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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

NOTIFICATION

The 30th March 2006

Orissa Electricity Regulatory Commission
(Annual Report) Rules, 2006

No. 2973—R & R-II-1/2006-En.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Clause (i) of Section 180, read with Section 105 of the Electricity Act, 2003(36 of 2003), the State Government do hereby make the following rules, namely: -

1. Short title and commencement

(1) These rules may be called the Orissa Electricity Regulatory Commission (Annual Report) Rules, 2006.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the *Orissa Gazette*.

2. Definitions

In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,—

- (a) “Act” means the Electricity Act, 2003;
- (b) “Annual Report” means the Annual Report of the Commission ;
- (c) “Appendix” means an Appendix appended to these Rules;
- (d) All other words and expressions used in these rules but not defined, and defined in the Act shall have the same meaning respectively assigned to them in the Act.

3. Format

Commission shall submit a summary of the Commission’s activities during the previous year in the format appended to these rules at Appendix-I.

4. Forwarding the Annual Report

The Commission shall forward to the State Government Annual Report of its activities during the previous year within December each year.

5. Laying of Annual Report

The State Government shall cause to be laid copy of the Annual Report before the State Legislature as soon as it is received under rule (4) of these rules.

6. Removal of the difficulties

If any difficulty arises in giving effect to any provision of these rules, the State Government may, by order make such provisions not inconsistent with the provisions of the Act and these rules, for removing the difficulty.

APPENDIX —I

(See rule 3)

**ORISSA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
FORMAT OF ANNUAL REPORT****CHAPTERS**

1. Mission Statement
2. Overview
3. Messages
4. Profile of the Chairperson and Members
5. Activities of the Commission relating to, —
 - (a) Tariff
 - (b) Monitoring the Licensee activities
 - (c) Consumer Interest
 - (d) Dispute adjudication
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6. State Advisory Committee meeting
7. Annual Statement of Accounts as prepared in terms of the OERC (Forms of Annual Statement of Accounts) Rules.
8. Annexes—
 - (a) List of Officers and staff of the Commission
 - (b) Minutes of the State Advisory Committee meeting
 - (c) Organisation chart
 - (d) Training attended.

By order of the Governor

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