

## KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED

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## **Abstract**

Power requirement of 200kVA in favour of Smt. Suneera Usman, Usamaniya wood products. Pulluvazhy P.O. Perumbavoor under Electrical Section Valayanchirangara- LT to HT conversion with pending arrears – Sanction accorded – Orders issued

## CORPORATE OFFICE (SBU-D)

B.O.(FTD) No. 451/2021 (D(D,IT&HRM)/D-2/SOP/0002/2021-22 Dated, TVPM, 17 .06. 2021

- Read: 1. Letter No. ECP/T2/HT/Usmaniya Wood Products/2020-21/4275 dated 20.03.2021 of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Perumbayoor
  - 2. Note no. SOR/RG/LT to HT/2021-22/22 dated 30.04.2021 of the Special Officer (Revenue)
  - 3. Note No. D(D,IT &HRM))/ D2/SOP/0002/21-22 dated 01.06.2021 of the Director (Distribution, IT & HRM) to the Full Time Directors (Agenda No. 09/6/21)

## ORDER

Smt. Suneera Usman, Usmaniya Wood Products, Pulluvazhy P.O., an existing LT consumer under Electrical Section, Valayanchirangara with a contract demand of 99kVA. has submitted application for HT power requirement to the extent 200kVA. The Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Perumbavoor, as per letter read 1 above, has informed that the consumer is having an outstanding arrear of Rs.12,64,354/- against the LT connection having consumer no. 1155968004951 (i.e Bill amount- Rs.9,54,965/- + Surcharge – Rs. 3,09,389/-). as on 10.03.2021. The firm is a partnership firm.

The consumer was inspected by the section squad on 19.08.2019 and unauthorized load was detected. Thus, a penal bill for Rs.17,87,385/- was served to the consumer. The consumer had requested to allow 18 installments, as they were not in a position to remit the entire amount as a whole in the midst of Covid 19 pandemic situation. The Chief Engineer Distribution (Central), as per order dated 18.09.2020, had permitted to allow 15 equal monthly installments. Thus, 15 equal monthly installments for remitting the arrear amount with surcharge applicable as per prevailing rules were sanctioned by the Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, Muvattupuzha.

The Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Perumbavoor, as per letter read 1 above. has reported that the consumer has remitted 6 installments out of the 15, promptly. Presently.

the consumer has expressed difficulty in remitting the amount in lumpsum. Hence, necessary direction is sought on whether to allow the consumer to continue to remit the arrear amount in installment and to give the HT service connection after collecting an undertaking that the entire arrear amount would be remitted in installments. But it was also pointed out that in such cases LT arrear will not be reflected in HT bills and therefore there is a chance for revenue loss in future. Therefore, it is requested that necessary measures may be taken to include the LT installment amount in HT bills.

As per the remarks of the Special Officer (Revenue), read 2 above, it was pointed out that the Financial Adviser, with regard to the realization of old LT arrear amount from the HT connection of the consumer in the same premises, has opined that the details of LT arrear that may legally be collected may be obtained from the respective agreement authority and it may be included in the next bill to be issued to the consumer as a separate item. On collection of LT arrear in the office of the Special Officer (Revenue), the same maybe transferred to the respective ARU for adjusting against this LT arrear through Inter Unit Transfer Note(IUTN).

The matter was placed before the Full Time Directors as per the note read as 3<sup>rd</sup> above.

Having considered the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors in the meeting held on 11.06.2021, resolved to accord sanction to the Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Perumbavoor for converting the existing LT connection of M/s. Suneera Usman, Usmaniya Wood Products, Pulluvazhy to HT service connection, after collecting an undertaking that the entire arrear amount would be remitted in installments along with monthly electricity charges of the new HT Connection.

Further resolved to direct the Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Perumbayoor to forward the arrear details of the consumer to the Special Officer (Revenue) to include in the HT bills issued to the consumer.

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of Full Time Directors, Sd/-Lekha G. Company Secretary (In charge)

To

The Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Perumbavoor Copy to:

The Chief Engineer (Distribution Central), Ernakulam/The Chief Engineer (IT&CR)
The Financial Adviser/The Chief Internal Auditor/Company Secretary
The RCAO/The RAO/The LLO

The TA to Chairman & Managing Director/The TA to Director (Distribution, IT & HRM / Transmission, System Operation/ Generation-Electrical & Supply Chain Management / Generation-Civil/Planning & safety)

The Special Officer (Revenue)

The PA to Director (Finance)/ Senior CA to Secretary (Administration)

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