

SELF-CERTIFICATION / UNDERTAKING

Full Name of the Applicant/Consumer: _____

LT Service Category: ☐ Domestic ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Others

Type of Service: ☐ New Connection ☐ Load Enhancement

Total Connected Load Applied (kVA/kW/HP): _____ (not exceeding 100 kVA / 85 kW / 114 HP)

Address of the Premises: _____

Existing Service Details (if any): _____

I, _____, S/o _____, the legal owner / lessee of the premises, hereby declare and agree to the following:

1. About the Premises

- I am in lawful possession of the site. It is not owned by the government or any government undertaking, and it is free from any ongoing civil or legal dispute.
- All pending dues or arrears on any existing service connection in these premises have been fully paid.
- To the best of my knowledge, no other service connection (active or disconnected) exists or previously existed in these premises, in my name or any other name, other than the one mentioned above. If such a connection is later found with unpaid dues, I take full financial responsibility and will clear all those arrears immediately.
- If it is found that multiple connections exist or are being sought for the same premises, my application may be summarily rejected/cancelled as per the Electricity Act and Departmental guidelines, and the fees and security deposit I have paid will be forfeited.

2. About Usage and Tariff

- I will use the power strictly as per the tariff category applied for. If the Department finds that my actual usage does not match this category, it may assign the appropriate tariff category, and I will raise no objection to this reassignment.

3. About Network Availability

- If the existing network infrastructure cannot support my demand, I agree to wait until the Department completes the required work as per the JERC (Standard Operating Procedure for Distribution Licensees).
- Alternatively, in case of urgency, I may carry out the necessary work at my own cost, strictly under the technical guidance and supervision of the Department and in compliance with prevailing regulations.

4. Self-Certification of Internal Wiring, Earthing and Safety

In pursuance of G.O.Ms.No.18 dated 11-05-2026 of the Industrial Development (Power) Department, I solemnly affirm and self-certify that:

- The entire internal electrical wiring, from the point of supply/metering up to all end-use points in the premises, has been executed by a validly licensed, certified Electrical Contractor, in strict conformance with the guidelines/safety rules detailed in the Annexure, for the applied tariff category.
- The entire internal wiring is structurally sound, secure, free from defects, and equipped with functional, standard-compliant earthing.
- I certify that no HT or LT overhead electrical line passes through my premises. Where such lines exist in the vicinity of the premises, I certify that the prescribed horizontal and vertical safety clearances from all HT/LT overhead electrical lines are maintained.
- I will maintain the internal wiring and earthing in a safe and standard-compliant condition throughout the period of supply.

5. Conditions for Getting the Connection

- My service connection may be withheld if any safety or compliance defect is found, such as improper earthing, improper provisioning of the meter, unsafe wiring in service mains and cut-outs, improper metering infrastructure for the requested tariff category and load, or any violation of the norms for extension of service. If I fail to rectify such defects within the specified time, my application may be cancelled and my fees and security deposit forfeited.
- Merely submitting an application and paying the security deposit and related charges does not entitle me to a service connection. The connection remains strictly subject to compliance with all established norms and regulatory guidelines.

6. Liability (Binding on Me, My Legal Heirs, Assigns and Representatives)

- If any electrical leakage, short-circuit, equipment burnout, fire outbreak, or any fatal or non-fatal injury to any person or animal occurs within the premises because of my internal wiring, I alone hold sole, exclusive and absolute responsibility under civil and criminal law.
- If any defect, back-feed, overloading, or short-circuit originating from my internal wiring causes any flashover, breakdown, injury to any person or Department personnel or animal, or damage to the Department's distribution transformer, lines, service cables, energy meter, or adjacent properties, I will unconditionally bear the entire cost of replacement, repair and restoration as determined by the Department.
- If the Department detects any anomaly, safety hazard, violation of the applied tariff category, unauthorised extension of load, or any false/misleading information in this self-certification, at any time after the connection is effected, it may disconnect my power supply immediately without prior notice, without prejudice to criminal proceedings under the Electricity Act.
- *(If I am a lessee)* the Department may disconnect the power supply immediately once my lease agreement expires and intimated by lessor.

7. Other Acknowledgements

- This connection is being provided/enhanced based solely on this self-certification, without physical inspection by the Department.
- The extension of power supply does not constitute or imply any legal proof of ownership of, or authority over, the property, and I undertake that this service connection record will not be relied upon as proof of title or authority.
- I consent to the Department inspecting the premises at any time after the connection is established, without prior notice, and I will provide unrestricted access and full cooperation during such inspections.
- The Electricity Department, Government of Puducherry, and all its officers, engineers and staff shall not be held liable, responsible or accountable for any financial loss, claims or damages, or any civil or criminal consequences, arising from any accident, injury, fire hazard or property damage caused by my defective or unsafe internal wiring, or from any suppression of facts or false/misleading information in my application, allied documents or this self-certification.

☐ I declare that I have read and fully understood the contents of this undertaking, that I am aware of my responsibilities and obligations under it, and that all information provided is true to the best of my personal knowledge. I explicitly agree that ticking the online checkbox and submitting this form constitutes a legally binding, valid and irrevocable agreement under law.

Date:

Place:

Digital / Physical Signature of the Applicant