

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RATE REVIEW BY ABA POWER LIMITED ELECTRIC

Pursuant to Section 116 (1) and 2(a&b) of the Electricity Act 2023 and other extant rules, APLE has filed an application for rate case review with the Commission. Aba Power Limited Electric ("APLE") is the Electricity Distribution Company licensed by the Nigerian Electricity Regulatory Commission (the "Commission") to distribute power in the Aba Ring Fence Area ("ARFA") of Abia State. Since acquisition of the ARFA, APLE has undertaken investments for network enhancement and improved quality of supply.

The rate review application is premised on the need for APLE to incorporate changes in generation/fuel cost, macroeconomic parameters and other factors that have substantially affected the operational efficiency of the company.

The Commission hereby invites the general public for comments on the rate case application by APLE. Interested stakeholders are advised to review the Consultation Paper and the Rate Case Application filed with the Commission by APLE. Both documents can be accessed on the Commission's website at www.nerc.gov.ng/media/aple-rate-review-2024.

As part of the rate review process and in exercise of the power conferred by the Electricity Act, the Commission shall conduct a rate case hearing on the application prior to making a ruling. Any person wishing to participate in the proceedings as an intervenor should forward his/her application to tariff@nerc.gov.ng within fourteen (14) days from the date of Publication of this notice. The Request to Participate shall include the following:

- i. An explanation of the person's interest in the proceeding and how the party would be affected by the outcome of the Application; and
- ii. A description of the party's concerns, observations comments and/or objections to the application.

All members of the public and stakeholders are encouraged to send their comments or representations to the following address:

The Chairman/CEO
The Nigerian Electricity Regulatory Commission
Plot 1387 Cadastral Zone A00
Central Business District
Abuja
Or

By e-mail: tariff@nerc.gov.ng