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PRESS RELEASE

The Regulator is empowered under the *Electricity Act 2010* to set all electricity tariffs. The Regulator recently approved new electricity tariffs for the Electric Power Corporation ("EPC") which did not encompass an additional .50 sene service charge.

The .50 sene service charge that was levied on electricity consumers buying cash-power at \$20tala or less has now been removed and is no longer in effect. The Office of the Regulator will continue to monitor the situation to ensure compliance with the approved tariffs.

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