





KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED

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ABSTRACT

Expenditure incurred for the conduct of Vydyuthi Adalath 2020 - Ratified - Orders issued.

CORPORATE OFFICE (SBU-D)

B.O. (FTD) No.321/2020 (D (D&IT)/D6-AE1/General -Adalath2020/2019-20)dated 12.05.2020, Tvpm

Read: 1. B.O. No.946/2019(D(D&IT)/General-Adalath 2020/2019-20) dated 24/12/2019.

- 2. B.O (FTD) No.18/2020(D(D&IT)/D/AEC/Misc/1983/2013) dated 9/01/2020.
- 3. Note No.D(D&IT)/D6-AE I/ General -Adlath2020/2019-20 dated 23/04/2020 of the Director (Distribution, IT &HRM) submitted to the Full Time Directors (Agenda Item No.16/5/20).

ORDER

Sanction was accorded as per Board order read as 1st paper above, to conduct Vydyuthi Adalaths at Revenue District level for the time-bound redressal of complaints of the public in connection with Electricity Sector. The Adalaths were conducted during the period from 11.01.2020 to 27.02.2020 under the patronage of the Hon'ble Minister for Electricity. The intention of conducting the Adalath were recovery of long pending arrears and settlement of petitions on various issues as well as to uplift the image of KSEBL among the public and hence vide publicity was inevitable for ensuring more participation. Large numbers of complaints were received for consideration in the Adalath and therefore participation in the Adalaths also became high. Out of the 17432 complaints received in the Adalath, 15912 could be settled.

The Deputy Chief Engineers of the Electrical Circles at the Head Quarters were assigned to make necessary arrangements for the conduct of the Vydyuthi Adalath, who have submitted the expenditure statement in connection with the Vydyuthi Adalath and most of them require ratification. The Circle wise expenses include the amount incurred for publicity, hall rent, arrangements in the hall and refreshment. Most of the districts have more than one Electrical Circle attached to it apart from the Transmission & Generation offices, so the consumers/petitions associated with it were higher as seen from the petitions received.

The limit of expenditure for KSEBL's District level inauguration function is Rs 60,000/- as per B.O read as 2nd above. The Vydyuthi Adalaths were conducted for settlement of long pending disputes, recovery of arrears etc. and involved participation from the public and elected representatives etc. unlike the case of an inaugural function which has limited invitees and participants and hence the Director (D, IT &HRM) as per note read as 3rd above, has suggested to consider the request for ratification of the action of Deputy Chief Engineers in exceeding the limit of expenditure that was already incurred for the conduct of Adalath.

Having considered the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors in its meeting held on 07.05.2020, resolved to ratify the action of Deputy Chief Engineers, in incurring the following expenditure in connection with Vydyuthi Adalaths, considering as a special case.

Name of Circle	Total Expenditure incurred in Rupees
Thiruvananthapuram	1,27,476
Kollam	2,27,246
Pathanamthitta	1,62,995
Kottayam	97,042
Alapuzha	1,59,980
Ernakulam	1,34,560
Thrissur	2,88,334
Palakkad	3,54,189
Manjeri	89,000 Total Malappuram district
Nilambur	45,000 - Rs.186,320
Tirur	44,745
TC, Malappuram	6,675
Kozhikode	1,24,998
Kannur	1,24,263
Kasaragod	98,367
Grand Total	20,85,770

Orders are issued accordingly.

By Order of the Full Time Directors Sd/-Lekha.G Company Secretary-in charge. The Chief Engineers, Deputy Chief Engineers, Distribution.

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Internal Auditor/Financial Adviser/Company Secretary

The TA to Chairman & Managing Director

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

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The RAO/ECA/RCAO/Special Officer (Revenue)

The Legal Liaison Officer.

The PA to Director (Finance)/C.A. to Secretary (Administration).

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Assistant Engineer