



# Kerala State Electricity Board Limited

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## ABSTRACT

Drawal of cables along electric poles of KSEBL- Pole rental arrears- Request for granting OTS-request submitted by Sri. Akhil Das, Chittoor , a cable TV Operator under Electrical Circle Thodupuzha- Sanctioned-Orders issued.

## CORPORATE OFFICE (SBU-D)

B.O(FTD)No. 558 /2020(D(D&IT)/D5/ General Complaints/2020-21/0003) Dated, Thiruvananthapuram

03.09.2020

### **Read:**

1. Submission dated nil of Sri. Akhil Das, Aiyuraparambil, Puthupariyaram P.O. Chittoor to the Hon. Minister for Electricity (Govt. no.988/P/Min(ele)/2020)
2. Letter no.GB2/Cable TV/2020-21/247 dated 27.05.2020 of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Thodupuzha to the Director(Dist, IT & HRM)
3. Note No.D(D&IT)/D5/General Complaints/2020-21/0003 dated 21.08.2020 of the Director(Distribution, IT & HRM) to the Full Time Directors (*Agenda Item no.58/8/20*)

## ORDER

As per letter read as 1<sup>st</sup> above, Sri. Akhil Das, Aiyuraparambil, Puthupariyaram P.O. Chittoor, a cable TV Operator under Electrical Circle, Thodupuzha submitted that about 85 numbers of KSEB poles are utilised for his Cable TV Operation. A demand notice amounting to Rs.79,151/- was received on account of pole rentals for the period from 25.01.2018 to 31.03.2020. It was stated that during 2018, around 40 numbers of poles were actually utilized for Cable TV Operation. It was only during 2019 a total of 85 numbers of poles were utilised. Under these circumstances, it was requested to re-examine the demand notice and to waive penal interest amount of Rs.11,689/- on this account. Examining the request, the Hon. Minister for Electricity has directed to explore the possibility of including the case under OTS Scheme.

The Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Thodupuzha as per letter read as 2<sup>nd</sup> above reported that Sri. Akhil Das, Aiyuraparambil, Puthupariyaram had submitted an application requesting cable drawal along poles of KSEBL in Ankamvettil area under Electrical Section Thodupuzha No.1, for the purpose of Cable TV Operation. As per the report of the Asst. Engineer,

Electrical Section, Thodupuzha No.1; 85 numbers of poles are being utilised ( in Rural areas) by Sri. Akhil Das with effect from 25.01.2018 , for Cable TV Operation. As per the prevailing Board Order, pole rental arrear of Rs.79,151/- has been arrived at double rates for the period from 25.01.2018 till 31.03.2019 and normal rates from 2019-20 with 12% interest along with GST, and notice has been served to Sri. Akhil Das. As the period for consideration under OTS Scheme has already expired, the Deputy Chief Engineer has requested to issue Orders, if the case could be considered under OTS Scheme, considering the Orders of the Hon. Minister for Electricity.

The matter was placed before the Full Time Directors as per the detailed note read as 3<sup>rd</sup> above. Having examined the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors in the meeting held on 26.08.2020 resolved to accord sanction to allow Sri. Akhil Das, Aiyuraparambil, Puthupariyaram P.O. Chittoor, a Cable TV Operator under Electrical Section, Thodupuzha No.1 under Electrical Circle, Thodupuzha, 12 months equal installment for both the principal & interest amount of his pole rental arrears since 25.01.2018, with an applicable interest rate of 12 % of the installment period.

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Full Time Directors

Sd/-

**Lekha G.**

**Company Secretary In Charge**

To

The Deputy Chief Engineer, Electrical Circle, Thodupuzha

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Assistant Engineer