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**ELECTRICITY ACT**  
(Cap. 128)

**ELECTRICITY (CHARGES FOR SUPPLY)(NO. 2) REGULATIONS 2023**

I, Hon. Bradley Tovosia, Minister for Mines, Energy and Rural Electrification, and I, Hon. Harry Kuma, Minister for Finance and Treasury, under section 55(v) of the *Electricity Act* (Cap. 128) and with reference to section 26 of the *State Owned Enterprises Act 2007* (Act No. 7 of 2007), on the recommendation of the Authority, make the following Regulations:

**1 Citation**

These Regulations may be cited as the Electricity (Charges for Supply)(No. 2) Regulations:

**2 Commencement**

These Regulations commence in 1 February 2023

**3 Definition**

In these Regulations:

“*non-regular customer*” means a customer who owns a generation facility and is connected through a kilowatt metre.

#### 4 Charges for supply of electricity

The rates of the charges for the supply of electricity from Authority public installations:

- (a) for prepared customers are specified in Schedule 1; and
- (b) for postpaid customers are specified in Schedule 2; and
- (c) for non-regular customers are specified in Schedule 3.

#### 5 Repeal

The *Electricity (Charges for supply) Regulations 2023* (Legal Notice No. 276 of 2022) are repealed.

#### SCHEDULE 1 PREPAID CUSTOMERS

Customer Categories	Consumption Block	Non-Fuel SBD/kWh	Fuel Charge SBD/kWh	Total Energy Charge SBD/kWh
Domestic	<50kWh	3.61	3.64	7.25
Domestic	50-200kWh	4.15	3.64	7.79
Domestic	>200kWh	4.70	3.64	8.34
Commercial	All	3.62	3.64	7.26
Industrial	All	3.47	3.64	7.11

#### SCHEDULE 2 POSTPAID CUSTOMERS

Customer Categories	Consumption Block	Non-Fuel SBD/kWh	Fuel Charge SBD/kWh
Domestic	<50kWh	3.61	3.64
Domestic	50-200kWh	4.15	3.64
Domestic	>200kWh	4.70	3.64
Commercial	All	3.62	3.64
Industrial	All	3.47	3.64

#### SCHEDULE 3 NON-REGULAR CUSTOMERS

Customer Categories	Consumption Block	Demand Charge SBD/kW/month	Fuel Charge SBD/kWh
Domestic	All	1,120.84	3.64
Commercial	All	1,120.84	3.64
Industrial	All	1,120.84	3.64

Dated this thirty-first day of January 2023.

**HON. BRADLEY TOVOSIA**  
MINISTER FOR MINES, ENERGY  
AND RURAL ELECTRIFICATION

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**HON. HARRY KUMA**  
MINISTER FOR FINANCE  
AND TREASURY

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