

## KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED

(Incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956)
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### **ABSTRACT**

Medical treatment availed from outside the state for Smt.Reeja wife of Sri.Madhusoodanan.P.P, Overseer, Electrical Section, Thaliparamba – Ex.Post facto sanction accorded – orders issued.

### CORPORATE OFFICE (ADMINISTRATION)

B.O (DB) No.677/2020 (Estt.VII/2645/2015) Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 09.11.2020.

Read:- (1) B.O.D (F) No. 1247/2015 (Estt.VII/2645/2015) dated 20.05.2015.

- (2) Letter No. MH2 -6/780/2018/AVD dated 21.11.2019 of the Director, Directorate of Health Service.
- (3) Representation of the General Secretary, KSEB Workers Association (CITU) dated 24.04.2020.
- (4) Note No.GB II/695/HRM/2015/2/10/6/20 dated 05.06.2020 of the Chief Engineer (HRM).
- (5) Representation dated 03.07.2020 submitted by Sri.Madhusoodanan.P.P., Overseer, Electrical Section, Thaliparamba.
- (6) Note No. Estt.VII/2645/2015 dated 22.09.2020 of the Chairman & Managing Director.
- (7) Proceedings of the 55<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Board of Directors held on 14.10.2020 (Agenda 09-10/2020).

#### <u>ORDER</u>

The Chief Engineer (HRM) has forwarded an application submitted by Sri.Madhusoodanan.P.P, Overseer, Electrical Section, Thaliparamba for the reimbursement of the medical expenses incurred by him for the treatment of his wife Smt.Reeja at KMC Hospital, Mangalore for the period from 20.03.2015 to 23.11.2015 without obtaining prior sanction from the Director of Health Service.

As per Rule 7A of the Kerala Government Servant's Medical Attendants Rule 1960, prior sanction from the Director of Health Services should be obtained for treatment outside the state and hence Sri.Madhusoodanan.P.P applied for prior sanction from Director of Health Services As per the Board Order read as (1)st above, he availed medical advance amounting to ₹2,50,000/- for the above treatment at KMC Hospital, Mangalore on condition that the entire amount of Medical Advance should be remitted if the Director of Health Services rejects the request for prior sanction for outside the state treatment.

As the treatment is of an urgent nature, without waiting for advance/sanction from Director of Health Services, the first and second phase of treatment was

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completed on 28.03.2015 and 20.05.2015 respectively (expenses before availing advance ₹2,31,625/- and expenses after availing advance ₹42,177/-).

The Director of Health Services as per letter read as 2<sup>nd</sup> above denied the request for prior sanction as the  $1^{st}$  &  $2^{nd}$  phase of the treatment was completed and suggested to obtain special sanction from the Government to settle the Medical Advance. Then Sri.Madhusoodanan.P.P has applied for ex. post facto sanction which was also denied by the Full Time Directors meeting held on 09.05.2019 (agenda item No. 26.05.2019) and directed to remit the advance with interest as per rules. Again Sri.Madhusoodanan.P.P has requested to waive the interest on medical advance which was also declined since it is against the prevailing Rules. Now Sri.Madhusoodanan.P.P as per his representation read as 5th above requested to allow reimbursement of the expenses incurred for the treatment of his wife in Mangalapuram without prior sanction on the basis of the provisions contained in the Board Order dated 15.12.2018 and also to withdraw the notice issued to him for recovering of Medical Advance availed on 20.05.2015 with interest. As ordered by the Chairman & Managing Director the matter was placed before the Board of Directors for a decision as per note read as 6<sup>th</sup> above.

Considering the emergency nature of treatment required for the patient the Board of Directors in its meeting held on 14.10.2020 decided to take lenient view and resolved to grant ex-post facto sanction for the outside state treatment undergone by Smt.Reeja wife of Madhusoodanan.P.P as a special case. Resolved also to give sanction to reimburse the medical expenses incurred from 03/2015 to 11/2015 at the rate admissible as per Rules. Resolved further to adjust the medical advance against the eligible claim with a condition that the balance of medical advance, if any shall be refunded with interest as per Rules, with effect from the date of drawal of Medical advance.

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Director Board, Sd/-LEKHA.G COMPANY SECRETARY IN-CHARGE

To

(2) Sri.Madhusoodanan.P.P, Overseer, Electrical Section, KSEB Limited, Thaliparambu.

<sup>(1)</sup> The Chief Engineer (HRM), KSEB Limited, Vydyuthi Bhavanam, Pattom, Thiruvananthapuram.

# Copy to:

- 1. The Company Secretary/The Financial Adviser/The Chief Internal Auditor
- 2. The Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, KSEB Ltd., Kannur.
- 3. The Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, KSEB Ltd., Iritty.
- The Deputy Chief Engineer (IT).
   The Regional Personnel Officer.
- 6. The TA to Chairman and Managing Director/ Director (Transmission, System Operation & REES)/• Director (Distribution, IT & HRM)
- 7. The PA to Director (Finance).
- 8. The Senior CA to Secretary (Administration).
- 9. Stock file.

Forwarded/ By Order

Senior Superintendent

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