WEST BENGAL ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

(Procedure for Accreditation of a Renewable Generation Project for REC Mechanism) Regulations, 2013, Dated: 02-04-2013

SI. No.	Description	Summary
1.	Control Period	N.A.
2.	State Agency	The Commission designates SLDC as the State Agency
3.	Fees and Charges	 One time application processing fees: Rs. 1000/- per application shall be payable at the time of submitting application for accreditation to State Agency. One time accreditation charges: Rs. 5000/- per application shall be payable to the State Agency upon grant of accreditation. Annual charges for accreditation: Rs. 1000/- per annum per application shall be payable by April 10, for each fiscal year (or each anniversary date from the date of initial accreditation). Accreditation charges for revalidation/ extension of validity: Rs. 5000/- per application shall be payable at the time of revalidation/ extension of validity of existing accreditation at the end of five years. Taxes and duties on fee and charges shall be applicable as per prevailing norms.
4.	Event of Default	 Non-payment or delay in payment of annual accreditation charges by Eligible Entity beyond 15 days from due date of payment of such annual accreditation charges. Non-compliance of any of the terms/ conditions/ rules outlined under this procedure by Eligible Entity. Non-compliance of any of the directives issued by State Agency, so long as such directives are not inconsistent with any of the provisions of CERC REC Regulations and different Regulations of this Commission and are in accordance with the functions and within the powers outlined for State Agency.
5.	Consequences for Event of Default	 Occurrence of any of the event of default by Eligible Entity shall result into revocation of accreditation granted to such Eligible Entity for that RE generation project. However, the State Agency shall provide adequate notice and chance to Eligible Entity to present its case before serving the notice for termination of accreditation, which shall not be for period lower than 14 days. In case Eligible Entity fails to address/ rectify the default expressed by the State Agency in the notice within stipulated time period of 14 days, the State Agency shall proceed with revocation of accreditation granted to such Eligible Entity. Upon revocation of accreditation, the State Agency shall inform the same to the Commission, Central Agency, State Load Despatch Centre and concerned distribution licensee, within period of 7 days from the date of such revocation.