

Serene Electricity Distribution Licensee

Division of Mindspace Business Parks Pvt. Ltd.
(Formerly Know as Serene Properties Pvt. Ltd.)



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MBPPL/Power/2016-17/278

Circular

Subject: Electricity Duty Exemption for new Information Technology or Information Technology Enabled services units

Reference: Government of Maharashtra Notification no. ELD.2015/CR. 147/NRG-1 dated 19th January 2016.

Greetings!!!

In exercise of powers conferred by section 5A of the Maharashtra Electricity Duty Act (XL of 1958), the Government of Maharashtra vide notification dated 19th January 2016 exempts the consumption of energy in respect of the class premises used by the said units mentioned below, from the payment of whole of the electricity duty payable under Part F of the schedule appended to the said Act, for the period mentioned below.

Sr. No.	Premises of Units	Period
3.	The new IT or ITES units and Data Centres in IT SEZs, new IT or ITES units and Data centres in IT Parks in SEZs, and 100% exporting IT or ITES under registration of STPI or other designated competent authority shall be exempted from payment of electricity duty.	Permanently.

*-The exemption shall commence with effect from the date when the unit specified above start production or rendering the services.

To simplify the process of exempting the Electricity Duty to eligible consumers the mechanism for processing of the Electricity Duty exemption cases will be as follows:

1. The eligible consumer will make an application in the prescribed format attached herewith.
2. Along with the application Consumer has to produce
 - I. Registration certificate of Directorate of Industry or Software Technology Parks of India (STPI) or Competent authority:
 - II. Month wise statement of Electricity Duty paid during the exempted period signed by authorized signatory for claiming Electricity Duty Refund.

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3. On receipt of an application from the consumer, exemption shall be given after due verification of the documents regarding the eligibility as mentioned above. The exemption would be effective immediately in next billing cycle.
4. The Electricity refund will be given upon receipt of clearance from Duty Inspector, through adjustment against arrears if any or current bills only. In no circumstances the request of the refund in cash shall be entertained.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Authorised Signatory

Suhas Ambade (Associate Vice President)

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