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PART—I

News & Notes

N. Generation Particulars :

The generation/relief figures for June '94 and for the period July '93 to June '94 were as follows :

Sl. No.	June '94	July '93 to June '94 (Figures in Million Units)
1. Ennore	175.266	1760.332
2. Tuticorin	567.350	6033.475
3. Mettur	544.470	5764.680
TNEB Thermal	1287.086	13558.487
4. Neyveli TS—I	134.094	1593.560
5. Neyveli TS—II	542.582	6465.119
6. Kalpakkam	192.635	1211.070
7. Hydro Generation	455.839	4654.645
8. Import from NTPC	13.267	(-)11.193
9. Net Export to Kerala	138.697	747.292
10. Import from Manali, BHEL and Private Wind Mills	13.382	40.031
11. Narimanam GTS	1.155	31.077
12. Wind Mills	6.157	54.120
13. Kadamparai (Pump Mode)	—	6.885
Net TNEB Consumption	2507.500	26842.739

The maximum grid demand and consumption during June '94 were 4033 MW on 28-6-'94 and 86.305 MU on 23-6-'94 respectively. The average grid consumption in June '94 was 83.583 MU per day.

The monthwise generation and relief figures for the water year 1993-94 (July '93 to June '94) are furnished in Annexure-I.

II. Hydro Inflows :

The Hydro inflows during June '94 were 704 MU against 251 MU in June '93 and against the ten year average of 515 MU. The total inflows from July '93 to June '94 were 3884 MU against 3797 MU during the same period last year and against the ten year average of 3179 MU.

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The monthwise inflow (in MU) for the past ten years is furnished in Annexure II.

III. Storage Position :

The Storage position in various reservoirs as on 1—7—'94 when compared to the storage on 1—7—'93 was as follows :—

Sl. No.	Group	Storage as on		Difference
		1—7—'94	1—7—'93	
		(Figs. in Million Units)		
1.	Nilgiris	425.97	524.72	(—) 98.75
2.	PAP	150.13	30.41	(+) 119.72
3.	Periyar	46.22	18.97	(+) 27.25
4.	Suruliyar	5.12	0.87	(+) 4.25
5.	Papanasam & Servalar	20.82	1.01	(+) 19.81
6.	Kodayar	82.55	76.78	(+) 5.77
Total excluding Mettur		730.81	652.76	(+) 78.05
7.	Mettur	71.85	61.63	(+) 10.22
Total including Mettur		802.66	714.39	(+) 88.27

IV. Performance of Thermal Stations :

(i) Tuticorin (5 × 210 MW) :

The details of generation at Tuticorin during June '94 were as follows :—

Unit	Availability Factor (%)	Generation in (M.U.)	Plant Load Factor (%)
I (210 MW)	90.06	130.360	86.22
II (210 MW)	86.18	123.670	81.79
III (210 MW)	82.99	116.170	76.83
IV (210 MW)	94.58	147.270	97.40
V (210 MW)	55.14	49.880	32.99
Station (1050 MW)	—	567.350	75.05

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(ii) Ennore (2 × 60 MW + 3 × 110 MW) :

In June '94 Ennore generated 175.266 MU with a PLF of 54.09 %. The unitwise details of generation was as follows :—

Unit	Availability Factor (%)	Generation	Plant Load Factor (%)
I (60 MW)	—	—	
II (60 MW)	75.20	27.433	
III (110 MW)	84.25	49.634	
IV (110 MW)	71.03	40.144	
V (110 MW)	92.28	58.055	
Station (450 MW)	—	175.266	

(a) Unit I shut down on 28—4—'94 due to generator transformer problem.

(iii) Mettur (4 × 210 MW) :

The details of generation at Mettur TPS during June '94 were as follows :—

Unit	Availability Factor (%)	Generation	Plant Load Factor (%)
I (210 MW)	75.36	109.230	72.24
II (210 MW)	100.00	150.120	99.29
III (210 MW)	100.00	148.780	98.40
IV (210 MW)	90.76	136.340	90.17
Station (840 MW)	—	544.470	90.02

(iv) Coal particulars for June '94 :

Sl. No.	Particulars	Tuticorin	Ennore	Mettur
1.	Coal linkage (in Lakhs Tonnes)	4.10	2.10	3.90
2.	Coal Receipt (")	3.54	1.16	3.47
3.	Coal consumption (")	4.01	1.70	3.86
4.	Coal stock as on 30-6-94(")	1.12	0.33	0.65
5.	Coal consumption (kg/unit)	0.71	0.97	0.71

(v) Auxiliary consumption and oil consumption during June '94 :

	Tuticorin		Ennore	Mettur
	A	B		
Auxiliary consumption (%)	8.00	8.23	11.80	8.30
Oil consumption (ML/Unit)	1.37	0.709	1.50	0.196

V. Coal Linkages for Thermal Stations and Receipts :

The monthly coal linkages and receipts in TNEB Thermal Stations during July '93 to June '94 are furnished in Annexure III.

VI. Generation Target :

The generation target for the period July '94 to June '95 is furnished in Annexure IV.

Training

VII. Following Special Programmes were Conducted During June 1994.

1. Industrial Relations Programme for Management Personnel and Union Representatives conducted from 14-6-'94 to 18-6-'94 with 25 participants.
2. Training Programme on Administrative matters for Administrative Branch staff conducted from 24-6-'94 to 29-6-'94 with 25 participants.
3. Training Programme on Engineering matters for non-Engineering personnel conducted from 13-6-'94 to 18-6-'94 with 13 participants.
4. One Assistant Executive Engineer deputed for the programme on "Human Factors Engineering and Productivity" conducted by NITIE from 27-6-'94 to 1-7-'94 at Hyderabad.
5. One Under Secretary/Vigilance deputed for the programme on "Administrative Vigilance" conducted by Delhi Productivity Council from 18-6-'94 to 22-6-'94 at Puri.
6. 26 RWE staff deputed for the programme on "Pre-Retirement Counselling" (in Tamil) conducted by Madras Productivity Council from 6-6-'94 to 8-6-'94 at Madras.
7. Vigilance Officer deputed for 5 days course on "Electricity Use" conducted by Energy Management Centre in collaboration with Indian Institute of Technology/New Delhi from 6-6-'94 to 10-6-'94.
8. One Chief Engineer & 2 Superintending Engineers deputed for the workshop on "Integrated Resource Planning and Demand side Management for Industries" conducted by M/s. TERI, New Delhi from 22-6-'94 to 24-6-'94.
9. 2 Engineers from TNEB deputed for the course on "Power System Operation and Control" conducted by PSTPI Central Electricity Authority, Bangalore from 21-6-'94 to 15-7-'94.
10. 5 Engineers from TNEB deputed for the seminar on "Power System Operation in Southern Region" conducted by Power Finance Corporation at Bangalore on 27-6-'94.
11. 2 days workshop on "Power Utilities and efficiency improvement" conducted on 24-6-'94 and 25-6-'94 by Power Finance Corporation was co-ordinated by TNEBd. About 20 Senior level Officers from TNEB participated.

VIII. Withdrawal of Tariff Concessions to New Steel Industries :

In G.O. (M) No. 88, Energy (A2) Department dt. 18-5-'94 communicated in Memo. No. 12/SE/IEMC/EE(T)/Tariff-I(3)/94-2 dt. 2-6-'94, the Government has withdrawn the tariff concessions to new steel industries who got sanction of the load on or after 18-5-'94. It has been ordered in the Memo. No. 2-6-'94 that Steel Industries who are availing tariff concessions as on 18-5-'94 and for whom the tariff concession period is not yet over, additional load to such industries shall not be sanctioned till the concession period.

IX. Study of Part Time B.E. Degree Course :

In B.P. (CH) No. 197 (Admn. Branch) dt. 2-6-'94, the Board has permitted to study part time B.E. Degree course at A.C. College of Engineering and Technology, Karaikudi for the employees of T.N.E. Board serving at Sivaganga in Pasumpon Muthuramalinga Thevar Elec. Distn. Circle.

X. Scrapping of Category of General Superintendent :

In B.P. (FB) No. 30, Secretariat Branch, dt. 9—6—1994, the Board has ordered abolition of the post of General Superintendent thereby making Superintending Engineer/Mechanical post as feeder category to the post of Chief Engineer/Mechanical.

XI. Retention of Usilampatti Division in Madurai E.D.C. :

In B.P. (CH) No. 196, Admn. Branch dt. 1—6—94, the Board has ordered retention of Usilampatti Division in Madurai Elec. Distn. Circle.

XII. Hydro and Wind Farm Allowances :

In B.P. (FB) No. 31, Secretariat Branch dt. 10—6—94, the Board has sanctioned allowances for the field staff of Hydro Power Stations and Wind Farms upto the level of Executive Engineers who are actually serving in the respective fields for more than a year (i.e.) from 1—5—1994.

	Pay Range	
	Upto Rs. 2,999	Rs. 3,000 and above
1. Upto and inclusive of 300 m MSL and below	Rs. 150	Rs. 200
2. Above 301 m MSL	Rs. 200	Rs. 250

XIII. Revision of Pay Scales—Impounding of D.A. for those whose Pay Crosses Rs. 3,500/-

In B.P. (FB) No. 33, Secretariat Branch dt. 15—6—'94 the Board has ordered impounding of DA arising consequent on the revision of pay scales for those employees whose pay crosses Rs 3500/- for the period 12/92 to 4/94 and this may be recovered in 60 monthly instalments with effect from the pay bill of July 94'. For those employees who have less than sixty months for superannuation it will be recovered in higher equal proportionate instalments spread over the remaining period of service.

XIV. T.A.—Classification of Grades of Employees Consequent on the Revision of Pay Scales :

In B.P. (CH) No. 161, Secretariat Branch dt. 23—6—'94, the Board has modified the classification of employees for the purpose of drawal of TA.

XV. Medical Allowance—Enhancement :

In B.P. (CH) dt. 170 Secretariat Branch dt. 25—6—'94, the Board has enhanced the Medical Allowance for those who opt out of medical reimbursement scheme from Rs. 15/- to Rs. 30/- per month with effect from 1—4—1994.

XVI. Applicability of Tariff in Respect of Hospitals under the Control of Municipality/ Corporation/Panchayat Union/Government Veterinary Hospitals/Leprosy Sub Centres :

In B.P. (FB) No. 173, Technical Branch dt. 18—6—94 the Board has ordered application of HT Tariff II/LT Tariff VII for hospital under the control of Municipality/Corporation/Panchayat Union, Government Veterinary Hospital and Leprosy Sub Centres.

XVII. Delegation of Powers to Executive Engineers of Construction and Project Circles and Assistant Accounts Officers of Project Circles ;

In B.P. (FB) No. 37, Secretariat Branch dt. 27—6—'94 the Board has enhanced the monetary limit for passing of fuel bills to Rs. 10,000/- for Executive Engineers of G.C.Cs. and Projects and for A.A.Os. of Project circles.

XVIII. Medical Allowances to Pensioners/Family Pensioners :

In B.P. (CH) No. 171, Sectt. Branch dt. 25—6—'94 the Board has enhanced the medical allowance of pensioners/family pensioners who opt out of reimbursement scheme from Rs. 15/- to Rs. 30/- per month with effect from 1—4—1994.

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ANNEXURE — I**POWER GENERATION IN 1993—94 (WATER YEAR)**

Figs. in MU

Source	July '93	Aug. '93	Sep. '93	Oct. '93	Nov. '93	Dec. '93
Hydro	447.590	557.197	516.473	378.930	403.770	283.619
Ennore	186.450	203.986	158.111	133.964	123.172	128.199
Tuticorin	423.160	336.490	378.215	396.430	451.630	474.180
Mettur	447.920	425.770	394.090	464.530	433.070	405.260
TNEB Thermal	1057.530	966.246	930.416	994.924	1007.872	1007.639
Neyveli T.S. I (Relief)	149.450	105.793	134.433	93.881	101.537	118.355
Neyveli T.S. II (Relief)	570.843	543.519	573.523	529.250	263.941	504.240
M.A.P.P. (Relief)	171.965	60.565	(-) 2.032	51.639	62.370	59.311
NTPC (Import)	(-) 9.726	58.711	(-) 20.358	116.559	51.137	86.571
Net Export to Kerala	70.090	48.136	40.325	59.404	51.384	79.328
BHEL & Manali	0.460	0.216	1.053	0.310	1.362	1.286
Wind Mill	12.145	12.403	9.158	4.758	1.811	1.001
Windmill (Private)	—	—	—	—	—	2.360
Gas Turbine	5.228	3.731	2.645	2.944	1.700	0.702
Kadamparai pumping	—	—	—	6.722	—	0.124
Nett TNEB Consumption	2335.403	2260.245	2104.986	2102.069	1844.116	1985.632

ANNEXURE—I—(Cont.)**POWER GENERATION IN 1993—94 (WATER YEAR)**

Figs. in MU

Source	Jan. '94	Feb. '94	Mar. '94	Apr. '94	May '94	June '94	Total
Hydro	374.481	274.716	355.102	319.552	292.368	455.839	4654.645
Ennore	126.041	119.401	128.266	134.239	143.237	175.266	1760.332
Tuticorin	539.830	562.120	617.738	613.770	672.570	567.350	6033.475
Mettur	430.180	477.660	562.070	600.300	579.360	544.470	5764.680
TNEB Thermal	1096.051	1159.181	1308.066	1348.309	1395.167	1287.086	13558.487
Neyveli T.S. I (Relief)	122.712	145.646	157.445	166.481	163.733	134.094	1593.560
Neyveli T.S. II (Relief)	585.432	609.762	659.278	510.364	572.385	542.582	6465.119
M.A.P.P. (Relief)	75.208	72.746	109.247	162.622	194.794	192.635	1211.070
NTPC (Import)	52.014	(-) 11.289	(-) 69.815	(-) 45.617	(-) 147.427	(-) 71.953	(-) 11.193
Net Export to Kerala	87.732	87.186	52.460	61.576	56.193	53.477	747.291
BHEL & Manali	0.677	0.817	0.173	0.189	0.043	0.207	6.793
Wind Mill	1.226	0.521	0.711	0.630	3.597	6.157	54.118
Windmill (Private)	3.285	1.452	1.934	2.294	8.738	13.175	33.238
Gas Turbine	2.864	2.704	2.698	2.587	2.119	1.155	31.077
Kadamparai pumping	0.039	—	—	—	—	—	6.885
Nett TNEB Consumption	2226.179	2169.070	2472.379	2405.835	2429.324	2507.500	26842.738

ANNEXURE-II

INFLOW EQUIVALENT (MU)

Sl. No.	Year	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	Total
1.	1984-85	1110	417	262	399	193	127	114	51	34	51	28	872	3658
2.	1985-86	485	487	238	180	234	162	60	54	33	32	36	447	2446
3.	1986-87	474	1236	204	200	225	135	66	20	23	16	34	150	2783
4.	1987-88	155	399	185	347	235	266	54	37	14	49	22	213	1976
5.	1988-89	873	576	615	180	166	72	24	17	31	16	18	359	2947
6.	1989-90	1859	560	355	303	239	123	182	27	32	17	118	352	4167
7.	1990-91	545	738	148	373	408	174	80	17	41	48	22	830	3424
8.	1991-92	1444	780	222	334	287	129	27	15	—	7	63	1105	4413
9.	1992-93	1433	929	467	501	920	218	70	56	29	21	9	251	4904
10.	1993-94	739	1644	209	379	726	255	121	70	32	68	50	704	4997
Total		9115	7766	2905	3196	3633	1661	798	364	269	325	400	5283	35715
Average		912	777	290	320	363	166	80	36	27	33	40	528	3572

ANNEXURE—III**COAL LINKAGES AND RECEIPTS (LAKHS TONNE)**

Month	Tuticorin		Ennore		Mettur	
	Linkage	Receipt	Linkage	Receipt	Linkage	Receipt
July '93	3,30,000	2,98,403	2,10,000	1,22,802	3,00,000	3,36,560
August '93	3,30,000	3,13,939	2,10,000	1,52,731	3,00,000	3,09,581
Sep'tember '93	3,30,000	3,74,215	2,10,000	1,60,422	3,00,000	2,55,919
October '93	3,60,000	2,77,212	3,10,000	1,54,179	3,40,000	3,64,379
November '93	3,60,000	4,14,757	3,10,000	1,40,516	3,40,000	2,88,822
December '93	3,60,000	3,22,426	3,10,000	1,73,234	3,40,000	3,28,783
January '94	4,10,000	3,56,364	2,10,000	1,59,071	4,25,000	4,28,929
February '94	4,10,000	2,83,205	2,10,000	1,41,095	4,25,000	3,80,817
March '94	4,10,000	4,34,013	2,10,000	1,38,154	4,25,000	3,54,637
April '94	4,10,000	5,07,302	2,10,000	92,905	3,90,000	2,82,751
May '94	4,10,000	4,98,822	2,10,000	58,520	3,90,000	3,26,689
June '94	4,10,000	3,53,654	2,10,000	1,16,084	3,90,000	3,47,331
	45,30,000	44,34,312	28,20,000	16,09,713	43,65,000	40,05,198

ANNEXURE-IV

GENERATION TARGET FOR THE PERIOD JULY '94 to JUNE '95

(Figs in MU)

	July '94	Aug '94	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan '95	Feb	March	April	May	June '95	Total
Enncre	196	198	164	156	178	178	191	185	206	196	206	196	2250
Tuticorin	520	520	450	485	385	480	560	550	630	615	630	615	6420
Mettur Thermal	520	410	345	375	355	355	420	490	520	520	520	470	5300
North Madras	20	20	20	—	—	—	70	70	70	50	50	70	440
Narimanam Gas	5	5	5	3	4	5	5	5	5	3	5	5	55
Basin Bridge Gas	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	11	16	22	54
Neyveli TS I	136	163	149	172	158	159	166	100	120	185	191	169	1868
Neyveli TS II (Share)	249	222	211	153	166	234	258	222	231	222	227	222	2617
MAPS (Share)	60	90	88	121	119	121	121	113	121	119	121	119	1313
NTPC (Share)	216	175	227	264	273	284	281	248	281	261	276	255	3041
Others	11	9	9	5	3	4	5	2	3	3	10	6	70
Hydro	453	483	470	416	226	203	212	270	386	343	278	260	4000
Total availability	2386	2295	2138	2130	1867	2023	2289	2255	2578	2528	2530	2409	27428
Unrestricted requirement	2548	2457	2295	2292	2024	2185	2451	2400	2740	2685	2692	2566	29335
Deficit	162	162	157	162	157	162	162	145	162	167	162	157	1507
													5.22 MU/day.

The following are the details of Posts Created, Upgraded, Abolished & Downgraded during the month of June, 1994.

Olney Aaron,
Chief Engineer/Personnel

Statement—'A' Showing the Details of Posts Created During June 1994

Sl. No.	Details of Board's Order	Name of the Circle	Name of the post	No. of posts (5)	Purpose for which the posts were created (6)	Remarks (7)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1.	Per. B.P. (FB.) No. 38 (Adm. Br.) dt. 03-06-94	Dharmapuri Elec. Distn. Circle	AE/JE (E) I Gr. JE (E) II Grade Line Insptr. Helper	1 4 6 2	Created for 110/22 KV SS (Non-Grid) at Hosur SIPCO Electronic Complex	One Year from the date of utilisation.
			Total	13		
2.	Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 208 (Adm. Br.) dt. 14-06-94	Ennore Thermal Power Station	Auxiliary Nurse Nursing Orderly	2 2	Created as additional posts of Para Medical Staff in ETPS Dis- pensary	Upto 30-11-94 from the date of utilisation.
			Total	4		
3.	Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 209 (Adm. Br.) dt. 15-06-94	Coimbatore Elec. Distn. Circle/North	AE/JE (E) I Gr. JE (E) II Grade Line Insptr. Helper	1 4 6 2	Created for Marudur 110KV SS (Non-Grid)	One Year from the date of utilisation.
			Total	13		
4.	Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 210 (Adm. Br.) dt. 15-06-94	A.E.E./Ele. Operation Circle/ Sriperumbudur	A.E.E./Elecl. A.E./Elecl.	1 1	Created for attend- ing to SF6 Breakers in Madras Region. ETPS & NMTTP etc.	Upto 28-02-95 from the date of utilisation.
			Total	2		
5.	Per. B. P. (Ch.) No. 215 (Adm. Br.) dt. 22-06-94	Hydro Project Urachikottai	AEE/Civil AE/Elecl. D'man Asst. (Adm.) Stores Officer	1 1 1 2 1	Created due to revival of abolished posts	Upto 31-01-95
			Total	6		
6.	Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 218 (Adm. Br.) dt. 24-06-94	Theni Electricity Distn. Circle	Driver	1	Created to Theni ED Circle	Upto 31-07-94
7.	Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 163 (Sectt. Br.) dt. 24-06-94	Board Office Sectt. Branch	Personal Asst.	1	Created exclusively to the A.M.'s chamber	Upto 28-02-95
8.	Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 162 (Sectt. Br.) dt. 24-06-94	Board Office Sectt. Branch	Private Secy.	1	Created exclusively for operation of one personal com- puter and Electric Typewriter in Secy.'s Chamber.	Upto 28-02-95

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
9.	Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 219 (Adm. Br.) dt. 25-06-94	Tirunelveli Kattabomman Elec. Distn. Circle	AE/JE (E) I Gr. Foreman T.A. (Elec.) Line Inspector Helper	4 1 4 2 6	Created for Veera- sigamani 110/66/11 KV SS (Grid)	Upto 31-10-95
			Total	17		
10.	Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 223 (Adm. Br.) dt. 28-06-94	Board Office Techl. Branch SE/LD & G.O.	E.E./Elec. AEE/Elec.	1 2	Created for assisting the C.E./Opern. in technical matters.	Upto 29-02-96
			Total	3		
11.	Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 226 (Adm. Br.) dt. 30-06-94	North Madras Thermal Power Station Project	Record Clerk	1	Created to preserve and maintain the important records.	Upto 31-01-95

Posts Abolished

Sl. No.	Details of Board's Order	Name of the Circle	Name of the post	No. of posts	Purpose for which the posts were abolished	Remarks
1.	Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 218 (Adm. Br.) dt. 24-6-94	Civil Maintenance Circle/Madurai	Driver	1	Abolished consequent on creation of one post of Driver in Theni ED Circle	With immediate effect
2.	Memo. No. 048864/123/S1/ A3/94-1 dt. 24-6-94	Tuticorin Thermal Power Project	A.E.E./Mech. AE/JE (E) I Gr. AE/JE (C) I Gr. AE/JE (M) I Gr. Senior D'man O.H.	1 1 5 1 2 2	Abolished due to completion of project works	With effect from 31-5-94 —do— With effect from 30-6-94 from 30-9-94 from 30-6-94 —do—
			Total	12		
3.	Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 223 (Am. Br.) dt. 28-6-94.	Board Office Technical Branch SE/H(E)	EE/Elec. AEE/Elec.	1 2	Abolished due to creation of posts in SE/L.D. & G.O. Madras.	With immediate effect.
			Total	3		

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Posts Upgraded

Sl. No.	Details of Board's Order	Name of the Circle	Name of the post	No. of posts	Purpose for which the posts were upgraded	Remarks
1.	Per B.P. (Ch.) No. 217 (Adm. Br.) dt. 23-6-94	Board Office Administrative Branch	Superintendent/ Nursing.	3	Upgraded the posts of Staff Nurse in TNEB Head Quarters Dispensary.	One year from the date of utilisation.

Posts Down-Graded

Sl. No.	Details of Board's Order	Name of the Circle	Name of the post	No. of post	Purpose for which the posts were Down-graded	Remarks
—NIL—						

GENERAL ADMN. & SERVICES

PART-II

General Administration & Services

Establishment—Tamil Nadu Electricity Board — Bifurcation of existing Madurai Electricity Distribution Circle—Formation of a new Distribution Circle with Headquarters at Theni—Retention of Usilampatti Division in the Madurai Electricity Distribution Circle—Orders issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No. 196

(Administrative Branch)

Dated 1—6—1994,
Vaikasi 18, Bhava,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025.

Read :

1. Per. B.P. (Ch.) No. 180 (Adm. Branch) dt. 25—6—1993.
2. From the Chief Engineer (Distribution), Madurai letter No. 1300/B2/91—10 dated 4—1—1994.

Proceedings :

In partial modification of the orders issued in para 2 of the Per. B.P. (Ch) No. 180 (Adm. Branch) dt. 25—6—1993 the Usilampatti Division is retained in Madurai Electricity Distribution Circle itself for the following reasons.

1. With the above arrangement, Theni Electricity Distribution Circle will be purely having 22 KV transmission System only which will make allotment of materials and inventory control much easier.
2. The Panchayats in Chellampatti and Seelapatti blocks now come under Usilampatti Division of Theni Electricity Distribution Circle and Thirumangalam and Samayanallur Divisions of Madurai Electricity Distribution Circle. If Usilampatti Division is attached to Madurai Electricity Distn. Circle entire both the blocks will come under Madurai Electricity Distribution Circle which will make correspondence with Revenue and block officers much easier in connection with Revenue collections and S.S.S. Schemes etc.
3. The consumers of Usilampatti area also prefer to continue under Madurai Electricity Distribution Circle as they are frequently visiting Madurai for other purposes and it will be easier for them to get their grievance redressed.

(By Order of the Chairman)

Olnéy Aaron,
Chief Engineer (Personnel).

Establishment — Board's Employees — Forwarding of applications to Institutions for admission for studying part-time B.E. Degree Course in respect of Pasumpon Muthuramalinga Thevar Electricity Distribution Circle—Instructions—Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch) No. 197

(Administrative Branch)

Dated 2-6-94,
Vaikasi 19, Bhava.
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025.

Read :

- (i) (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No. 110 (Secretariat Branch), dated 18-5-91.
- (ii) G.O. Ms. No. 1542 Education Department dated 30-9-88.

Proceedings :

In G.O. 2nd cited, the distance of 40 Kms. between the Engineering College and the place of work of the candidates who seek admission to part-time B.E. Degree Course be relaxed in favour of the Diploma holders working in Sivaganga Government Offices to enable them to seek admission in part-time B.E. Degree Course offered in the A.C. College of Engineering and Technology/Karaikudi.

2. Representations have been received that the staff of E.B. serving at Sivaganga may also be permitted to study part-time B.E. Degree Course in the A.C. College of Engineering and Technology/Karaikudi.

3. After careful consideration of the matter, it is ordered that permission may be granted to study part-time B.E. Degree Course at A.C. College of Engineering and Technology/Karaikudi for the employees of Tamil Nadu Electricity Board serving at Sivaganga in Pasumpon Muthuramalinga Thevar Electricity Distribution Circle.

4. The other conditions/guidelines issued in the B.P. first cited shall remain unaltered.

(By Order of the Chairman)

Olney Aaron,
Chief Engineer/Personnel.

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Circular Memo. No. 24896-SS2/94-1, (Sectt. Branch), dated 3-6-94.

Sub : Tamil Nadu Electricity Board—In-ordinate delay in handing D.Ps. cases by the Enquiry Officers—Periodical Progress Reports—Format—Prescribed.

In an enquiry conducted by Vigilance Cell, Tamil Nadu Electricity Board or by the Directorate of Vigilance and Anti Corruption, if the allegations against employees of the Board are substantiated, the Chief Engineer/Superintending Engineer or the Head of Office concerned is required to initiate departmental action on the erring staff and the matter is followed up by Vigilance Cell. In B.P. Ms. No. 142, (S.B.) dated 13-4-87 a time limit has been prescribed for disposal of DP cases.

2. Abnormal delays have been noticed time and again in dealing the DP cases against the erring Board staff. In many cases of D.Ps. no progress was seen for months together and many D.Ps. are kept unseen, uncared and un-attended which is not a good sign to correct the erring staff. Added to that, there is no agency to review such related D.Ps. critically. In order to change such state of affairs, each Superintending Engineer shall with effect from June '94 furnish a quarterly statement of D.P. cases that have reached enquiry stage in the format to Vigilance Cell so as to make a very critical review of such long pending D.P. and to pull-up the enquiry officers who have been delaying the cases for months together and to cause expeditious disposal of the D.Ps. The first quarterly report for the period ended 30-6-94 shall be sent by all Superintending Engineers and heads of offices so as to reach IGP/Vigilance before 10th July, 94.

(By Order of the Chairman)

P. Kalimuthu,
Inspector General of Police/VIG.

Encl :

Encl. :

FORMAT

1. Name and Designation of the delinquent :
2. Name of the Distribution Circle :
3. Vigilance Cell Letter No. and date :
4. Date on which the Vigilance report was received in the Circle :
5. Gist of Charge (S) :
6. Date of charge memo and D. P. No. :
7. Date of acknowledgement of charge memo by the delinquent :
8. Date of submission of explanation by delinquent :
9. Date of appointment of Enquiry Officer and Name and Designation of Enquiry Officer :
10. Date of commencement of oral enquiry :
11. No. of Departmental witnesses cited in the charge memo. :
12. No. of Prosecution exhibits cited in the charge memo. :
13. No. of defence witness (es) and defence exhibits furnished by the delinquent :
14. Date of completion of oral enquiry :
15. Reasons for the delay in completing the DP. :
16. Date of despatch of enquiry findings to C. E./S. E./E.E. :
17. Date of receipt of enquiry report from the enquiry officer :
18. Nature of Orders passed No. and date :
19. Remarks :



Memorandum (Per.) No. 65538/O&M Cell-II(3)/91-82, (Secretariat Branch), Dated 3—6—1994.

Sub: OFFICE PROCEDURE—Instructions based on Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Office Manual—Issued.

Ref: (Per.) B. P. (Ch.) No. 298 (Sectt. Branch) dt. 31—12—1991.

The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, Board Office Manual was published in 1991 and all the offices of the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board were instructed to follow the procedures laid down in the Manual. During 1991, a revised comprehensive Manual incorporating all instructions/orders issued from the date of formation of Tamil Nadu Electricity Board has been prepared, printed and sent to all

offices for strict adherence of the procedures. Then training classes were conducted to all the staff who were attending to Administrative works relating to a paper from receipt to disposal. During the training, it was found that the provisions laid down in the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Office Manual have not been followed in the field offices. Moreover, it appears that the Controlling Officers have also not insisted and shown any interest in following the procedures laid down in the Office Manual. In these circumstances, it has become imperative to indicate the following important points for strict adoption in day to day paper work in all the offices of the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board :

- (i) Arising references which originate from a file should be assigned a "Current Number" and registered in the Personal Register.
- (ii) Whenever a draft D. O. letter is put up to the officer, only "Dear Thiru/Tmty/....." should be written as per existing orders.
- (iii) The closed papers whenever put up for reference should bear one flag only on the cover or the wrapper of the closed paper and affixed with the help of a paper fastener. No flag should be affixed to the running files whenever the pages are to be referred to.
- (iv) All tappals received in an office should be assigned a number from a common numbering machine which is set to print twice the same number, one on the tappal and the other on the Tappal Distribution Register.
- (v) (a) Whenever "Current Numbers" are assigned over the tappal, the following reference should **not** be written in the Master Control Register by the Tappal Junior Assistant :—
"Date SI. No. From whom Subject Ref. No. To whom"
 - (b) Important tappals, Court cases, D. O. letters etc. received from Headquarters office should be entered in a separate register maintained by Personal Clerks/Personal Assistants/Executive Assistants/Stenographers etc. and they should be handed over to the concerned sections after getting acknowledgement from the section.
 - (c) The Master Control Register should be maintained as indicated below :—

Date	Current Number		Section
	From	To	
_____	_____	_____	_____

Entries should be made every day.

- (vi) (a) A fly leaf containing year, name of section, seat, subject, name of section head, name of Assistant and the date from which they are working should be typed and pasted on the first page of the Personal Register.
- (b) All columns in the Personal Register should be entered. The SI. No. should be assigned in red ink, only to the fresh currents. The programme of submission of Personal Register, Reminder Diary, Call Book Register etc. should be pasted in the inside cover of the Personal Register. Certificate regarding carry over of the pending items from the old Personal Register to the new Personal Register should be furnished by the Section Officer/Section Head on the first page as soon as the pending items are carried over during February every year.
- (c) While registering the current, the following should be followed :—
 Current No. in Col. (2), the date on which it was received by the dealing Assistant/Junior Assistant in Col. (3), a brief subject in Col. (4) from whom received with reference number and date in Cols. (5) and (6) should be entered in blue ink or black ink. Whenever, file is submitted and returned to the section, the dates should be invariably entered in Cols. (7) and (8).

Whenever any reference is issued, if it is first reference calling for certain details it should be entered in Cols. (9), (10) and (11) in blue ink or black ink. Simultaneously, when further action to be taken should be indicated in pencil in Col. (15) such as "R. D.*/Dt." or "N. R.*/Dt." and in the Reminder Diary under such date the "C. No. and year" should invariably be entered.

When a reply is received, if it is an interim reply, it should be entered in Cols. (12), (13) and (14) in red ink (or) if it is a final reply it should be entered in blue ink (or) black ink. As soon as final orders are issued/final reply is sent, this should be entered in blue ink (or) black ink in Cols. (9), (10) and (11) simultaneously making entry under Col. (15) the form of final issue with date such as "L-3/Date" in red ink. As soon as it has been written, the "Current No." in Col. (2) should be rounded off in red ink.

- (vii) The final reply if it is a letter it should be issued only as indicated below :—
"Lr. No. 234/Adm. 1 (2)/94-3 dt....." and not as "Lr. No. SE/KEDC/EA/Sl. No. 22/D. 20/Postings and Transfer/500/92-93 dt....." as being done now.
- (viii) Whenever a regular note is submitted for approval, the "C. No." should be written on the top left hand corner of the front page and top right corner of the back page. The Section, Assistant No. such as "Adm. 1 (2)" should be written on the top right hand corner of the front page.
- (ix) If any previous papers are put up, such papers are to be referenced in pencil in the left hand side margin. For drawing attention to any reference from put up paper in current file, they should also be referenced in pencil in margin.
- (x) Whenever query is raised, such query should be answered in continuation of the note if there is a note file. If there is no note file to answer the query, a note file should be started.
- (xi) The current file pages are to be numbered in red ink and the note file pages in blue or black ink. The paragraph in the note file should be continuously numbered.
- (xii) As soon as any interim reply is sent or final order is issued it should be invariably entered in the note file as "Issued as Lr. No..... etc." and it should also be referenced in pencil in the margin.
- (xiii) Verbatim repetition what has been stated in the current should not be done in the note file. Routine note (O.N.) should be written in the current where the space is available.
- (xiv) As soon as final reply or final order is issued after making entry in Cols. (12), (13) and (14) in blue ink and in Col. (15) in the abbreviated form in red ink and after rounding off the current number in Col. (2) in red ink the papers to be docketed and closed and sent to the Record Clerk for safe custody in the Record Room.
- (xv) The Record Clerk will acknowledge the closed paper in the Col. (16) itself with signature and date.
- (xvi) The letter form is to be issued to address the officers of the State/Central Government or any other Public Sector departments, consumers etc. After body of the letter is completed on the right side "Yours faithfully" should be mentioned in all letters.
- (xvii) The fair copies in all routine cases can be signed by the Section Head concerned.
- (xviii) The Memo. form should be used only when communicating any order from the superior officer to the lower level Officer/Office/individual.
- (xix) In issues (Fair copies) such as Memo. or U. O. Note etc. it should not be indicated as "Sd/-" above the name and designation of the officer who has approved the draft. After indicating the name and designation of the officer, the address entry to whom it is to be sent should invariably indicated at the left hand side and then "True copy:: Forwarded:: By order" should be typewritten and the copy should be authenticated by the Section Head. The format indicated vide para. 8.06 of the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Office Manual should be followed.
- (xx) Required number of fair copies alone should be taken by the Typist and when the draft is extensively corrected, the Typist can type an extra copy. If number of fair copies to be taken exceeds ten, it should be stenciled.

* (Reminder Due).

@ (Next Reminder).

- (xxi) Copies of order on disciplinary proceedings cases should be signed by the officer who has imposed the penalty as Disciplinary Proceedings Authority.
- (xxii) No paper for despatch should be retained for more than 24 hours. Letters both official and D.O. should be despatched before 4.30 p.m. on the day of receipt itself.
- (xxiii) On the cover, the despatcher should invariably put "OIGS".
- (xxiv) Whenever franking machine is used, barest minimum of required stamps alone should be kept for urgent use and register for franking machine and stamp account should be maintained.
- (xxv) The Personal Register should not be used as despatch register, Master Control Register etc.
- (xxvi) All the docket sheets indicated in the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Office Manual should be printed and supplied.
- (xxvii) A current should be disposed off within five days from the date of receipt by the Assistant/Junior Assistant. If not disposed off within five days it should be brought to the notice of the Officer-in-charge of the section through Daily Detention List.
- (xxviii) Whenever a reply is expected from the outside office only after a period of three months, such cases shall be closed after getting approval from the controlling officer and after making an entry in the Call Book Register and the Current No. in the Personal Register should be rounded off.
- (xxix)
 - (a) The Procedures laid down in para. 12.07 of Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Office Manual shall be strictly followed.
 - (b) The Reminder Diary should be maintained as per the procedure laid down in para 12.07(2) of Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Office Manual.
 - (c) The issue, receipt and destruction of Records etc. in the Record Section should be as per procedures laid down in Ch. XIII of the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Office Manual.
 - (d) The entries in the Service Book have been standardised and the instructions issued therefor and published in the Gazette should be scrupulously followed.
 - (e) Check list ordered for settlement of Terminal Benefits published in July 1988 Gazette should be scrupulously followed for 100% settlement.
 - (f) The Typist should maintain the Out-Turn Register in the form prescribed therefor as published in the Gazette along with Typewriter Machine Card in duplicate as laid down in para. 15.17 of Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Office Manual.
 - (g) Economy in usage of stationery should be adopted as detailed in para. 17.07 of Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Office Manual.
- 3. All the Controlling Officers in charge of the Circles, Division, Sub-divisions etc. are instructed to see that all the provisions contained in Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Office Manual are implemented in day to day work along with the salient points mentioned in para. 2 above. They should ensure that the provisions are scrupulously followed. Deviation, if any, in implementing the procedures will be viewed very seriously.
- 4. Receipt of this Memorandum should be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Chairman)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

TELEPHONES—Provision of STD facility to the residential DOT phone of all Superintending Engineer/General Construction Circle of Tamil Nadu Electricity—Board—Sanction—accorded.

(Permanent) B. P. (Ch.) No. 203

(Administrative Branch)

Dated: 6—6—1994,
Vaikasi-23, Bhava,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025.
Read:

Member (Generation)/Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Note dt. 23—5—94.

Proceedings :

At present the DOT phones provided to the residence of Superintending Engineers of General Construction Circles are functioning without STD facility. Provision of STD facility to the residential phones of all Superintending Engineers of General Construction Circles of the Board has been felt necessary.

After careful examination, sanction is accorded for provision of STD facility to the residential DOT phone provided to all the Superintending Engineers of General Construction Circles of the Board.

(By Order of the Chairman)

Olney Aaron,
Chief Engineer (Personnel).



Establishment—Tamil Nadu Electricity Board—Abolition of the post of General Superintendent/Mechanical and creation of one post of Superintending Engineer/Mechanical in Tuticorin Thermal Power Station—Scraping of the category of General Superintendent from Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Service Regulations—Orders—Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (F.B.) No. 30

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated 9—6—1994,
Vaikasi 26, Bhava,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025.
Read:

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No. 341 S.B. dt. 21—12—89.

Proceedings :

In the B.P. cited, One post of General Superintendent, in Mechanical Division was created to provide promotional opportunities to Mechanical Engineers who were otherwise retiring as Superintending Engineers as there was no post of Chief Engineer/Mechanical at that time. The post held by the senior most Superintending Engineer/Mechanical was upgraded as General Superintendent and the incumbent was promoted and posted in that upgraded post. But there is no post of General Superintendent on Electrical or Civil side. In 1991 one post of Chief Engineer/Mechanical was created. Thereby the General Superintendent/Mechanical had got the line of promotion as Chief Engineer/Mechanical where as on the Electrical and civil sides, Superintending Engineers are directly appointed as Chief Engineers. Consequent on the creation of Chief Engineer/Mechanical, the Superintending Engineers of Mechanical division can also go upto the level of Chief Engineers on par with their counterparts in the Electrical and Civil Divisions. Therefore, continuing the post of General Superintendent for the Mechanical Engineers alone has been examined and considered as not necessary.

2. Accordingly the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board hereby directs that :-

- (i) the existing post of General Superintendent in Tuticorin Thermal Power Station be abolished from the date of relief of the present incumbent of the post.
- (ii) On abolition of the post of General Superintendent, one post of Superintending Engineer/Mechanical be created in Tuticorin Thermal Power Station.
- (iii) the provision in the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Service Regulations be amended for deletion of the category of General Superintendent and thereby making Superintending Engineer/Mechanical post as Feeder Category to the post of Chief Engineer/Mechanical.

(By Order of the Board)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

Circular Memorandum No. 41026/O&M Cell—I/(2)/94—1 (Secretariat Branch) Dated : 13—6—94.

Sub : Routing of files to Members—Regarding.

It is observed that most of the routine files not involving any policy issues are being put up to the Members of the Board resulting in not only delay but also consuming their time. There are already clear instructions available in regard to dealing with tenders, financial and administrative matters. It is therefore expected that Chief Engineers themselves should deal in these matters and only files involving policy issues need be put up to Members. As regards tenders, the notes may be put up by the Chief Engineers themselves to Tender Committee where Board/Tender Committee is the competent authority and in cases where these are within the powers of Chief Engineers, it should be dealt with by them.

In regard to administrative matters, Secretary/Chief Engineer/Personnel will put up the files directly to Chairman wherever Chairman's Orders are required.

A. P. Muthuswami,
Chairman.

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Memorandum No. 40731/A1/94—1, (Secretariat Branch) Dated the 13th June 1994.

Sub : Establishment — Class I Officers — Retired from the Service of the Board on 31—5—94 A.N. — Notification—Issued.

The following Notification is issued :

NOTIFICATION

The following Officers have retired on superannuation from the service of the Board on the Afternoon of 31—5—94 :—

Thiruvallur

1. K. V. Manickam, Chief Engineer/Technical Audit.
2. N. Krishnan, Executive Engineer/Technical Audit, Madras.
3. P. Nagarajan, Superintending Engineer/Civil Thermal.
4. M. J. Srinivasan, Senior Personnel Officer, Madras.
5. T. R. Janardhanan, Deputy Financial Controller/North-Tiruchi.
6. E. Perumal, Deputy Secretary/Personnel.
7. S. Pranatharthi Haran, D.F.C./Coal, Madras.

K. Sundaram,
Deputy Secretary/Personnel.

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Memorandum (Permanent) No. 4339/P1/90-25 (Secretariat Branch) dated the 13th June 1994.

Sub : Establishment—Tamil Nadu Electricity Board—Sanction of leave on Medical Certificate—Revised format—Instructions issued.

- Ref : (i) Memo. No. 80913/O&M Cell/88-3, dt. 27—3—89.
(ii) Memo. No. 78354/O&M Cell/90-1, dt. 15—12—90.

The question of production of medical certificate by all the employees of the Board including Class I and II Officers in a common format has been examined based on clarification raised by certain Superintending Engineers.

2. It has been decided that all the employees of the Board including Class I and II Officers may be permitted to apply for Medical Leave in a common format.

3. Accordingly, in supercession of the instructions issued in the references cited, it is hereby ordered that Un-earned Leave on Medical grounds to all the employees including Class I and II Officers shall be sanctioned only on production of Medical Certificate in the revised format annexed to this Memorandum.

4. The existing procedure in regard to Class I and II Officers who apply for Un-earned Leave on Medical Certificate beyond one year period to produce the Medical Certificate from Civil Surgeon or the District Medical Officer of the area for each spell of remaining period of 6 months i.e. upto 18 months subject to other usual conditions shall be continued as instructed in Memo. No. 36349/B2/77-4 dated 12-7-78. Similarly, the existing procedure in respect of the employees belonging to Class III and IV Service who apply for Un-earned Leave on Medical Certificate beyond one year period to produce Medical Certificate from a Civil Assistant Surgeon or a Medical Officer of the area (Authorised Medical Attendant) subject to other usual conditions as instructed in Memo. No. 57603/B2/78-1 dt. 19-3-79 shall be continued.

(By Order of the Chairman)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

ANNEXURE

CLASS I / II / III / IV SERVICE

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE FOR LEAVE/EXTENSION OF LEAVE

Signature of applicant _____

I, Dr _____ after careful personal examination of the case hereby certify that Thiru/Thirumathi/Selvi _____ whose signature is given above is/was suffering from _____ based on clinical condition and investigation done as is given in the reverse and I consider that a period of absence from duty for _____ with effect from _____ is absolutely necessary for the restoration of his/her health.

Station and Address :

Date :

Civil Surgeon/
Authorised Medical Attendant or
Registered Medical Practitioner
and Registration Certificate No.
District Medical Officer or
Nearest Government Medical Officer.

MEDICAL HISTORY

(The nature and probable duration of illness should be specified)

Clinical condition :

Investigation done :

Civil Surgeon/
Authorised Medical Attendant or
Registered Medical Practitioner and
Registration Certificate No.
District Medical Officer or
Nearest Government Medical Officer.

HOLIDAYS—Public Holiday on 17—6—94 in Tamil Nadu—Declared under Negotiable Instruments Act 1881—Hartal and general strike to impress the Central Government for securing Presidential Assent to the Bill passed by the Legislative Assembly for continuance of 69% reservation in Tamil Nadu—Orders—Issued.

(Routine) B.P. (Ch.) No. 80

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 16th June 1994,
Aani 2, Bhava,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025.

Read :

G. O. Ms. No. 465 Public (Miscellaneous) Department Dated 16—6—1994.

Proceedings :

In the Government Order cited, the Government have ordered that all Government Offices including the offices of the Local Bodies, State Government Undertakings, etc. shall be closed from 6 hours to 18 hours on Friday the 17th June 1994 as there shall be total cessation of work throughout the State of Tamil Nadu on that day from 6 hours to 18 hours. Essential services such as Electricity Supply, Drinking Water Supply, etc. have been exempted.

2. The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board directs that Offices of the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board shall be closed from 6 hours to 18 hours on Friday the 17th June 1994. However, Power Houses, Sub-stations, Section Offices, etc. will function as usual on that day.

(By Order of the Chairman)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

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HOLIDAY—Holiday for Muharram on 20—6—94—Change in the date of observance—Revised Orders—Issued.

(Routine) B.P. (Ch.) No. 81

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 16th June, 1994,
Aani 2, Bhava,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu, 2025.

Read :

- (i) (Permanent) B. P. (Ch.) No. 258 (Secretariat Branch) dt. 3—12—1993.
- (ii) G. O. Ms. No. 466 Public (Miscellaneous) Department dt. 16—6—1994.

Proceedings :

In the Board's Proceedings cited, holiday was declared on 20—6—94 for Muharram.

2. In the Government Order cited, the Government have ordered that Tuesday, the 21st June 1994 shall be a Public Holiday on account of Muharram instead of 20—6—94.

3. The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board declared that Tuesday, the 21st June 1994 shall be a Holiday for Muharram to the employees of Tamil Nadu Electricity Board instead of Monday, the 20th June 1994.

(By Order of the Chairman)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

Lr. No. 044249/193/Adm.4(1)/94-1, (Administrative Branch), dated 16-6-94.

Sub: Vigilance Cell—Anti Power Theft Squad—Posting of staff/officers in Vigilance Cell and Anti Power Theft Squad—Instructions Issued.

I am to inform you that it has come to the notice that one of the Superintending Engineer has posted one Technical Assistant to Vigilance Cell/Anti Power Theft Squad without getting the clearance from Vigilance Cell.

2 The Inspector General of Police/Vigilance/Tamil Nadu Electricity Board has stated that the Chief Engineers/Distribution and Superintending Engineers/Distribution Circles are not Competant to post any staff of their own choice to Vigilance Cell/Anti Power Theft Squad, without getting the clearance of Vigilance Cell.

3. I am to inform you that any Staff/Officers to be posted to Vigilance Cell/Anti Power Theft Squad in future it should be done only after getting the clearance from the Vigilance Cell.

Olney Aaron,
Chief Engineer/Personnel.

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Electricity—Applicability of tariff in respect of Hospitals under the control of Municipality/Corporation/ Panchayat Union/Government Veterinary Hospitals, Leprosy Sub-Centres—Regarding.

(Permanent) B. P. (FB.) No. 173,

(Technical Branch)

Dated 18-6-1994,

Aani 4, Bhava,

Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025

Proceedings :

As per Tariff Notification issued in G. O. Ms. No. 861, P. W. (Elec.) dated 30-4-82 and subsequent G. Os. Government hospitals have been classified under H. T. Tariff-II/L. T. Tariff-VII.

Since there is no specific mention about the tariff applicable to hospitals under the control of Municipality/Corporation/Panchayat Union, Government Veterinary Hospital, National Leprosy Sub-Centres, the Audit Parties are objecting to the application of H. T. Tariff-II/L. T. Tariff-VII to the above hospitals, even though the above hospitals are serving the needs of the public, similar to Government hospitals.

After careful examination the Board approves the application of H. T. Tariff-II/L. T. Tariff-VII as the case may be to hospitals under the control of Municipality/Corporation/Panchayat Union, Government veterinary hospital, Leprosy Sub-Centres.

(By Order of the Board)

R. Venkataraman,
Chief Engineer/Chairman's Office.

Establishment—Transfer of areas from South Arcot Vallalar Electricity Distribution Circle to Villupuram Ramasamy Padayachiyar Electricity Distribution Circle—Orders—issued.

(Per) B. P. (Ch.) No. 211

(Administrative Branch)

dated 20—6—1994,
Aani 6, Bhava,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025.

Read :

1. G. O. Ms. No. 1486 (Revenue Y3 Department) dated 18—12—1992.
2. From Chief Engineer (Distribution) Vellore Region Lr. No. 114/Adm/A2/93-8
Dated 29—9—1993.

Proceedings :

Consequent on the formation of new Villupuram Ramasamy Padayachiyar District under the Villupuram Revenue District, certain areas now under the control of Superintending Engineer/South Arcot Vallalar Electricity Distribution Circle are to be handed over to the Superintending Engineer, Villupuram Ramasamy Padayachiyar Electricity Distribution Circle.

2. After careful consideration of the proposal of the Chief Engineer (Distribution) Vellore Region, it is hereby ordered that the following Sub Divisions and Sections shall be transferred from South Arcot Vallalar Electricity Distribution Circle to Villupuram Ramasamy Padayachiyar Electricity Distribution Circle with immediate effect.

I. O&M Sub Divisions

1. Kandamangalam
2. Ulundurpet
3. T. V. Nallur
4. Villianur

O&M Sections

- (1) Thiruchitrambalam
- (2) Kottakuppam
- (3) Mokshakulem
- (4) Sornavoor
- (5) V. Agaram
- (6) Gangarampalayam
- (7) Mandagapattu
- (8) Kaddamangalam
- (9) Ulundurpet/Town
- (10) Ulundurpet/North
- (11) Ulundurpet/West
- (12) Sengurichi
- (13) Asanur
- (14) Arasur
- (15) Thirunavalur
- (16) Periyasevali
- (17) T. V. Nallur/Town
- (18) T. V. Nallur/Rural/North
- (19) T. V. Nallur/Rural/South
- (20) Vanur

II. Construction Sub Division

1. Ulundurpet

Construction Sections

- (1) Ulundurpet
- (2) Arasur
- (3) Kandamangalam

3. Receipt of the B. P. shall be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Chairman)

Olney Aaron,
Chief Engineer (Personnel).

Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Services—Repatriates from Burma—Age, Educational and other concession for appointment to Board's service—Discontinuance—Orders of Government—Applicability to Board—Orders issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch) No. 168

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 24th June 1994

Read :

- (i) B.P. Ms. No. 413, dated 22—2—65.
- (ii) B.P. Ms. No. 267, (SB) dt. 30—4—80.
- (iii) B.P. Ms. No. 467, (SB) dt. 1—9—81.
- (iv) (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No. 151 (SB) dt. 4—9—92.
- (v) G.O. Ms. No. 183 P&AR (Per. M) Dept., dt. 15—6—93.

Proceedings :

The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board directs that the orders issued by the Government in the Government Order cited (copy annexed) be made applicable in respect of recruitment to various posts in the Service of the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board also.

(By Order of the Chairman)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

Encl. :

COPY OF :

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

ABSTRACT

Public Services—Tamil Nadu State and Subordinate Services—Repatriates from Burma—Age, Educational and other concession for appointment to Government Service—Discontinuance—Ordered.

G.O. Ms. No. 183 (Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Per. M) Department) Dated 15—6—93

1. G.O. Ms. No. 10, Public (Services-A) Department, dated 2—1—1965.
2. G.O. Ms. No. 599, Public (Services-A) Department, dated 24—3—1965.
3. G.O. Ms. No. 2024, Revenue Department, dated 15—5—1974.
4. G.O. Ms. No. 219, Public (Services-M) Department, dated 22—1—1975.
5. G.O. Ms. No. 619, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Per. M) Department, dated 24—5—1979.
6. G.O. Ms. No. 139, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Per. M) Department, dated 18—2—81.
7. G.O. Ms. No. 419, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Per. M) Department, dated 23—12—91.
8. Letter Dy. No. 148/92, Establishment (D), dated 17—1—92, from Director (East), Department of Personnel and Training Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension, Government of India, New Delhi.

Order :

In the Government order first to sixth read above, orders were issued for the grant of age, educational and other concessions to the repatriates from East Pakistan, Burma, Sri Lanka, Vietnam and East African countries of Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania etc., while making recruitment to various posts in the Tamil Nadu State and Subordinate Services.

2. In their letter eighth read above, the Government of India have stated that the age, and fee concessions allowed to the repatriates from Burma upto 31—12—90 be discontinued thereafter.

3. After careful consideration, the Government have decided to adopt the policy decision taken by the Government of India and direct that the age and fee concessions granted to the repatriates from Burma for recruitment to various posts in the Tamil Nadu State and Subordinate Services be discontinued from the date of issue of this order.

(By Order of the Governor)

Sd/ x x x x x
M. Ahmed,

Secretary to Government.

(True Copy)

Leave—Unearned Leave on Medical Certificate admissible to Board Servants undergoing treatment for certain major ailments like Coronary Surgery, Kidney transplantation, Retina transplantation—Availing of Unearned Leave on Medical Certificate without restriction—Orders—Issued

(Per.) B.P. (Ch) No. 169

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 24th June 1994,

Read :

G. O. Ms. No. 527 P&AR (F.R. III) dt. 10—10—88

Proceedings :

At present all approved probationers and permanent Board employees suffering from Tuberculosis, Cancer, Leprosy, Cancer & Hansen's Disease are eligible for Unearned Leave on Medical Certificate for 18 months in all at a time without any restriction.

2. The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board now directs that Board's employees who undergo coronary surgery, Kidney transplantation, Retina transplantation shall also be permitted to avail Unearned Leave on Medical Certificate without restriction of the period of leave, for the period for which a certificate is given by a recognised institution where the Board employees undergo treatment.

3. Amendment to Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Leave Regulations will be issued separately.

(By Order of the Chairman)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

Memo No. 5427/P1/94—1, (Secretariat Branch), dated the 24th June 1994.

Sub : Tamil Nadu Electricity Board—Cases filed in High Court/Civil Court/Labour Court—Deputing of Board employees on date of hearing—Instructions—Issued.

Several cases are now being filed by the Board employees in High Court/Civil Court/Labour Court on matters relating to their service conditions like promotion, transfers, fixation of seniority, etc. Considering the number of cases being attended to by the Standing Counsels/Govt. Advocate in the High Court/Civil Court/Labour Court etc., it is felt necessary that they should be briefed of salient points to be put forth before the referred Courts and also be assisted by deputing the concerned departmental officers with all relevant materials, records, rules, etc. so that the stand of the Board is clearly brought to the notice of Standing Counsels and Government Advocates.

2. It is also observed that at present officers dealing with the subject are not being deputed to the respective courts in time to assist the Standing Counsels and Government Advocate. If the materials, records, copies of rules, etc. are given to them on time, they will be in a better position to equip themselves to put forth the pleas of the Board more effectively. Hence, in future whenever the cases come up for hearing before the courts, the concerned officer conversant with the subject should be deputed to the court on the day prior to the date of hearing for briefing the Standing Counsel/Government Advocate concerned on the stand taken by the Board besides furnishing relevant rules and materials required by them. The officers should be asked to attend the Court on the day of hearing also so that they could furnish any information that may be required by the Standing Counsel/Government Advocate during the course of hearing.

3. However, deputation of officials from places outside Madras City to attend the High Court/Civil Courts/Labour Court work may not be resorted to as a routine but should be only based on the importance of the case. The above instruction shall be adhered to strictly.

(By Order of the Chairman)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

Memorandum No. 08962/62/S2/A1/93-18 (Administrative Branch) Dated the 28th June 1994.

Sub : Establishment—Class I to IV Services—Provincial and Regular Work Establishment categories—Annual general continuance for the year 1991—1994—Authorisation of Pay and Allowances for the month of June 1994—Orders—issued.

Pending issue of orders for continuance of posts, Pay and Allowances for the month of June 1994 for incumbents of the posts whose sanctions have expired from 1—3—1991 to 31—3—1994 in respect of Distribution Circles, Generations and other Offices concerned as indicated in the Annexure including those posts which stand abolished by specific order shall be claimed and admitted.

(By Order of the Chairman)

Olney Aaron,
Chief Engineer/(Personnel).

Encl. :

Annexure to Memo No. 08962/62/S2/A1/93-18 Dated 28-06-1994

Sl No.	Name of the Distribution Circle/Project/ Generation/Construction/Office	Provincial	Regular work Establishment
Coimbatore Region			
1.	C.E. (Distribution) Coimbatore Regn.	52	2
2.	Coimbatore ED Circle (South)	1,224	3,153
3.	Coimbatore ED Circle (North)	948	2,110
4.	Udumalpet ED Circle	902	2,214
Salem Region			
5.	Periyar ED Circle	1,431	3,597
Vellore Region			
6.	Dharmapuri ED Circle	1,031	2,766
7.	Kancheepuram ED Circle	862	2,222
8.	Villupuram Ramasamy Padayachiyar EDC	783	2,607
Madras Region			
9.	Chengalpattu MGR ED Circle	759	1,807
10.	Madras ED Circle (South)	1,133	2,831
11.	Madras ED Circle (Central)	1,046	2,696
12.	Madras ED Circle (North)	1,147	2,610
Madurai Region			
13.	Madurai ED Circle	1,531	3,254
14.	Ramnad ED Circle	977	1,925
Tirunelveli Region			
15.	Kanyakumari ED Circle	680	982
16.	Kamarajar ED Circle	981	1,870
17.	Tirunelveli Kattabomman ED Circle	1,359	2,638

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Trichy Region			
18. Trichy ED Circle (South)		1,082	2,620
19. Trichy ED Circle (North)		1,107	2,584
20. Nagapattinam Quaid-E-Milleth ED Circle		789	1,521
21. Pudukottai ED Circle		520	1,325
Generation Circle			
22. Generation Circle/Kundah		394	1,312
23. Generation Circle/Tirunelveli		290	571
24. Generation Circle/Erode		257	453
25. Generation Circle/Kadamparai		236	392
General Construction Circle			
26. General Constn. Circle (South), Madurai		201	276
27. General Constn. Circle (Salem)		132	200
28. General Constn. Circle (Madras)		211	482
29. General Constn. Circle (Central), Trichy		192	337
30. General Constn. Circle (West) Coimbatore		160	349
Project			
31. Mettur Thermal Power Station		837	562
32. Mettur Thermal Power Project		81	17
33. Tuticorin Thermal Power Project		406	74
34. Tuticorin Thermal Power Station		1,164	963
35. Ennore Thermal Power Station		831	1,343
36. North Madras Thermal Power Project		521	72
37. North Madras Thermal Power Project (Pre-commissioning works)		66	—
38. Hydro Project/Pykara USHE Project		133	44
39. Coimbatore water Supply Project		96	35
40. Wind Energy Development Cell, Madurai		36	33
41. Hydro Project/Urchickottoi, Bhavani		138	57
42. Parson's Valley Power House (under the control of CE/PUSHEP)		46	—
Head Quarters Office			
43. S.E./(I.E.M.C)		9	—
44. S.E./(Mettur Workshop Circle)		92	815
45. Administrative Branch		6	—
46. Chief Internal Audit Officer		2	—
47. S.E./(Planning)		1	—
48. C.E./(Research & Development)		3	—
49. S.E./Elect./B.B.G.T.P.		32	1
50. S.E./Design/T.T.P.P.		18	—
51. S.E./Civil/Thermal—I		—	1
52. S.E./Design/NMTPP		33	1
53. S.E./(Madras Development Circle)		59	101
54. Chief Financial Controller		—	1
55. S.E./(P & C) Madras		—	2
56. C.E./Non-Conventional Energy Sources		3	—
57. S.E./Materials Management		3	—
58. Narimanam Gas Turbine Project		24	12
59. S.E./(M.A.U.P.)		4	—

Memo. No. 285/IR3 (2)/ Adm. Br./88-13, dated 28-6-1994.

Sub : Establishment — Qualifications prescribed for promotion in respect of RWE categories upto the level of Foreman I Grade and equivalent—Further orders—Issued

- Ref :
1. B. P. Ms. (FB) No. 94 (Adm. Br.) dt. 3-10-86.
 2. B. P. Ms. FB No. 30 (Adm. Br.) dt. 26-3-87.
 3. Adm. Branch Memo. No. 285/IR3 (2)/88-3. dt. 13-4-89.
 4. Adm. Branch Memo. No. 285/IR3 (2) 88-4, dt. 30-10-89.
 5. Adm. Branch Memo. No. 285/IR3 (2)/88-6. dt. 22-5-90.
 6. Adm. Branch Memo. No. 285/IR3 (2)/88-7, dt. 1-12-90.
 7. Adm. Branch Memo. No. 285/IR3 (2)/88-8. dt. 16-5-91.
 8. Adm. Branch Memo. No. 285/IR3 (2)/88-9. dt. 13-8-91.
 9. Adm. Branch Memo. No. 285 IR3 (2)/88-10, dt. 30-10-91.
 10. Adm. Branch Memo. No. 285/IR3 (2)/88-11, dt. 26-3-92.
 11. Adm. Branch Memo. No. 285/IR3 (2)/88-12, dt. 26-1-92.

In the Board's Memo. 3rd cited, it has been informed that orders issued in the B. Ps. first and second cited prescribing qualification for promotion in respect of RWE categories were extended upto 30-11-89. Subsequently in the reference 4th to 11th cited, the period was extended in piecemeal till the date of settlement of worknorms.

2. Orders on revision of worknorms and staff pattern were issued in (Permanent) B. P. (FB) No. 5 (Sectt. Branch) dt. 25-1-94 after entering into settlement under 12 (3) of the I. D. Act.

3. The matter of revising the qualification for promotion in respect of RWE categories upto the level of Foreman I Grade and equivalent, prescribed in the B. Ps. first and second cited is under active consideration.

4. Hence, it is hereby informed that orders issued in the B. Ps. first and second cited prescribing qualifications for promotion in respect of RWE categories are extended till the date of issue of final orders on revision of qualification.

(By Order of the Chairman)

Olney Aaron,
Chief Engineer (Personnel).

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(Per) Memo. No. 33528-E2/94-1 (Secretariat Branch), Dated the 29th June 1994.

Sub: Loans and Advances — House Building Advance—Permission to sell the house constructed/Purchased out of Board's loan—certain Clarification—Issued.

Ref : From Superintending Engineer/Dharmapuri EDC. Lr. No. SED/Adm. 2/F. Per/94. dt. 5-5-94.

The Superintending Engineer/Dharmapuri Elec. Distn. Circle has requested clarification as to whether the property mortgaged to the Board in the name of Chairman can be authorised by the Superintending Engineer to sell out by the mortgager.

2. All the sanctioning authorities for House Building Advance are informed that prior approval of Chairman is necessary for the grant of permission to sell the house Constructed/Purchased out of Board's loan. They are requested to send necessary proposals in such cases to the Secretary for obtaining the approval of Chairman.

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

Finance

PART-III

Finance

Memo. No. SE/H(E)/EH1/A1/F. 1181/D.10/94 (Technical Branch) dt. 1—6—94.

Sub: Generation Circle, Kundah—Transport of school going children entrusted to M/s. Mahakavi Bharathiyar Transport Corporation, Ooty—Since bifurcation from 18—2—94—Orders—Issued.

Ref: Routine B. P. (FB) No. 8, dt. 28—3—94.

The following amendment is issued to Routine B. P. (FB) No. 8 dt. 28—3—94.

“The words M/s. Cheran Transport Corporation Limited, Coimbatore occurring in the B. P. are amended to read as “M/s. Mahakavi Bharathiyar Transport Corporation, Ooty”.

The above amendment is issued with retrospective effect from 18—2—94, the date on which M/s. Mahakavi Bharathiyar Transport Corporation, Ooty was formed consequent to bifurcation of M/s. Cheran Transport Corporation Limited, Coimbatore.”

All other terms and conditions of the B. P. remain unaltered.

V. K. Raghupathi,
Chief Engineer,
Hydro and Gas Turbine.

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Letter No. 32548—N1/94—1 (Secretariat Branch), dated the 7th June, 1994.

Sub: Pension—Tamil Nadu Pension Rules—Amendment to rule 9—Issued.

Ref: From Govt. Finance (Pension) Dept., G.O. Ms. No. 344 Fin. (Pen) Department, dated 22—4—94.

I am to enclose a copy of Government order cited for information and guidance.

2. Sub rule (3) under Rule 9 of the Tamil Nadu Pension Rules 1978 and Note 2 under Rule 9 are extracted in the Annexure to this letter.

Encl. :

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

Copy of:

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
(ABSTRACT)

PENSION—Tamil Nadu Pension Rules—Amendment to Rule 9—Issued.

G. O. Ms. No. 344

Finance (Pension) Department)

Dated the 22nd April, 1994,
Chirairai 9, Brava,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025.**Order :**

The following Notification will be published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette :-

Notification

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following amendments to the Tamil Nadu Pension Rules, 1978.

Amendment

In the said Rules, in rule 9,—

- (1) Sub-rule (3) shall be omitted;
- (2) in Note (2),

(a) for the expression "the provisions of rules 9(2) and 9(3) are", the expression "the provisions of rule 9(2) is" shall be substituted;

(b) for the words "the departmental or judicial proceedings" the words "the departmental proceedings" shall be substituted.

(By Order of the Governor)

S. Malathi,
Special Secretary to Government.

(True Copy)

True Extract from the Tamil Nadu Pension Rule :

Rule — 9 : Right of Government to withhold or withdraw pension.

(1) x x x x x

(2) x x x x x

(3) No Judicial proceedings if not instituted while the Government servant was in service, whether before his retirement or during his re-employment, shall be instituted in respect of a cause of action which arose, or in respect of an event which took place, more than four years before such institution.

(4) x x x x x

(5) x x x x x

(6) x x x x x

Note: (1) x x x x x

Note: (2) If an officer against, whom an enquiry is held is unable to satisfactorily account for possession by himself or by any other person on his behalf, e.g. dependants, or pecuniary resources or property disproportionate to his known sources of income, a charge of corruption should be presumed to have been proved against him and the case will come within the purview of this rule. The position is that the term "grave misconduct" used in this rule is wide enough to include corrupt practices. In cases where the charge of corruption is proved only after pension has been sanctioned and it is not therefore possible to invoke the provisions of rule 6, action to withhold or withdraw pension may be taken under this rule. In this connection the provisions of Rules 9(2) and 9(3) are to be noted carefully. In accordance with these provisions the property or pecuniary resources in respect of which the departmental or judicial proceedings are instituted under rule 9 should have been acquired by the person concerned or any other person on his behalf any time within the period of four years before the institution of such proceedings if not instituted while the Officer was on duty either before retirement or during re-employment.

(True extract)

ALLOWANCES—Hydro and Windfarm Allowances for persons working in Hydro Stations and Windfarm erection—Orders—Issued.

(Permanent) B. P. (FB) No. 31

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 10th June 1994.
Vaikasi 27, Bhava,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025.

Read :

- (1) (Per.) B. P. (FB.) No. 162 (Tech. Branch) dated 22—6—92.
- (2) (Per.) B. P. (FB) No. 172 (Tech. Branch) dated 4—7—92,
- (3) Board's Memo No. 34646-N2/93-3. dt. 23—8—93.

Proceedings:

In the Board Proceedings cited, orders have been issued sanctioning Hydro Allowance to the Shift and Maintenance employees including the Executive Engineers working in specific Hydro Areas.

2. Representations have been received to extend Hydro Allowance to other areas and also to personnel working in Windfarm Sites also. The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board has considered the above requests and has decided to accept them.

3. Accordingly, the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board passes the following orders:—

- (i) the field staff of all Hydro Power Stations of the Board upto the level of Executive Engineers, who are actually serving in the Hydro Areas, for more than one year, be paid Hydro Allowance at the rates indicated below from the date after completion of one year; first such date being 1st May '94.

	Pay Range	
	Upto Rs. 2,999/-	Rs. 3,000/- and above
(1) Upto and inclusive of 300 m. MSL and below	Rs. 150/-	Rs. 200/-
(2) Above 301 m. MSL	Rs. 200/-	Rs. 250/-

- (ii) the field staff, upto the level of Executive Engineers, working in the Windfarms and who serve in the Windmill area for more than one year, be paid windfarm allowance at the same rates as mentioned in sub para (i) above.

4. The field staff will be eligible to draw the allowance, only if they complete 12 months in the Hydro/Windfarm stations. The following are the criteria for sanction of the above allowance:—

- (i) persons who have already completed one year of service or more as on 30—4—94 will get the allowance from 1—5—94 onwards;
- (ii) in respect of those who are presently serving in the above areas, but have not completed one year of service as on 1—5—'94, they can draw the allowance as and when they complete one year of service;

and

- (iii) in future, any new transferees to Hydro/Windfarm areas will draw the above monthly allowance only on completion of one year service in the Hydro/Windfarm areas,

5. The orders issued in Board Proceedings first and second cited shall be treated as cancelled. Orders with regard to recovery/regularisation of the payments already made in pursuance of the Board Proceedings cited, will be issued separately.

(By Order of the Board)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

Establishment—Tamil Nadu Electricity Board — Revision of scales of pay and allowances from 1-12-92—Impounding of Dearness Allowance in respect of employees whose pay crosses Rs. 3500/- due to fixation in Revised scales—Recovery in instalments—Orders—Issued.

Permanent B.P. (FB) No. 33

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 15th June 1994,
Aani 1, Bhava,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025

Read :

- (i) (Permanent) B. P. (FB) No. 5 (Secretariat Branch) dt. 25—1—94.
- (ii) (Permanent) B. P. (FB) No. 23 (Secretariat Branch) dt. 4—5—94.

Proceedings :

In the Board's Proceedings cited, the scales of pay and allowances of the employees of the Board were revised with effect from 1—12—92. While fixing the pay in the revised scale on 1—12—92 or on the opted date either by fixation or subsequent increase of pay in the revised scale, the pay of certain groups of employees may cross from a stage of pay in the pre-revised/revised scale, which is less than Rs. 3,500/- to a stage of pay in the Revised scale, which is Rs. 3500/- or more. In such circumstances, impounding of Dearness Allowance as per the orders already in force will arise.

2. A question has been raised whether such impounding of Dearness Allowance has to be done even when the quantum of increase of wages per month due to fixation in Revised Scale is less than the quantum of the amount to be impounded per month.

3. The principle of impounding of Dearness Allowance is a National Policy followed by the Central and State Governments as well as the Board. Impounding of Dearness Allowance will have to be done as and when the pay of an employee crosses the limit of Rs. 3,500/- in whatever circumstances. Considering the hardship to the employees, who have to pay huge amount from their pockets as impounded Dearness Allowance, it is hereby ordered that the amount to be impounded for the period from 12/92—4/94 shall be recovered from their future pay in 60 (Sixty) monthly instalments with effect from the pay bill of July '94. For those employees who have less than sixty months for superannuation it will be recovered in higher equal proportionate instalments spread equally over the remaining period of service.

(By Order of the Board)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

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Memo. No. 33273—E2/94—1 (Secretariat Branch), Dated the 18th June 1994.

Sub : Loans and Advances—House Building Advance—Sanction of Additional Advance to Complete Construction of House/Enlargement/improvement of the house—Dispensed—Certain Clarifications—Issued.

Ref : (Pt) B. P. (Ch) No. 102 (SB) dt. 27—4—94.

Consequent on the orders issued in the B.P. cited certain Superintending Engineers have raised certain clarifications. The points raised and the clarification issued are as detailed below :—

Sl. No. (1)	Point raised (2)	Clarification issued (3)
1.	Whether the applications received prior to the issue of orders may be considered for sanction of the advance.	The orders issued in the B.P. take effect from 27—4—94 (i.e., from the date of issue of the B.P.). All pending applications received before 27—4—94 can be considered for sanction of additional advance and no applications for sanction of addl. adv. for completion of construction enlargement/improvement and for the sanction of second enlargement/improvement loan received after 27—4—94 should be entertained.

(1)	(2)	(3)
2.	Whether the applicants who were sanctioned advances without obtaining revised estimates prior to the issue of orders may be allowed to apply for additional advances.	The applicants who were sanctioned advances without obtaining revised estimates prior to the issue of orders should not be allowed to apply for sanction of adol. advance.
3.	Whether the eligibility has to be arrived at, at the time of assigning priority and that the said eligible amount alone has to be sought for from Secretariat Branch for allotment of funds.	The eligibility need not be worked out at the time of assigning priority. The amount required as per the pre-revised estimate may be claimed quarterwise from Secretariat Branch for allotment of funds. House Building advance may be sanctioned at the appropriate time based on the revised estimates and eligibility. The first instalment may also be disbursed based on the allotment made with reference to pre-revised estimates. The difference may claimed later and second instalment disbursed.
4.	Whether the difference in the amount to be sanctioned based on the revised estimates and eligibility has to be obtained before sanction of the advance.	

(By Order of the Chairman)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

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Letter No. 37550—N1/94—1, (Secretariat Branch), dated the 22nd June 1994.

Sub : Pension—Family Pension life time arrears of family pension—Orders of Government — Communicated.

Ref : From Govt. Finance (Pension) Dept., Lr. No. 4341/Pension/93—8, dt. 4—5—94.

I am to enclose a copy of Government letter cited.

2. The clarificatory orders issued by the Government shall be followed in the Board also.

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

Encl. :

Encl :

Copy of Government letter No. 4341/Pension/93—8, dated the 4th May 1994.

Sub : Pension—Family Pension life time arrears of family pension—Reg.

Ref : From the Deputy Accountant General (Pension) Madras-18 D.O. No. AG/A&E/PM/111/Pt. 163/92—93/626, dt. 13—1—93.

I am to state that the Accountant General in his letter cited has sought for clarification as to whether the share of Life Time Arrears due to deceased son can be paid to his legal heirs. The Accountant General has stated that one of the sons who was eligible to receive a share of life time arrears expired subsequently before receiving his share and a claim has been made by the legal heirs of the son who expired viz. his wife for his share of life time arrears. The Accountant General, Tamil Nadu has also stated that so far as the payment of Death-cum-Retirement Gratuity is concerned the Government of India has held that the share payable to the members of a family who dies or become disqualified before the date of payment, should be distributed equally among the remaining members of the family. However a similar ruling in respect of payment of life time arrears of family pension has not been issued by the Government of India.

2. In letter No. 4341/Pension/93—7, Finance Department, dated 7—3—94 it was clarified to the Accountant General Tamil Nadu that the share of life time arrears of family pensions due to the deceased son shall be distributed equally among the remaining members of the family. Accordingly, I am to inform you by way of clarification and guidance that where one of the legal heirs of a family pensioner who was eligible to receive a share of life time arrears expired subsequently before receiving his share and a claim has been made by the legal heirs of son who expired, the Life Time Arrears of family pension can be paid to his legal heirs.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

for Secretary to Government.

(True Copy)

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Allowances—Travelling Allowance—Classification of Grades of employees for purpose of drawal of Travelling Allowance—Consequent on revision of scales of Pay & Allowances to employees of the Board from 1—12—92 — Orders issued.

(Per.) B. P. (Ch.) No. 161

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 23rd June, 1994.

Read :

1. (Per.) B. P. (FB) No. 2 (SB) dt. 5—1—90.
2. (Per.) B. P. (FB) No. 8 (SB) dt. 8—2—91.
3. (Per.) B. P. (FB) No. 5 (SB) dt. 25—1—94.
4. (Per.) B. P. (FB) No. 23 (SB) dt. 4—5—94.

Proceedings :

Consequent on the revision of scales of pay and allowances of the employees of the Board with effect from 1—12—92 ordered in the B.P. third and fourth cited, the classification of employees into various grades for the purpose of drawal of Travelling Allowance requires revision.

2. The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board directs that the classification of the employees of the Board for the purpose of drawal of Travelling Allowance claims only shall be modified as indicated below, retaining the rates of daily allowance, mileage allowance and Lumpsum travel grant, etc., at the existing rates as indicated in the Board Proceedings first and second cited :—

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| Grade. I (a) | — | Chairman, Accounts Member, Inspector General of Police (Vigilance), Secretary and employees getting a basic pay of Rs. 4,950/- p.m. and above. |
| Grade. I (b) | — | Employees getting a basic pay of Rs. 3,300/- and above but below Rs. 4,950/- p.m. |
| Grade. II | — | Employees getting a basic pay of Rs. 1,540/- p.m. and above but below Rs. 3,300/- p.m. |
| Grade. III & IV | — | Employees getting a basic pay less than Rs. 1,540/- p.m. |

3. The Board further directs that consequent on the re-classification of the employees for the purpose of Travelling Allowance ordered in para. 2 above, the eligibility for journey by Air and Rail of the employees of Board shall be regulated as mentioned below :-

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| (i) Employees in Grade. I (a) and employees in Grade. I (b) drawing a basic pay of Rs. 4,050/- and above. | Air or Air-conditioned I class by Rail irrespective whether the journey is within or outside the State. |
| (ii) Employees in Grade. I (b) drawing a basic pay below Rs. 4,050/- and employees in Grade. II drawing a basic pay of Rs. 2,770/- and above. | (a) Air journey outside the State.
(b) I Class or Air-conditioned II Class by Rail within or outside the State. |
| (iii) Employees in Grade. II drawing a basic pay below Rs. 2,770/- | I Class by Rail |
| (iv) Employees in Grade. III & IV | II Class by Rail |

Note: 1 When the travel is by night the employees of this group will be permitted to travel by II Class with sleeper berth.

Note: 2 The cost of reservation will also be included in the journey expenses. The claim will be preferred in the Travelling Allowance Bill itself.

4. The employees may be permitted to transport personal effects by rail at railway's risk lorry etc., upto the following maximum limits :-

Grade (1)	By goods train/ lorry etc. (2)	(in Kgms.)	By passenger train from out of Col. (2) (3)
I (a) & I (b)	4,500		200
II	2,000		75
III & IV	1,000		40

If he carries more than the permitted quantity by passenger train, he shall be allowed goods rate only for the excess quantity conveyed.

The claim should be restricted to what would have been admissible had the personal effects been transported by passenger and goods trains upto the maximum limits allowed under each.

5. Notwithstanding the re-classification of the employees for purpose determining the Travelling Allowance, if an employee in a Grade with reference to the pay in the pre-revised scale was eligible for a higher benefit with reference to the orders as they stood prior to this revision, he will continue to be allowed the same higher benefit till such time he reaches equal or more benefit with reference to the revised orders in these proceedings.

6. All pending Travelling Allowance claims shall be regulated with reference to the orders above. Claims already settled shall not however be reopened.

(By Order of the Chairman)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

Allowance—Medical Allowance to employees—Enhancement from Rs. 15/- to Rs. 30/- per month with effect from 1—4—94—Orders issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch) No. 170

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 25th June 1994
Aani 11, Bhava,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025

Read :

1. (Permanent) B.P. (FB) No. 59 (Secretariat Branch) dated 18—8—89.
2. Board's Memo. (Permanent) No. 62065-N2/92 dt. 26—9—92.
3. From Government G.O. Ms. No. 293 Finance (Salaries) Department, dt. 4—4—94.

Proceedings :

In the Board's Proceedings read above, the Board has sanctioned the medical allowance of Rs. 15/- per month in lieu of medical reimbursement scheme to the Board employees who wish to opt out of medical reimbursement scheme. This order came into force with effect from 1—9—89.

2. The Government have now enhanced the rate of medical allowance from Rs. 15/- per month to Rs. 30/- per month with effect from 1—4—94 in their G.O. Ms. No. 293 Finance (Salaries) Department, 4—4—94 with the usual conditions that the existing Government servants who wish to opt for this scheme should exercise their option within a period of one month from the date of issue of these orders and that option once exercised will be final.

3. The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board after careful consideration, fall in line with the orders of the Government, directs that the medical allowance of Rs. 15/- per month be enhanced to Rs. 30/- per month with effect from 1—4—94, with the usual conditions that the existing employees of the Board who wish to opt for this scheme should exercise their option within a period of one month from the date of issue of these orders and that option once exercised will be final.

4. The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board also directs that the employees who will be recruited on or after the date of issue of this order, be paid only the monthly medical allowance of Rs. 30/- per month and they are not eligible for medical reimbursement scheme.

5. The receipt of this order should be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Chairman)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

PENSION —Medical Allowance to Pensioners/Family Pensioners —Enhancement of medical allowance to pensioners/family pensioners—Orders—issued.

(Permanent) B. P. (Ch) No. 171,

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 25th June 1994
Aani 11, Bhava,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025.

Read :

- (1) B. P. Ms. No. 94 (SB) dt. 2—3—87.
- (2) (Per.) B. P. (Ch) No. 1 (SB) dated 3—1—90.
- (3) (Per) B. P. (Ch) No. 69 (SB) dated 23—3—94.
- (4) G. O. Ms. No. 314 Finance (Pension) Department dated 8—4—94.

Proceedings :

In the Board's Proceedings Ms. No. 94 (Secretariat Branch) dated 2 3—87, orders were issued that the pensioners of the Board who were entitled for reimbursement of medical expenses should be paid a sum of Rs. 15/- per month as medical allowance in lieu of the scheme of reimbursement of medical expenses and family pensioners who had been sanctioned pension due to death of their spouse in harness, were also allowed Rs. 15/- as medical allowance after the date of the retirement of the deceased employees, in the case of employees died before superannuation.

2. The Board has also adopted the orders of government issued in G. O. Ms. No. 479 Finance (Pension) Department, dated 29—5—89 in (Permanent) B. P. (Ch) No. 1 (Secretariat Branch) dated 3—1—90 that the family pensioners whose spouses died in harness be sanctioned medical allowance if they prefer even before the normal date of retirement.

3. Subsequently the Board in its reference third cited, issued orders in supersession of the orders issued in para 4 of the Board's Proceedings second cited, that in case of death in harness occurring on or after 1—4—94 the family pensioners shall be eligible for medical allowance of Rs. 15/- per month and they will not be eligible for any medical reimbursement.

4. The Government, in their G. O. 4th cited, have now enhanced the medical allowance of Rs. 15/- per month to Rs. 30/- per month. The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board hereby directs that medical allowance of Rs. 15/- per month now paid to the pensioners/family pensioners be enhanced to Rs. 30/- per month.

5. The family pensioners whose spouses died in harness and who wish to draw medical allowance till the date of normal retirement of the deceased employees are permitted to exercise option for drawal of this enhanced rate of medical allowance within two months from the date of issue of this order. The pension disbursing authorities are responsible for obtaining the above option, from such family pensioners whose spouses had died in harness and wish to draw medical allowance.

6. These orders shall take effect from 1—4—94 and the enhanced medical allowance of Rs. 30/- per month shall be paid along with the pension/family pension from 1—4—94 to the pensioners and family pensioners.

7. The receipt of this order shall be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Chairman)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

Technical

PART-IV

Technical

Circular memo No. 12/SE/IEMC/EE(T)/Tariff-I(3)/94-2, (Technical Branch), dt. 2-6-94.

Sub : Electricity—Withdrawal of Tariff concession to New steel industries—Amendment to the schedule to the Tamil Nadu Revision of Tariff rates on supply of Electrical Energy Act, 1978—Orders issued—Copy of G.O. communicated—Reg.

Ref : G.O. (Ms) No. 88 Energy (A2) Department, dated 18-5-94.

A copy of G.O. (Ms) No. 88 Energy (A2) Department, dated 18-5-94 wherein amendment to the schedule to the Tamil Nadu Revision of Tariff Rates on Supply of Electrical Energy Act 1978 has been issued for the withdrawal of Tariff concession to New Steel Industries who get sanction of load on or after 18-5-94, is communicated for information and necessary action.

The Superintending Engineers/Distribution Circles and Chief Engineers (Distribution) are requested to take note that in respect of steel industries which are availing tariff concession as on 18-5-94 and for whom the Tariff concession period is yet to be completed, additional load shall not be sanctioned to such steel industries till the completion of the tariff concession period.

A. P. Muthuswami,
Chairman.

Encl : One copy of G.O.

Copy of G.O.

Electricity—Withdrawal of Tariff Concession to New Steel Industries—Amendment to the Schedule to the Tamil Nadu Revision of Tariff Rates on supply of Electrical Energy Act, 1978—Orders issued.

G.O. (Ms.) No. 88

Energy (A2) Department

Dated 18-5-1994

Read :

1. From the President, Madras Steel Re-Roller Association, Madras letter No. MSRA/EP/93-94 dated 17-12-93.
2. From the Chairman, Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, Letter No. 12/SE/IEMC/EE(T)/T. 1 (3)/94-1 dated 21-1-94.
3. G. O. (Ms.) No. 35. Energy, dated 1-3-94.

ORDER :

The Government have provided power tariff concession for a period of three years to new industries with the intention of attracting establishment of more number of industries in Tamil Nadu. The Government have recently been examining the negative effect of power tariff concession provided to new steel industries. It is noticed that old steel industries could not compete with the new steel industries, which enjoy tariff concession and, therefore, many of the steel industries close down their industries after their tariff concession period of three years is over.

2. The Government, after careful consideration, have decided that the tariff concession provided to the new industries under High Tension Tariff-I shall be withdrawn in respect of steel industries only, and to issue necessary amendment to the Schedule to the Tamil Nadu Revision of Tariff Rates on Supply of Electrical Energy Act, 1978 (Tamil Nadu Act 1 of 1979).

3. The following Notification will be published in an extra-ordinary issue of the **Tamil Nadu Government Gazette** dated the Eighteenth May, 1994.

Notification

In exercise of the Powers conferred by Section 4 of the Tamil Nadu Revision of Tariff Rates on Supply of Electrical Energy Act, 1978 (Tamil Nadu Act I of 1979), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following amendment to the Schedule to the said Act.

2. The amendment hereby made shall come into force on the Eighteenth May, 1994.

Amendment

In the said Schedule, in "Part. A—High Tension Supply" under the heading "High Tension Tariff—I", under the sub-heading "Tariff concession for High Tension Industries coming under High Tension—I.", in item (c) after sub-item (1), the following sub-item shall be inserted, namely:—

"(i—A) with effect on and from the Eighteenth May, 1994, the new steel industries who get sanction of load on or after that date shall not be eligible for any tariff concessions".

(By Order of the Governor)

M. Thangadurai,
Secretary to Government.

(True Copy)

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Letter No. 17332/SS1/94—2 (Secretariat Branch) Dated: 7—6—94

Sub: Madras Electricity Distribution Circle—Engraving of sealing plier at Ponneri, Tondiarpet, and Stanley Sub-Station Sub-centre—Impression to be provided in the pliers Approval—Accorded.

Ref: Your Letter No. SE/N. EDC/N/CL/AE/MRT/Subcentre/R. 384/94 dated 5—4—94.

Approval is accorded to engraving the sealing pliers at Ponneri, Tondiarpet and Stanley Sub-Station Sub Centre.

(i) For Ponneri Sub-Centre:

One Side
MSN
MRT
LAB 3

Other Side
LAB 3
MRT
MSN

(ii) For Stanley Sub-Centre:

One Side
MSN
MRT
LAB 4

Other Side
LAB 4
MRT
MSN

(iii) For Tondiarpet Sub-Centre:

One Side
MSN
MRT
LAB 5

Other Side
LAB 5
MRT
MSN

P. Kalimuthu,
Inspector General of Police,
Vigilance.

Letter No. CFC/Rev./CB/F. WRP/D. 553/94, (Accounts Branch), dated 9—6—1994.

Sub : ELECTRICITY—Non assessment of services due to adoption of work to Rule Policy by the Unions — Regarding.

Ref : Your D. O. Lr. No. SE/TEDC/S/Ty/DFC/AO/CB/D. 39/94—dated 11—5—1994.

With refer to your letter cited, the following clarifications :

Sl. No.	Points raised	Points clarified
(1)	The procedure of assessing the left out services in the previous assessments.	The left out services of the previous assessments may be assessed in the next Bi-monthly assessment on priority,
(2)	If it is assessed subsequently later date, the procedure to be adopted for billing/payment etc.	If the assessment is made subsequently (once in 4 months or 6 months) it should be ensured that the consumption should be divided by the No. of bi-monthly assessments, the charges assessed accordingly. In this connection reference is invited to this office Lr. No. CFC/Rev./CB/F. 5/52/94—dt. 20-4-91 in respect of door locked cases that the procedure outlined holds good for this also.
(3)	Whether the previously left over services may be kept unassessed continuously till the issue is settled.	Priority should be given for the previously left over services unassessed and action to be taken to assess them, so that the burden of the consumers can be reduced.
(4)	Action to be taken against the Assessors (who are refusing to do assessment of allotted services in each Cycle, where the allotted No. of services is over and above the norms prescribed.	As per Para-13-C of Annexure-I to B. P. Ms. No. 74, dated 25—8—87 pro-rata wages shall be paid for assessment in excess over the norms for the Cycle. As the Unions have been agreed for assessing the excess over services by the Assessors on payment of pro-rata wages disciplinary action should be taken against those individuals.

- (5) The procedure to be adopted to tackle the grievences of consumers if they approached through consumer protection Council/Court of the local area.

The assessment to be made deviding the total consumption by the bi-monthly and charges to be made accordingly. The consumers may be permitted to pay the amount based on the bi-monthly assessment left over. If the Assessment is made for 4 months/ 2 bi-monthly assessments, the consumers may be permitted to pay in two instalments. In the cases of services for which assessment is made for six months the consumer may be permitted to pay in 3 instalments and so on. By this the consumer will not be put into hardship. However, close monitoring is very essential through instalments register to ensure that such instalment payments are promptly made by the consumers. For such instalment no interest is leviable out of the instalments payment is not made on or before the due date, interest for belated payment @ 1½% per month has to be levied without any omission.

The receipt of the letter may be acknowledged.

V. Jayaraman,
Chief Financial Controller/Revenue.

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Circular Memo No. Ch./CE/42/797/94—1 (Secretariat Branch), dated 18—6—1994.

Sub: Delay in processing of tenders—Regarding.

It is observed that there is considerable delay in processing of tenders leading to cost escalation and other complications. It is also noticed that unnecessarily two part tender system is adopted even for standard and BIS certified items resulting in delay in finalisation of tenders. In this connection the attention of the Chief Engineers is invited to the B.P. (FB) No. 57, Technical Branch dt. 2—4—1990 wherein instructions have been issued to adopt single part tender system for standard BIS certified items.

All Chief Engineers are therefore instructed to ensure that these instructions are scrupulously followed and ensure that the delays in finalisation of tenders are avoided. It is necessary that the tenders are finalised within the initial validity period itself and only in unavoidable circumstances validity extension is sought for.

A. P. Muthuswami,
Chairman.

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Circular memo. No. SE/IEMC/EE3/AEE2/D. 198/94 (Technical Branch) dated 18—6—1994

Sub: Electricity—Energisation of 20,000 numbers on-line/one pole extension agricultural pumpsets during 1994—95 under special priority—Instructions—Issued.

- Ref: 1. Circular Memo. No. SE/IEMC/EE3/AEE2/D. 494/90/dt. 27—10—90.
2. Circular Memo. No. SE/IEMC/EE3/AEE2/D. 813/91/dt. 19—9—91,
3. Circular Memo. No. SE/IEMC/EE3/AEE2/D. 105/93/dt. 30—6—92.
4. Circular Memo. No. SE/IEMC/EE3/AEE2/D. 679/93/dt. 4—9—93.
5. Memo. No. SE/RE&I(D)/RE2/D. Target/94-95/D. 920/94/dt. 18—4—94.

The State Government while reviewing the achievement of agriculture pumpset connections during 1993—94 under 20 point programme upto the end of November 1993 remarked that proportionate target has not been achieved. REC has pointed out the same thing. Hence, it has been decided that

50% of the pumpset target (ie) 20,000 numbers may be allocated for effecting service under special priority scheme with mere service connection and one pole extension cases simultaneously and the schemes which are normally implemented from October onwards can be taken up straightaway from June 1994 onwards.

The following instructions are issued.

- (1) Out of the target of 40,000 agricultural pumpsets to be energised during 1994-95, 20,000 pumpsets shall be energised under normal priority and the balance of 20,000 pumpsets under special priority scheme of on line/one pole extension. The district-wise targets already communicated in the memo. cited (5) may be followed.
- (2) The investigation for both mere service and one pole categories may be taken up simultaneously and notices may be issued strictly according to their priority of registration of applications.
- (3) Accordingly, the targets for each Division under the mere service connection (on-line category) and one pole extension shall be 50% of the Division target fixed. In case of shortfall in any of the Division; Superintending Engineers can redistribute the target under this category to other Divisions and in case of shortfall in a Circle, the Chief Engineers/Distribution of the regions can reallocate among circles in their regions without affecting the district targets.
- (4) The notice period for this category shall be 45 (forty-five) days. Notice for reporting readiness shall be issued in such a way that the expiry date for the 45 days shall not go beyond 31-10-94.
- (5) All ready cases under this scheme should be effected supply on or before 28-2-95 and the total number of pumpsets connected shall not exceed the target fixed under this scheme.
- (6) All other instructions issued in the Circular memo. first cited for the implementation of the special programme during 90-91 may be followed for this year's programme also.
- (7) The Chief Engineers/Distribution/are requested to programme the service connections for the agricultural pumpsets such that both the schemes viz. connections coming under special priority envisaged in this Circular memo. as well as connections coming under normal priority are given side by side. The progress of these services may be reported separately to the Superintending Engineer/Rural Electrification & Improvements (Distribution). All pumpsets coming under this special priority scheme shall be effected before 28-2-95 and there shall not be any carryover to next year.
- (8) The Chief Engineers and the Superintending Engineers are requested to take immediate action to implement the above scheme.

The receipt of this memo. may be acknowledged.

P. Suresh chander Pal,
Member (Distribution).

Memorandum No. CE/CH/43243/94—1, (Secretariat Branch) Dated the 22nd June 1994.

Sub : Compensation charges for violation and penal charges for theft cases—Reduction—Regarding.

According to the Terms and Conditions of supply the compensation/penal charges have to be levied as below :

- Clause 5.00 : Compensation charges for violation based on the consumption for a period of six months preceding the date of detection or date of service connection whichever is less.
- Clause 9.00 : Extra levy for theft of energy to be made for a period of 12 months or from the date of service connection the date of detection whichever is less.

According to Clause 11.0 of the Terms and Conditions, the appellate authorities are Superintending Engineer for LT services and Chief Engineer for HT services. As per clause 13.0 the appellate authority will dispose of the appeal (confirm, modify or set aside the assessment) after due enquiry and has to furnish the reasons leading to the conclusion arrived at by him.

Of late it has been observed that in a number of cases the appellate authorities are modifying the assessment on the lower side without foolproof evidence for the same resulting in loss of revenue to the Board. This also puts the management in an embarrassing situation of taking action against the officers at the time of their retirement.

In order to safeguard the interests of the Board, it is instructed that the appellate authority should not normally modify the assessment and wherever the assessment has to be modified then such modification should be based on foolproof evidence and wherever the assessment has to be reduced by 25% or more, then in such cases the reduction in assessment should be done only with the approval of the Chairman.

The receipt of this memorandum may be acknowledged.

A. P. Muthuswami,
Chairman.

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Delegation—Delegation of powers to Executive Engineers of Construction Circles and Projects and Assistant Accounts Officers of Project Circles to pass fuel bills — Enhancement Orders—Issued.

(Permanent) B. P. (F.B.) No. 37

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated : 27—06—1994,
Aani 13, Srimuga
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2025.
Read :

1. B. P. Ms. No. 1189 (SB) dated 10—7—79.
2. B. P. Ms. (FB) No. 28, Accts. Br. dated 27—10—88.
3. From the CE/Transmission Lr. No. SE/Tr./EW/DM/F. Delegation of power/D.85/92, dated 27—10—92.

Proceedings :

In partial modification of the orders in Board Proceedings Ms. No. 1189 (S. B.) dt. 10—7—79, the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board hereby directs that the powers of the Executive Engineers of General Construction Circles and Projects for passing fuel bills only be enhanced to Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only).

2. In partial modification of the orders in B. P. Ms. (F. B.) No. 28, Accounts Branch dt. 27—10—88, the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board also directs that the Assistant Accounts Officers of Project Circles shall be empowered to pass fuel bills upto Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only).

(By Order of the Board)

M. Subramanian,
Secretary.

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