



## KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD Ltd

(Incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956)

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### ABSTRACT

Voluntary Declaration of Connected load - Reopening scheme-- Sanctioned - Orders issued.

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#### Corporate Office (SBU-D)

BO (FTD)No.413/2023(DIRDIT/AE5/2023/LOAD Regularization) Thiruvananthapuram, Dated: 24.08.2023  
REGULARIZATION)

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- Read: 1. Circular No. D (D&S)/D6/Regularisation VDS/2015 dated 24.02.2016.  
2. BO(FTD)No.1902/2018(D(D&IT)/D6-AE3/Ease of doing business/2018-19) dtd 02.11.2018  
3. BO(FTD)No.1928/2018(D(D&IT)/D6-AE3/Ease of doing business/2016) dtd 19.11.2018  
4. BO(FTD)No.84/2019(D(D&IT)/D6-AE3/Ease of doing business/2016) dtd 31.01.2019  
5. BO(FTD) No.605/2019 (D (D&IT)/D6-AE3/Ease of Doing Business/2018-19) dtd 03.08.2019  
6. BO (FTD) No.837/2019(D (D&IT)/D6-AE3/Ease of doing business/2018-19) dtd 12.11.2019.  
7. BO (FTD) No.249/2020(D (D&IT)/D6-AE3/Ease of doing business/2018-19) dtd 31.03.2020.  
8. BO (FTD) No.454/2020(D (D&IT)/D6-AE3/Ease of doing business/2018-19) dtd 01.07.2020.  
9. BO (FTD) No.90/2021 (D (D&IT)/D6-AE3/ Ease of doing business/ 2018- 19) dtd, 01.02.2021  
10. BO (FTD) No.789/2021 (D (D&IT)/D6-AE3/ Ease of doing business/ 2018- 19) dtd, 26.10.2021.  
11. BO (FTD) No.101/2022 (D (D&IT)/D6-AE3/ Ease of doing business/ 2018- 19) dtd, 05.02.2022.  
12. BO (FTD) No.295/2022 (D (D&IT)/D6-AE3/ Ease of doing business/ 2018- 19) dtd, 08.04..2022  
13. BO (FTD) No.363/2022 (D (D&IT)/D6-AE3/ Ease of doing business/ 2018- 19) dtd, 26.04..2022  
14. Note No.DIRDIT/AE5/2023/Load Regularisation(1) dated 10-07-2023 of the Director (Distribution, Safety, IT & SCM) ,to the Full Time Directors (Agenda item No. 13/8/23).

### ORDER

KSEBL, as a part of Ease of Doing Business reforms had extended the facility for revising connected load for all LT consumers based on self declaration as per BO read as 5<sup>th</sup> above, wherein the LT consumers under all categories were given the opportunity to regularise their connected load from 01.08.2019 to 31.10.2019. This was further extended up to 31.03.2020 as per BO read as 6<sup>th</sup> above and thereafter until 30<sup>th</sup> June 2020 as per BO read as 7<sup>th</sup> above and further upto 31<sup>st</sup> December 2020 as per BO read

as 8<sup>th</sup> above. Since it was reported that some of the consumers could not avail the benefit owing to the restrictions imposed on public transport to contain the outbreak of COVID - 19 pandemic and due to local body elections conducted during December 2020, the above scheme was further extended upto 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021 as per BO read as 9<sup>th</sup> above, so that maximum benefit would be availed by the left out consumers.

As per BO read as 10<sup>th</sup> above, the scheme was reopened till 31.01.2022 and extended to 31.03.2022 as per BO read as 11<sup>th</sup> above and further extended to 31.05.2022 as per BOs read as 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> above.

As per the scheme announced earlier for regularising the connected load, the applicant need not pay application fee, testing fee or additional security deposit. However these consumers will have to pay for network enhancement if the declared new load demands it or if there is change in voltage level and will be liable to pay additional security deposit, if so required during the review at the first quarter of each financial year as envisaged in the Supply Code Regulations. In cases where objection exists from any statutory legal authority, the load regularisation in such cases shall be taken up under this scheme only if the objection has been cleared.

Following requests seeking provision of online facility for regularising connected load under Voluntary Disclosure Scheme in the wake of COVID restriction, online facility was also given for the voluntary disclosure scheme for connected load, since majority of consumers had resorted to online mode of services in order to avoid overcrowding in section offices and to ensure social distancing as per Government directives.

Considering that it would be beneficial if all consumers come forward to declare their connected load since it will aid KSEBL in planning for meeting the demand of the consumers, it is suggested that the above scheme period be reopened.

The matter was placed before the Full Time Directors as per the note read as 14<sup>th</sup> above.

Having considered the matter in detail, the Full Time Directors in its meeting held on 11.08.2023,

Resolved to reopen the facility for revising connected load for all LT consumers based on self declaration announced vide Board Order dated 26.10.2021.

Further resolved to accord sanction for the following:

a. To announce the scheme for the period from 15<sup>th</sup> of September 2023 till 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023, subject to the condition that in cases where objection exists from any statutory legal authority, the load regularisation in such cases shall be taken up under this Scheme only if the objection has been cleared.

b. To authorise the Chief Engineer (IT, CR & CAPs) to reopen the online facility through wss.kseb.in for the voluntary disclosure scheme for connected load.

c. To authorise the Deputy Chief Engineers of all Electrical Circles to initiate a drive for getting the loads of all LT consumers regularized by encouraging them to make use of the online facility or in case required, by approaching the consumers with the requisite format for entering details of all connected loads.

d. To direct the Deputy Chief Engineers of Electrical Circles to ensure that the progress

of regularisation of loads is reviewed at all levels, throughout the period the scheme is in force, and to furnish a consolidated report to the Director (Distribution, IT, Safety & SCM) through the concerned Chief Engineers immediately afterwards.

e. To entrust the Public Relations Officer, KSEBL to give wide publicity for the above Scheme.

Orders are issued accordingly.

**By Order of the  
Full Time Directors**

*Sd/-*

**LEKHA G  
Company Secretary**

To:

The Chief Engineer, Distribution South, Central, North and North Malabar.  
The Chief Engineer ( IT, CR & CAPs)  
The Deputy Chief Engineers of all Distribution Circles.

Copy to: The Chief Vigilance Officer/ Legal Advisor & Disciplinary Enquiry Officer/ Chief Internal Auditor/ Company Secretary/ Chief Engineer (Commercial & Tariff)/ CPO/PRO

The TA to Chairman & Managing Director/ Directors (Distribution, SCM, Safety & IT) / Transmission, SO&P) / Generation-Electrical, REES, SOURA, Nilavu, Sports & Welfare) / Generation-Civil

The PA to Director (Finance & HRM)

The RAO/ECA/RCAO

The Legal Liaison Officer

The Senior CA to Secretary (Admin)

Stock File.

Forwarded By Order

*[Signature]*  
Assistant Engineer