



KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED

(Incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956)
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Abstract

Demand and acceptance of bribe - Criminal case against Sri.T.C Yohannan, then Sub Engineer of Electrical Major Section, Puthanathani - Discontinuation of family pension of Smt. Rahelamma - Orders issued.

CORPORATE OFFICE (VIGILANCE WING)

BO(FTD)No: 99/2024 (VIG/B1/6889/2002) ⁶⁶⁰ Tvp, Dtd: 04/03/2024

- Read:-
1. Proceedings No. EB1/5156/02/3030 dated 16.10.2002 of Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Manjeri.
 2. Proceedings No. EBVS.7/5/04/1144 dated 24.07.2004 of the Chief Engineer (HRM).
 3. Proceedings No.Vig/B1/6889/02/1056 dated 29.04.2014 of the Chairman & Managing Director.
 4. Judgment dated 24.05.2023 in CRL. A No. 1306/2013 of the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala.
 5. Note No. Vig/B1/6889/2002 dated 26.12.2023 of the CVO to the Full Time Directors (Agenda No.11-03/2024).

ORDER

Sri. T.C Yohannan while working as Sub Engineer of Electrical Major Section, Puthanathani was arrested on 10.10.2002 by the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Malappuram while demanding and accepting bribe of Rs. 1000/- from Sri.K.Unnikrishanan, a registered wireman for getting a UG Cable supply to the house of one Sri. P.K. Kunhippa of Kolathol. He was suspended from service for grave misconduct and dereliction of duty vide proceedings read as 1st above. A crime case was registered against him by Vigilance & Anti Corruption Bureau Unit, Malappuram under Section 7 and 3(1) (d) read with 13(2) of Prevention of corruption Act 1988. Later Sri. T.C Yohannan, Sub Engineer was reinstated in service as per proceedings read 2nd and was posted at Generation Circle, Moozhiyar. Memo of Charge with statement of allegation was issued as a part of the disciplinary proceedings which was kept in abeyance due to the pending finalization of vigilance case registered against him before the Hon'ble Enquiry Commissioner & Special Judge, Thrissur vide CC No.80/2008.

The Hon'ble Enquiry Commissioner & Special Judge, Thrissur as per Judgment in CC No.80/2008(VC.6/02/MLPM) dated 26.08.2013 had convicted him and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment and to pay fine for the various charges levelled against him u/s 7 of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988. As he was convicted by the court of law in a criminal case, he was liable to be removed from the Board's service as per rules. But Sri.T.C Yohannan had retired from Board's service on 31.05.2005 on superannuation. In continuation with the disciplinary action already initiated, KSEBL had the right to withhold or withdraw pension or part thereof for a specified period. Later it was decided as per proceedings read as 3rd above to withhold 50% pension permanently by invoking the provisions of Rule 2(a) & (b) KSR by reserving the right to review the punishment incase conviction is set aside by the Court.

Sri.T.C Yohannan had filed Criminal Appeal No.1306/2013 before the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala. During the pendency of the Criminal Appeal the appellant Sri.T.C Yohannan had expired on 03.03.2020 and his wife Smt. Rahelamma Yohannan was impleaded as additional appellant. The Hon'ble High Court vide Judgment dated 24.05.2023 read as 4th above had dismissed the Criminal Appeal and upheld the conviction of Hon'ble Enquiry Commissioner and Special Judge, Thrissur.

The matter was placed before the Full Time Directors as per note read as 5th above. Having considered the matter in detail and it was decided to discontinue the availing of family pension by Smt. Rahelamma Yohannan wife of late. T.C.Yohannan, forthwith.

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Full Time Directors

**Sd/-
LEKHA.G
COMPANY SECRETARY**

To

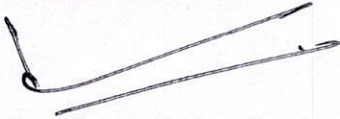
Smt. Rahelamma Yohannan,
W/o late. T.C Yohannan (PPO No.35265),
Kallumpurath, Bijosh Bhavan,
Near ESI Hospital,
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Copy to:

1. PA to the Director (Finance), KSEBL.
2. TA to the Director (Safety & SCM), KSEBL.
3. The Chief Engineer (HRM), KSEBL.
4. The Deputy Chief Engineer, Generation Circle, Moozhiyar.
5. The Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Tirur.
6. TA to the Chairman & Managing Director, KSEBL.
7. The Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, Tirur.
8. The Accounts Officer, Pension Authorization/Pension Sanction..
9. Stock file.

✓ 10. Company Secretary

Forwarded by Order



Senior Superintendent

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