on the incremental load, in case no upgradation of network is required (d) If upgradation is required, charges will be applicable on total load (existing load + incremental demanded)	As in Sr. No.1,2, 3 & 4 above	As proposed in Sr. No.1,2, 3 & 4 above	In line with WPI
<b>5</b>	<b>Supervision Charges in case work is carried out by Licensed Electrical Contractor (LEC)</b>			
	For providing HT supply	15,000	18,750	In line with CPI-IW
	For providing LT supply to three phase Industrial/Commercial Consumers only	6,000	7,500	In line with CPI-IW
<b>D</b>	<b>Miscellaneous and General Charges</b>			
<b>1</b>	<b>Re-connection Charges</b>			
	a) Re-installation of fuse cut-out	150	180	In line with CPI-IW
	b) Re-installation of meter	450	550	In line with CPI-IW
	c) HT Supply	730	900	In line with CPI-IW
	d) Re-connection of Service Cable	1120	1,400	In line with CPI-IW

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<b>2</b>	<b>Shifting of Meter, if carried out only on consumer's request</b>			
	Single-Phase	150	180	In line with CPI-IW
	Three-Phase	290	350	In line with CPI-IW
<b>3</b>	<b>Shifting of services, if carried out only on consumer's request</b>			
	Single-Phase	At Actual	At Actual	Kept at the same level
	Three-Phase	At Actual	At Actual	Kept at the same level
<b>4</b>	<b>Meter Testing on site on Consumer's request</b>			
	Single-Phase	150	180	In line with CPI-IW
	Three-Phase	510	630	In line with CPI-IW
<b>5</b>	<b>Meter Testing at Laboratory</b>			
	Single-Phase	290	350	In line with CPI-IW
	Three-Phase	730	900	In line with CPI-IW
	HT Tri-vector/TOD meter	1460	1,800	In line with CPI-IW
	Meter testing at Government approved laboratory	At actual	At actual	Kept at same level
<b>6</b>	<b>Cost of Meter (applicable when consumer opts to purchase the meter from AEML-D &amp; in case of Lost or Burnt meter)</b>			
	Single-Phase meter	1400	3500	As per standard cost sheet submitted to the Commission (for smart meter)
	Three Phase whole current meter	4100	4700	As per standard cost sheet submitted to the Commission (for smart meter)
	Three Phase CT operated meter	5500	10500	As per standard cost sheet submitted to the Commission (for smart meter)
	HT TOD meter	6200	7,750	In line with CPI-IW
	ABT compliant meter	At actual	At actual	Kept at same level
<b>7</b>	<b>First visit Charges (Only for new connection or additional supply request)</b>	110	135	In line with CPI-IW
<b>8</b>	<b>Charges for Additional copies of test reports (Rs./page)</b>	1	1	In line with CPI-IW

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9	<b>Photocopying of Regulatory Orders etc.</b> (Rs./Page)	1	1	In line with CPI-IW
10	<b>Duplicate copy of each monthly bill</b> (Rs./Bill)	2	2	In line with CPI-IW
11	<b>Statement of Accounts</b> (Rs./Page)	3	3	In line with CPI-IW
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Further, in order to ensure a level playing field and as prayed for by both AEML-D and TPC-D, the Commission has approved the same Schedule of Charges for both AEML-D and TPC-D applicable from this Order.