KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD

Abstract

ISO Certification – Accreditation of Meter Testing Units of KSE Board with NABL – Engaging Consultancy – Sanctioned – Orders issued.

LAW SECTION

B.O. M(T&D) No.259/2010 (LA.V/5751/2009). Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 25.01.2010.

- Read:- (1) Judgement dated 07.07.2006 of the Division Bench of the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala in W.A. No.1837/2005.
 - (2) Notification No.502/70/CEA/DP&D of the Central Electricity Authority of India dated 17.03.2006 as published in the Gazette of India Extra Ordinary, Part III Section 4 dated 22.03.2006.
 - (3) Letter No.TMR/AKY/Meter/09-10/827 dated 08.12.2009 of the Executive Engineer, TMR Division, Angamali.

ORDER

Section 55 of the Electricity Act, 2003 mandates that the licensee shall supply electricity only through a correct meter in accordance with the regulations framed by the Central Electricity Authority (CEA). As per Notification read as 2nd paper, the Central Electricity Authority issued the Central Electricity Authority (Installation and Operation of Meters) Regulation, 2006. Clause 17(2) of the above regulation requires licensees to get the accreditation of the meter testing laboratories from the National Accreditation Board of Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL).

The KSE Board therefore decided to obtain accreditation to its Meter Testing Units. The Executive Engineer, TMR Division, Angamali has visited the Central Power Research Institute, a Government of India Enterprises with NABL certification in this connection. The Executive Engineer, TMR Division, Angamali reported vide paper read as 3rd that, ISO Certification is necessary for getting accreditation of NABL. The Board considered the matter and pleased to issue sanction for engaging consultancy for obtaining ISO Certification to the Meter Testing Units of KSE Board.

Therefore, it is ordered that the Executive Engineer, TMR Division, Angamali shall take immediate steps to engage a competent consultant for the purpose of getting ISO Certification to the TMR Division, Angamali for the purpose of obtaining NABL accreditation, in consultation with the Board.

By Order of the Board, Sd/-G. SREEKUMARAN, SECRETARY.

To

The Executive Engioneer, TMR Division, KSE Board, Angamali.

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Senior Superintendent