KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD

Abstract

Tariff applicable to Tea Blending & Packing Units - LT-VII(A) Commercial Tariff - sanctioned - orders issued.

Corporate Office (Commercial & Tariff)

B.O (MF)No.2192/2009 (KSEB/TRAC/COMP(R)/14/09) Thiruvananthapuram Dated 20-08-2009

- Read: 1. Judgment dated 18-03-2009 in W.P.(C) No. 7586/2008 filed by M/s. PLL Industries, Mattancherry by the Hon. High Court of Kerala.
 - 2. Petition No. TP-65/2009 dated 28-05-2009 filed by KSE Board before the Hon. Kerala State Electricity Regulatory Commission.
 - 3. Order of the Hon. Kerala State Electricity Regulatory Commission in Petition No. TP-65/2009 dated 15-07-2009.
 - 4. Note No. KSEB/TRAC/COMP(R)/14/09 dated 11-08-2009 of the Chief Engineer (Commercial & Tariff).

ORDER

Hon. High Court of Kerala vide Judgment dated 18-03-2009 in W.P.(C) No. 7586/2008 filed by M/s. PLL Industries, Mattancherry directed KSE Board to file a petition in the matter of tariff applicable to Tea Blending & Packing Units before the Hon. Kerala State Electricity Regulatory Commission (KSERC).

The Board filed petition No. TP-65/2009 dated 28-05-2009 before KSERC requesting LT-VII(A) tariff for the Tea Blending & Packing Unit of M/s. PLL Industries, Mattancherry. Hon. Commission while disposing the petition on 15-07-2009 had issued orders that "the process of blending that is undergoing within the premises of the respondent M/s. PLL Industries, CC VI/619, Bazar Road, Mattancherry, Cochin 682 002 cannot be treated as an industrial activity. Hence they are to be classified under LT-VII(A) Commercial Tariff and not under LT-IV IndustrialTariff".

Having considered the Note of the Chief Engineer (Commercial & Tariff) read as paper (4) above, the Board hereby accords sanction to bill the Tea Blending & Packing Unit of M/s. PLL Industries, CC VI/619, Bazar Road, Mattancherry, Cochin 682 002 under LT-VII(A) Commercial Tariff from the date of effecting service connection. Penalty for the unauthorized additional load detected during the inspection on 13-02-2008 may be recovered as per rules under LT-VII (A) (Commercial) tariff.

The Board further orders that all Tea Blending & Packing Units may be brought under the category LT-VII(A) Commercial from the date of effecting service connection and all such consumers may be served with an additional bill for the difference in tariff with details.

If the consumer prefers for ONE TIME SETTLEMENT PACKAGE, a surcharge of only 9 % may be offered.

By order of the Board

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Sd/-G.Sreekumaran Secretary

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