



**TAMIL NADU ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION  
CHENNAI**

**Notification No. TNERC/DC/8 – 12 dated 24-08-2009.**

WHEREAS it is considered necessary to issue certain amendments to the regulations in Tamil Nadu Electricity Distribution Code and such amendments shall be subject to the condition of the previous publication and accordingly undergone such previous publication;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 181 read with Section 46 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (Central Act 36 of 2003) and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission hereby specifies the following amendments to the Tamil Nadu Electricity Distribution Code (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Code) issued under Notification No. TNERC /SC / 8 / 1 / Dated 21.07.2004 and published in Part VI –Section 2 of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette dated 1<sup>st</sup> September 2004.

**1. Short title and Commencement**

**(a)** This code may be called the **Tamil Nadu Electricity Distribution (Amendment) Code 2009.**

**(b)** It shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette

**2. Amendment of regulation 29 of the Principal Code:**

For clause (ii) of sub-regulation (12) of regulation 29 of the Principal Code, the following clause shall be substituted, namely:-

*“(ii) Space as per the following norms shall be allotted for establishment of a sub station/ switching station in places of group housing / commercial complex where the total demand exceeds 5 MVA. These areas shall be specifically shown in the plan.*

*The requirement of land for establishment of Sub-Stations shall not exceed the limit given below:*

| <b><i>Voltage level of the Sub-Station</i></b> | <b><i>Land Requirement in Sq.mts.</i></b> |                                   |
|--|---|-----------------------------------|
|  | <b><i>Normal Sub-Station</i></b>          | <b><i>Compact Sub-Station</i></b> |
| <i>33 KV Sub-Station</i>                       | <i>1520 (indoor)<br/>3160 (outdoor)</i>   | <i>225</i>                        |
| <i>110 KV Sub-Station</i>                      | <i>4000 (outdoor)</i>                     | <i>1050</i>                       |
| <i>230 KV Sub-Station</i>                      | <i>16000 (outdoor)</i>                    | <i>1750</i>                       |

***Note:-***

*(a) in places situated within 60 Kilo Meters from the periphery of the Metropolitan / Corporation limit, the licensee may establish the Compact Sub-Station;*

*(b) in places situated within 30 Kilo Meters from the periphery of the Municipality limit, the licensee may establish the Compact Sub-Station;*

*(c) in places situated within 10 Kilo Meters from the periphery of the Town Panchayat limit, the licensee may establish the Compact Sub-Station;*

*(d) in other places, the licensee may establish the Sub-Station of his choice*

*(e) the land area should have the proper approach road atleast on any one side of the land for easy transporting of power transformer*

*(f) the dimension of the land area shall be as per the suggestions of the Licensee to the consumer”*

**(By order of the Commission)**

**Secretary  
Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission**