# KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD

## **ABSTRACT**

Waiver of minimum demand charges/fixed charges for electricity in respect of all the closed LT/HT Industrial units and plantations – Implementation of the Government Order – Sanctioned – Orders issued -

#### **CORPORATE OFFICE (COMMERCIAL CELL)**

B.O. (FB) No.2081/09 (Plg.Com 4576/Waiver of MD/08/) Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 11.08.2009

Read: - 1. B.O. (FB) No: 965/2007 (Plg.Com 4576/07)/391 dated 21.04.2007.

- 2. G.O. (Rt) No: 209/2008/PD dated 02.08.2008.
- 3. B.O. (FB) No.2164/08 (Plg.Com. 4576/Waiver of MD/08) dated 30.08.2008.
- 4. G.O. (Rt) No.161/2009/PD dated 06.07.2009.
- Note No. Plg.Com. 4576/04/09-10 dated 25.07.2009 of the Secretary, K S F Board
- 6. Proceedings of the Board meeting dated 29.07.2009 (Agenda item No. 154/09)

## ORDER

Government vide G.O. read as 4<sup>th</sup> paper above had ordered waiver of minimum demand charges/fixed charges for electricity for the period of closure in respect of all closed HT/LT Plantations and Industrial units which will be restarting their operation on or before 31.03.2010.

- I. The Board in its meeting held on 29.07.2009 decided to accord sanction to adopt the G.O. (Rt) No: 161/2009/PD dated 06.07.2009 for implementation in the K.S.E.Board subject to the following conditions.
  - To extend the cut-off date for waiver of MD charges/fixed charges in respect of closed industrial units/plantations specified in the G.O. (Rt) No: 209/2008/PD dated 02.08.2008 for a further period upto 31.03.2010.
  - 2) The firm availing the benefit of waiver shall have to function for a minimum period of 6 months after re-opening, failing which the benefit will be withdrawn.
  - 3) Government Order shall be applicable only to the units reopening on or before 31.03.2010 and subject to the condition that the package for repayment will be considered by the Board by processing individual cases of HT plantations and industrial units on production of a certificate regarding closure and reopening obtained from the competent authority, viz., General Manager, District Industries Centre. In the case of LT plantations/industrial units, the Deputy Chief Engineer of the concerned Electrical Circles shall be authorized to sanction the waiver of fixed charges after verifying the genuineness of the application on production of the certificate from competent authority, viz., General Manager, District Industries Centre. The Deputy Chief Engineer shall intimate the details of the consumer and the financial liability, to the Chief Engineer (Commercial & Tariff) for taking up the matter with Government for reimbursement.
  - 4) To extend the benefit of waiver of MD charges to consumers whose service connection was dismantled, if they re-open on or before 31.03.2010.
  - 5) To effect the reconnection on remittance of 1/3<sup>rd</sup> of arrears and interest for instalment and allowing a maximum of six instalments for the balance amount subject to the condition that arrear instalments and monthly electricity charges shall be paid promptly by the consumer failing which, waiver of MD/fixed charges for closed period will be withdrawn and supply disconnected.

- 6) When there are more than one spell of closure intervened by a spell of operation, the last spell of closure only shall be taken for granting waiver of minimum demand/fixed charge.
- **II.** Board also decided to request Government to pay in advance or reimburse to K.S.E.Board, the amount of minimum demand charge/ fixed charge waived on account of implementation of the G.O. dated 06.07.2009.

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Board Sd/-G. Sreekumaran Secretary

To

The Chief Engineer (Distribution - South), K.S.E.Board, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Chief Engineer (Distribution - Central), K.S.E.Board, Ernakulam.

The Chief Engineer (Distribution - North), K.S.E.Board, Kozhikode.

The Chief Engineer (Transmission- South), K.S.E.Board, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Chief Engineer (Transmission- North), K.S.E.Board, Kozhikode.

The Chief Engineer (System Operations), K.S.E.Board, Kalamassery, Ernakulam.

The Chief Engineer (Generation), K.S.E.Board, Moolamattom.

The Chief Engineer (HRM), KSE Board, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Chief Engineer (Corporate Planning), K.S.E.Board, Thiruvananthapuram

The Chief Engineer (Commercial & Tariff), K.S.E.Board, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Financial Adviser, K.S.E.Board.

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The Deputy Chief Engineer, Transmission Circle, K.S.E.Board,

Thiruvananthapuram/ Kottarakkara/ Alappuzha/ Poovanthuruth/ Kalamassery/

Thrissur/ Palakkad/ Kozhikode/ Malappuram/ Kannur.

The Deputy Chief Engineer, CGRF, K.S.E.Board, Vydyuthi Bhavanam, Kottarakkara/ Power House Road, Kochin -18/ Gandhi Road, Kozhikode

The Chief Internal Auditor/ The CVO KSEB/ The LA & DEO, K.S.E.Board.

The Director (IT)/The Deputy Chief Engineer, APTS/TRAC/The Special Officer (Revenue)/ The Joint Secretary (Law)/The Joint Director, MIS (Computerization Cell)/ The PRO, K.S.E.Board.

T.A to Chairman/Member (Distribution)/ Member (Transmission)/ Member (Generation)/ PA to Member (Finance)/ Sr. CA to Secretary, K.S.E.Board

The Regional Audit Officer, K.S.E.Board, Thiruvananthapuram/ Nedumangad/ Kollam/ Kottarakkara/ Adoor/ Alappuzha/ Kottayam/ Pala/ Thodupuzha/ Ernakulam/ Perumbavoor/ Thrissur/ Chalakkudy/ Manjeri/ Palakkad/ Kozhikode/ Kalpetta/ Kannur/ Vatakara/ Tirur/ Kasaragod/ Shoranur/ Sreekantapuram.

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Sd/ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE ENGINEER