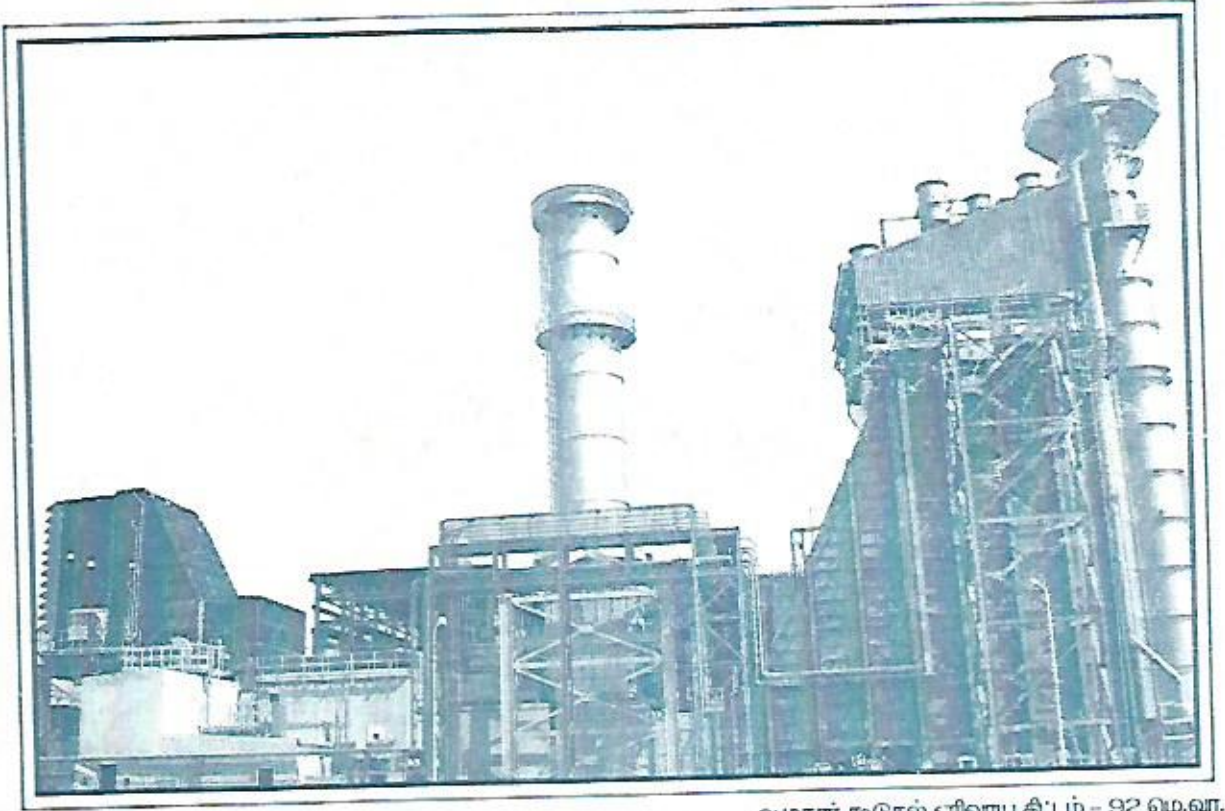




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NEWS & NOTES

PART - I

I. GENERATION PARTICULARS:

The Generation/relief figures for March 2008 were as follows:

Sl.No.	Particulars	March - 2008 (in Million Units)
I.	TNEB GENERATION (Gross)	
	i) Hydro	319.645
	ii) Thermal	2035.832
	iii) Gas	174.113
	iv) Wind & Solar	0.201
	TNEB TOTAL	2529.791
II	Net Import from CGS & other regions (excluding Pondy & Kerala Export)	2114.801
III	PURCHASES	
	i) IPP	608.328
	ii) Windmill Private	214.956
	iii) Cogeneration (Provisional)	171.000
	iv) Others (TCPL, HITECH, MRL)	62.272
	TOTAL	1056.556
IV	TOTAL (Gross generation + Net import + Purchases)	5701.149
V	Less energy used for Kadamparai pump	24.666
	Less Aux. consumption for Hydro, Thermal & Gas	188.278
VI	AVERAGE PER DAY	5488.204
		183.908
VII	DETAILS OF NET PURCHASES FROM CGS & OTHER REGIONS :	
	Neyveli TS-I	295.866
	Neyveli TS-I Expansion	151.801
	Neyveli TS-II Stage-1	350.300
	Neyveli TS-II Stage-2	100.147
	MAPS APS	102.316
	Kaiga APS	32.661
	NTPC (Stage 1 & 2)	371.915
	NTPC (Stage 3)	87.220
	Eastern region	82.768
	Talcher Stage-II	350.300
	NTPC - Kayamkulam (TNEB share)	85.507
	Unscheduled Interchange	-21.559
	Intra State ABT UI	2.392
	TOTAL NET PURCHASES	1991.635

VIII DETAILS OF PURCHASES FROM IPPs

1) GMR	108.113
2) SPCL	48.060
3) MPCL	47.169
4) PPN	165.023
5) ST-CMS	132.201
6) ABAN	74.268
7) ARKAY (Penna)	33.494
TOTAL	608.328

IX DETAILS OF OTHER PURCHASES

1) Other Regions	137.166
2) CPPS	62.272
3) Co-generation	151.000
4) Bio-Mass	20.000
5) Wind Mill (Pvt.)	214.956
TOTAL	448.228

X SALE BY TNEB

KCT, NVVN, LANCO, TATA, PTC, AEL, RELIANCE / PATNI, KALYANI	14.000
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XI Maximum Grid demand and consumption (excluding Wind mill) during March 2007 were 8566 MW at 49.02 Hz and 180.092 MU on 4.3.2008 respectively.

II. STORAGE POSITION:

The Storage position in various reservoirs as on 1.4.2008 when compared to the storage as on 1.4.2007 was as follows:-

Sl. No.	Name of the Group	As on 1.4.2008	As on 1.4.2007	Difference
1.	Nilgiris	876.440	769.190	107.250
2.	P.A.P.	104.730	70.750	33.980
3.	Periyar	81.490	3.470	78.020
4.	Papanasam & Servalar	14.500	10.820	3.680
5.	Suruliyar	33.890	8.460	25.430
6.	Kodayar	132.690	112.410	20.280
7.	Total Excluding Mettur	1243.740	975.100	268.640
8.	For Mettur	112.910	65.330	47.580

III. PERFORMANCE OF THERMAL STATIONS:**i) TUTICORIN (5 x 210 MW):**

The details of generation at Tuticorin T.P.S. during March 2008 were as follows:

	Unit	Availability Factor (%)	Generation (in MU)	Plant Load Factor (%)
I	(210 MW)	91.30	135.21	86.50
II	(210 MW)	92.10	135.62	86.80
III	(210 MW)	100.00	154.04	98.60
IV	(210 MW)	94.20	147.90	94.70
V	(210 MW)	100.00	155.63	99.60
	STATION	95.50	728.40	93.20

ii) **METTUR (4 x 210 MW):**

The details of generation at Mettur T.P.S. during March 2008 were as follows:

	Unit	Availability Factor (%)	Generation (in MU)	Plant Load Factor (%)
I	(210 MW)	100.00	155.884	99.77
II	(210 MW)	96.56	148.850	95.27
III	(210 MW)	100.00	154.387	98.81
IV	(210 MW)	98.49	150.312	96.21
	STATION	98.76	609.433	97.52

iii) **NORTH CHENNAI (3 x 210 MW):**

The details of generation at North Chennai T.P.S. during March 2008 were as follows:

	Unit	Availability Factor (%)	Generation (in MU)	Plant Load Factor (%)
I	(210 MW)	100.00	155.410	99.47
II	(210 MW)	100.00	157.635	100.89
III	(210 MW)	96.70	149.430	95.64
	STATION	98.90	462.475	98.67

iv. **ENNORE (2 x 60 MW + 3 x 110 MW) :**

The details of generation at Ennore T.P.S. during March 2008 were as follows :-

	Unit	Availability Factor (%)	Generation (in MU)	Plant Load Factor (%)
I	(60 MW)	82.30	31.445	70.44
II	(60 MW)	95.20	39.971	89.54
III	(110 MW)	95.40	50.765	62.03
IV	(110 MW)	90.80	52.566	64.23
V	(110 MW)	100.00	60.777	74.26
	STATION	93.60	235.524	70.35

IV. COAL PARTICULARS FOR MARCH 2008 :

Sl.No.	Particulars	T.T.P.S.	M.T.P.S.	N.C.T.P.S.	E.T.P.S.
1.	Coal Linkage (in lakh tonnes)	5.70	4.00	3.30	2.10
2.	Coal Receipt (in lakh tonnes)	5.02	2.10	2.81	2.01
3.	Coal Consumption (in lakh tonnes)	5.43	3.99	2.90	1.95
4.	Coal stock as on 1.9.2007 (in lakh tonnes)	1.13	1.10	0.47	0.25
5.	Specific Coal Consumption (Kg./ug.)	0.768	0.636	0.632	0.985

V. Auxiliary consumption and oil consumption during March 2008:

Sl.No.	Particulars	T.T.P.S.	M.T.P.S.	N.C.T.P.S.	E.T.P.S.
1.	Specific oil consumption (ml/ug)	2.26	0.178	0.19	3.70
2.	Auxiliary consumption (%)	7.87	8.05	8.69	12.60

S. Akshayakumar,
Superintending Engineer/Chairman's Office.

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The following details of posts are Created and Abolished during the month of March 2008.

POSTS CREATED

Sl. No.	Reference in which the posts were created	Name of the Circle	Class / Cadre	Name of the Post	No. of Posts	Purpose	Period
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1.	(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.54 (Adm.Br.) Dated:1.3.2008	Karur EDC	CI.II-Tech. CI.III-RWE	AE/JE/El. Gr.I Wireman Total	1 4 5	For the FOC in Karur EDC.	For a period upto 28.2.2009.
2.	(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.55 (Adm.Br.) Dated:1.3.2008.	Coimbatore EDC/South	CI.I-Tech. CI.II-Tech. CI.III-RWE	EE/Elecl. AEE/Elecl. L.I. T.A. Wireman Helper/WM Total	1 5 2 4 2 4 18	For the new 230/110 KV SS at Palladam in Palladam Division.	For a period upto 28.2.2009.
3.	Memo. (Per.) No.012377/57/ G39/G392/ 2008-1, dt.1.3.2008.	Head Quarters Dispensary	CI.II-Pro. CI.III-Pro.	Medical Officer Pharmacist Total	1 1 2	Mylapore Dispensary is shifted from O/o.SE/Chennai EDC/ Central and attached to Head Quarters Dispensary.	For a period upto 28.2.2009.
4.	(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.60 (Adm.Br.) dated 3.3.2008	Coimbatore EDC/ South	CI.II-Tech. CI.III-RWE	AE/JE/El. Gr.I Wireman Total	1 4 5	For the Computer Based Power Failure Redressal Call Centre at Tiruppur.	For a period upto 28.2.2009.
5.	(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.66 (Adm.Br.) Dated:7.3.2008.	SE/LD&GO	CI.II-Tech.	AE	1	To assist the AEE/ Energy Management System/Chennai in development of Energy Management System pacakage of ULDC Scheme and Data Management works.	For a period upto 28.2.2009.
6.	(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.69 (Adm.Br.) Dated:10.3.2008.	SE/CDC-II	CI.III-Pro.	JE/El. Gr.II	1	Upgradation of one post of T.A. as JE/Elecl. Gr.II	For a period upto 28.2.2009.
7.	Memo. (Per.) No.121042/547/ G37/G371/ 2008-1, dt.10.3.2008.	CE/Personnel	CI.III-Pro.	Supdt-cum-Steno	2	For accommodating the incumbents who completed 12 years of service in the existing post of Asst.-cum-Steno.	For a period upto 28.2.2009.

8. (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No. 70 (Adm.Br.) Dated:11.3.2008.	Coimbatore EDC/Metro Madurai EDC/ Metro Salem EDC	CI.II-Tech.	AE/EI.	1	For carrying out the conversion working of existing OH Power lines into UG Cable in a phased manner in Corporation areas.	For a period upto 28.2.2009.
			AE/JE/EI. Gr.I	1		
			AEE/EI.	1		
			AE/JE/EI Gr.I	1		
			AEE/EI.	1		
			Total	5		
9. (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.79 (Adm.Br.) Dated:22.3.2008.	Thanjavur EDC	CI.III-RWE	L.I.	4	For conversion of 33/11 KV Unmanned Karanthai SS as Manned SS in Thanjavur EDC.	For a period upto 28.2.2009.
			Helper/WM	2		
			Total	6		
10. (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.45 (Sectt. Br.) Dated:25.3.2008.	B.O.S.B.	CI.II-Pro.	Section Officer	1	One post of Assistant upgraded as Section Officer	For a period upto 28.2.2009.

POSTS ABOLISHED

Sl. No.	Reference in which the posts were abolished	Name of the Circle	Class / Cadre	Name of the Post	No. of Posts	Purpose	Period
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1.	Memo. (Per.) No.012377/57/ G39/G392/ 2008-1, dt.1.3.2008.	Chennai EDC/ Central	CI.II-Pro. CI.III-Pro.	Medical Officer Pharmacist Total	1 1 <u>2</u>	Mylapore Dispensary is shifted and attached to Head Quarters Dispensary.	With immediate effect.
2.	Memo. (Per.) No.121042/547/ G37/G371/ 2008-1, dt.10.3.2008.	CE/Personnel	CI.III-Pro.	Asst.-cum- Steno	2	Upgradation of 2 posts of Asst.- cum-Steno as Supdt.-cum-Steno.	With immediate effect.
3.	(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.69 (Adm.Br.) Dated:10.3.2008.	SE/CDC-II	CI.III-RWE	T.A.	1	Due to upgradation of one post of T.A. as JE/Elect. Gr.II	With immediate effect.
4.	(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.45 (Sectt. Br.) Dated:25.3.2008.	B.O.S.B.	CI.III-Pro.	Assistant	1	Upgradation of one post of Assistant as Section Officer in BOSB.	With immediate effect.

K. Viswanathan,
Chief Engineer/Personnel.

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GENERAL ADMN. & SERVICES

Part - II

Electricity - Coimbatore Region - Transfer of Dharapuram Division from Udumalpet Electricity Distribution Circle to the control of newly formed Tiruppur Electricity Distribution Circle - Orders issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.56

(Administrative Branch)

Dated the 1st March 2008.

Maasi 18, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

- 1) (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.26 (Adm.Br.) dt.21.6.2007.
- 2) CE/D/Coimbatore Region's Letter No.28396/2053/Adm.I(5)/2007-1, dated 12.12.2007.

Proceedings :

Under the circumstances reported by the Chief Engineer (Distribution)/Coimbatore, approval is hereby accorded for transfer of Dharapuram Division from Udumalpet Electricity Distribution Circle to the control of newly formed Tiruppur Electricity Distribution Circle as ordered in the reference first cited.

2. Consequent on the orders issued in Para (1) above, the Superintending Engineer/Udumalpet Electricity Distribution Circle shall intimate the transfer of pots to the Tiruppur Electricity Distribution Circle in covered by workload and not covered by workload both Provincial and RWE categories.

3. The Superintending Engineer/Udumalpet Electricity Distribution Circle shall also report the transfer of Dharapuram Division in complete shape to Tiruppur Electricity Distribution Circle promptly.

4. The orders shall take effect from 1.4.2008 onwards.

5. The receipt of the B.P. may be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Chairman)

P. Balakrishnan,
Chief Engineer/Personnel (I/c.).

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Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Pensioners Health Fund Scheme - Relaxation of certain stipulations - Inclusion of unaccredited Hospital in the list of hospitals - Orders - Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (FB) No.11

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 6th March 2008.

Maasi 23, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

- 1) (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.23 (Sectt. Br.) dt.2.4.1997.
- 2) (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.14 (Sectt. Br.) dt.13.2.2006.
- 3) (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.38 (Sectt. Br.) dt.24.9.2007.
- 4) (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.46 (Sectt. Br.) dt.7.11.2007.
- 5) (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.274 (Sectt. Br.) dt.3.12.2007.

Proceedings :

Based on the orders of the Government, the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board in the Board's Proceedings first read above, had constituted a fund called "Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Pensioners' Health Fund" to provide financial assistance to pensioners for undergoing specialized treatment/surgery, if they are affected by

major ailments. The approved list of the Special treatments/surgeries and a list of Private Hospitals accredited were annexed to the said order to provide assistance from the fund to the pensioners for undergoing treatment. Subsequently, Eye surgery/treatment was also included under the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Pensioners' Health Fund Scheme.

2. In the Board's Proceedings second to fourth cited, orders were issued showing the list of diseases and the list of accredited private hospitals including certain additional diseases and Hospitals based on the orders of the Governemnt. In the B.P. fifth read above, it was ordered that in partial modification of the orders in para 4 of the Board's Proceedings second read above, pensioners who undergo specialized advanced surgeries/treatments in respect of diseases which are included in the list approved under the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Pensioners Health Fund Scheme in unaccredited hospitals shall also be eligible for the maximum grant of Rs. 50,000/- (Rupees fifty thousand only) or 75% of the actual cost of such surgery/treatment whichever is less. But the above orders do not cover cases of treatment taken outside the State of Tamil Nadu.

3. In a specific case, a pensioner has represented for the refund of the claim to the eye surgery undergone in Aravind Eye Hospital/Pondicherry. The case was placed before the Board for a decision. While approving the above claim, the Board has resolved that in all such cases 50% of the cost of treatment may be paid subject to the ceiling.

4. In pursuance of the above decision, Tamil Nadu Electricity Board directs that the pensioners who have undergone treatment outside the State of Tamil Nadu shall also be eligible for sanction of financial assistance under the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Pensioners Health Fund Scheme. It is also ordered that in all such cases 50% of the cost of treatment shall be paid as per the practice in vogue subject to the overall ceiling limit.

5. There shall be no other change in the existing rules and conditions for sanction of assistance under the scheme.

6. This order shall take immediate effect.

7. The receipt of Board Proceedings shall be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Baord)

R. Kathirvel,
Secretary.

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Circular Memo. No.000502/9/G.47/G.472/2007 (Administrative Branch), dt 11.3.08.

Sub : Petitions received under Right to Information Act - Delay in submission of Reply - viewed by commissioner of Right to Information Act seriously - Regarding.

It is observed that large number of representations are being received from various persons ((i.e.) Citizens/ Advocates/Employees) to furnish informations under Right to Information Act, 2005 for almost all subjects involving all circles (i.e) in Distribution and other areas. Such representations are received involving all subjects under the control of all Personnel officers and Assistant Personnel Officers of Administrative Branch. It is also observed by the Commissioner of Right to Information Act, 2005 that replies from Administrative Branch and other Officers of T.N.E.B. are not given in time and such delayed action is punishable under Right to Information Act, 2005 as well as such action of failure to furnish such information will be viewed seriously and the concerned Staff/Officers who deal the subject, will be liable for punishment with penalty besides DP action against them.

2. All Chief Engineers and Superintending Engineers are hereby informed that all references which are received under Right to Information Act, 2005 have to be given personal attention for furnishing replies and any failure to furnish the reply in time will be viewed very seriously and the concerned Staff/Officers will be held

fully responsible for the delay and the penalty under Right to Information Act, 2005 will be imposed on the persons (Staff/Officers) who deal the subjects actually besides the D.P. action to be taken against them.

3. The extracts of rulings under Rule No. 6,7,8 and 11 of Right to Information Act, 2005 shall be communicated to all the Staff/Officers under their respective control, so that the tapals received under the Right to Information Act, 2005 are attended to at the earliest possible time (i.e.) before the stipulated time as per the said rules of Right to Information Act, 2005.

4. All Chief Engineers/Superintending Engineers are requested to circulate the above circular to all concerned and instruct all the staff to act accordingly and to adhere the time limit prescribed under Right to Information Act, 2005.

K. Viswanathan,
Chief Engineer/Personnel.

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Establishment - Class II Service - Coimbatore, Madurai and Erode Regions - Creation of 3 posts of Assistant Executive Engineers (Electrical) and 2 posts of Assistant Engineer/ Junior Engineer (Electrical) I Grade (each one A.E.E./ Electrical and A.E./J.E. Electrical I Grade to Coimbatore and Madurai Regions and one post of A.E.E./ Electrical to Erode Region) for carrying out the conversion work of existing Overhead Powerlines into U.G. Cable in a phased manner in Corporation areas - Orders - Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.70

(Administrative Branch)

Dated the 11th March 2008.
Maasi 28, Sarvajithu Varudam,
ThiruvalluvarAandu - 2039.

Read:

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.2 (Adm. Branch) dated 05.01.2008.

Proceedings :

Consequent on the orders issued in the reference cited, sanction is hereby accorded for creation of 3 posts of Assistant Executive Engineer (Electrical) and 2 posts of Assistant Engineer/ Junior Engineer (Electrical) I Grade (each one A.E.E./ Electrical and A.E./J.E. Electrical I Grade to Coimbatore and Madurai Regions and one post of A.E.E./ Electrical to Erode Region) for carrying out the conversion work of existing Overhead Powerlines into U.G. Cable in a phased manner in Corporation areas in Coimbatore Electricity Distribution Circle/ Metro, Madurai Electricity Distribution Circle/ Metro and Salem Electricity Distribution Circle for a period upto 28.02.2009 from the date of utilisation of the posts.

2. The incumbents of the above post sanctioned in Para (1) will be eligible to draw usual Pay, Dearness Allowance, House Rent Allowance and other allowances at the rates as admissible under the orders in force wherever applicable.

3. The Superintending Engineers concerned shall report the actual date of utilisation of the post sanctioned in Para (1) above promptly.

4. The expenditure is debitable to "Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Funds - Revenue Expenses - Electricity Distribution Circles concerned - 75 Employees Cost."

5. The receipt of the B.P. may be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Chairman)

P. Balakrishnan,
Chief Engineer/Personnel (I/c.)

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Estt. - R.W.E. - NCTPS - Free Supply of Uniform-Colours changed as Dark Blue Pant and Light Blue Shirt in respect of male employees and Brown Colour Sarees & blouse in respect of Women employees orders issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.71

(Administrative Branch)

Dated the 13th March 2008.
Maasi 30, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.91 (Adm. Branch) dated 30.3.2002.

Proceedings :

In (Per) B.P. (Ch) No 91 (Adm.Br) dt.30.3.02, orders have been issued for the sanction of free supply of uniform to the RWE Employees of NCTPS.

2. The Superintending Engineer/P&A/NCTPS has requested for the change of colour of uniform in respect of eligible RWE employees who are working in NCPTS from Khaki to Dark Blue Pant and light Blue Shirt for male employees and Brown Sarees and blouse for female employees.

3. After careful consideration, it is hereby ordered that the uniform colour to the eligible RWE Employees who are working in NCPTS shall be changed into Dark Blue Pant & Light Blue Shirt for male employees and Brown Colour Sarees and Blouse to the Female Employees.

4. The Change of Colour of the Uniform may be given effect to from the year 2008-2009 and without any increase in the expenditure for the supply of uniform.

5. The receipt of this B.P. shall be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Chairman)

K. Viswanathan,
Chief Engineer/Personnel.

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T.N.E.B. - Delegation of powers - Sanction of enhancement in the capacity of existing sub-stations - Delegation of powers to Chairman - Orders - Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (FB) No.13

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 14th March 2008.
Panguni 1, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

- i) (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.13 (S.B.) dated: 30.3.1999
- ii) From the Chief Engineer/Planning/Chennai U.O.No.SE/PLG/EMP/AEE4/F.DOPs/D.39/08, dated: 18.1.2008.
- iii) From the Superintending Engineer/Planning/Chennai U.O.No.SE/PLG/A3/F.Enhancement/D.64/2008, dated: 29.1.2008.

Proceedings :

In (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.13 (SB), dated 30.3.99 [under Serial No 7(i)], Chairman has been delegated with powers to sanction the proposals for new sub-stations, new lines, enhancement of transformer capacity, provision of additional bay in existing sub-stations upto Rs.150 lakhs.

2. It has now been stated that it is very difficult to obtain land owing to the present trend in real estate transactions and hence the process of establishment of new sub-stations is getting delayed. Hence, it becomes

necessary to enhance the existing capacities of power transformers provision of additional power transformers and introduction of new voltage ratio (By erecting appropriate transformers) in the existing sub-stations so as to cater to the rapid load growth. Accordingly, a number of proposals for the same are being evolved and sent by various Chief Engineers/Distribution for obtaining administrative approval. In most of the cases, as the estimated cost exceeds Rs.150 lakhs, the proposals are put up to the Board for approval. It has also been stated that enhancement of power transformer etc. in an existing sub-station is proposed to cater to the rapid load growth which do not involve acquisition of land and erection of additional feeders. Hence, the Board has resolved that full powers for sanction of enhanced capacity of existing sub-stations, be delegated to the Chairman.

3. Accordingly, the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board hereby directs that the Chairman shall be delegated with full powers to sanction the proposals for enhancement of capacity in power transformers, provision of additional power transformers and introduction of new voltage ratio, etc. in an existing sub-station irrespective of the estimated cost and that only proposals for sanction of new sub-station shall be placed before the Board for approval.

4. The receipt of this Board's Proceedings shall be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Board)

R. Kathirvel,
Secretary.

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T.N.E.B. - Headquarters Dispensary Appointment of part-time specialist (Assistant) in the Medical field of Gynaecology - Orders - Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.75

(Administrative Branch)

Dated the 14th March 2008.
Panguni 1, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

- i) (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.4 (S.B.) dated: 22.1.1993.
- ii) Representation dt.12.12.2007 of Dr. S. NIRUPA, M.D., DGO.,
Assistant Professor, Maternity Hospital, Egmore, Chennai-8.

Proceedings :

As per the orders issued in the B.P. first cited, the specialists in certain field have been appointed on part-time basis to attend the T.N.E.B., Headquarters Dispensary, Chennai-2 and to draw remuneration as specified therein.

2. Dr. S. Nirupa, M.D., DGO., Assistant Professor, Govt. Maternity Hospital, Chennai-8 is appointed as part-time specialist/Assistant (Gynaecology) at T.N.E.B./Headquarters Dispensary/Chennai-2 at a Consultation fee of Rs.200/- per visit subject to a maximum of Rs.2000/- per month.

3. The appointment of the above consultant shall be governed by the usual terms and conditions stipulated in the B.P. cited. The above Specialist shall visit the TNEB/Headquarters Dispensary and permitted to draw consultation fees as mentioned in para 2 above.

4. The consultation fees sanctioned in para 3 above is chargeable to "A/c.No.76-125".

5. This orders will take effect from the date of assuming charge of the above part-time consultant/ Assistant.

(By Order of the Chairman)

K. Viswanathan,
Chief Engineer/Personnel.

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Estt. - T.N.E.B. - Change of name of Trichy Electricity Distribution Circle (North) as Perambalur Electricity Distribution Circle - Orders - Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.76

(Administrative Branch)

Dated the 15th the March 2008.
Panguni 2, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

1. (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.122 (Adm. Br.) dated 30.3.2007.
2. SE/Trichy EDC/North Lr.No.800/நிபி2/உ.1/கோ. /2007,
நாள்:18.2.2007, 8.1.2008.
3. CE/D/Trichy Region Lr.No.01866/735/நிபி.சி/சி.1/2007,
நாள்:30.1.2008.

Proceedings :

In the reference 1st cited, Trichy Electricity Distribution Circle/North has been shifted to Perambalur for better administration as well as to consumers satisfaction. The Circle is functioning with Headquarters at Perambalur with effect from 6.6.2007 consisting of Revenue District of Perambalur and Ariyalur and hence the Chief Engineer/Distribution/Trichy Region has suggested that it is not fair the Circle is called as Trichy Electricity Distribution Circle/North and requested to change the name as Perambalur Electricity Distribution Circle.

2. The suggestion of Chief Engineer/Distribution/Trichy is carefully examined and it is hereby ordered that the existing name of Trichy EDC/North is changed and called as Perambalur EDC with immediate effect.

3. The receipt of the B.P. may be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Chairman)

K. Viswanathan,
Chief Engineer/Personnel.

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Memo. (Per.) No.80440/A22/A223/2007-7 (Secretariat Branch), dated: 19.3.08.

Sub : T.N.E.B. - The Right to Information Act, 2005 - Issue of receipt to the information seekers who pays the required fee in cash - Instructions - Issued.

- Ref: i) (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.227 (SB), dated 24.10.2005.
ii) (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.56 (SB), dated 11.11.2005.
iii) Memo. (Per.) No.86572/A22/A221/2005-5, dated 22.12.2005.
iv) (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.47 (SB), dated 24.2.2007.

In continuation of the references cited, the designated Public Information Officers of the Board under the Right to Information Act, 2005, are hereby instructed to accept application fee/document charges directly by cash also from the information seekers whenever paid in cash. A copy of printed format for acknowledging the receipt of the required fee towards application fee/document charges/any other charges whenever paid in cash from the information seekers is enclosed.

2. The Public Information Officers shall remit the cash collected from the information seekers immediately to the Cash Section under the following Head of Account as prescribed in Board's memorandum third cited:-

"Tamil Nadu Electricity Board - The Right to Information (Fees) Rules 2005 - A/c. Code 62-953".

3. All the Chief Engineers/Superintending Engineers are also directed to circulate the above instructions to all the Public Information Officers under their control to follow the instructions and also to use the format by assigning a serial number by themselves as enclosed for receipt of fee in cash from the information seekers.

4. The receipt of this memorandum shall be acknowledged.

Encl: One copy.

R. Kathirvel,
Secretary.

TAMIL NADU ELECTRICITY BOARD

OFFICE:

TAMIL NADU RIGHT TO INFORMATION (FEES) RULES, 2005

RECEIPT FOR CASH PAYMENT

RECEIPT NO. :

DATE :

Received from Thiru/Tmt. (address)

..... for furnishing

information relating records/copies of the records/floppy/CD diskette or any other material.

Amount:

Receipt Received.

Petitioner/Applicant

PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER

/ True Copy /

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Circular Memo. No.000502/9/G47/G472/2007(Administrative Branch), dated 20.3.2008

Sub: Petitions received under R.T.I. Act - Quick disposal of Petitions -
Reg.

Ref: Cir.Memo.No.000502/9/G47/G472/2007, dt 11.3.2008.

In continuation of the circular cited in the reference all Personnel Officers and Assistant Personnel Officers are hereby informed that the informations under Right to Information Act have to be furnished within the time limit i.e. 30 days.

2. It is observed from the past cases so far received that citizen / Employees / Advocates seek informations involving old period of Records on Establishment matters and huge datas with regard to the functions of the Board. Such informations sought for are involved for the subjects under the control of all Personnel Officers and Assistant Personnel Officers, since, all Personnel Officers and Assistant Personnel Officers deal the subjects of Establishment matters of class II to IV and RWE cadres. It is also observed that replies are not sent in time for which the commissioner of Right to Information Act is conducting an enquiry on such non-furnishing of replies, and take serious views to impose penalty besides Dicipinary Proceedings action against those responsible for the failure to furnsih informations.

3. All Personnel Officers and Assistant Personnel Officers are informed that the provisions of Right to Information Act, 2005 have overriding effect on any other Act including the official Secrecy Act 1923. Only redressal of grievances are not allowed, but all informations except the exemptions provided under section 8 of the Act, are to be furnished. If records are destroyed, the list of destruction, Register of destruction of records as per the procedure in office manual, have to be maintained by all sections as otherwise it is very difficult to reply to the petitions who seek copies of old records.

4. It is also observed from the past enquiries conducted by the commission that the commissioner seeks various questions or clarifications for which the subject dealing staff/officers, will alone be able to reply on the difficulties in non-furnishing of informations sought for by the petitioners.

5. Personnel Officers and Assistant Personnel Officers are, therefore, informed that due to failure of furnishing informations by concerned Personnel Officers and Assistant Personnel Officers due to various reasons such as searching of old records and particulars to be obtained from other circles etc., enquiry / summons are received from the commissioner. Therefore, all Personnel Officers and Assistant Personnel Officers are requested to attend the enquiries along with the available records and also along with the higher authority / staff if necessary, so that suitable replies shall be furnished to the commissioner during the enquiries. The Public Information Officer will also appear for the enquiries.

6. Personnel Officers and Assistant Personnel Officers are also informed to instruct the staff under their control to maintain the list / register of destruction of records as per office manual, so that supportive evidence can be produced to the commission for non-furnishing of information with regard to old records.

N. Vadamalaiyan,
Public Information Officer

&
Senior Personnel Officer/Inspection.

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Establishment - TNEB - Thiru P. Muniyasamy, District Revenue Officer, on deputation in Tamil Nadu Electricity Board as Special Officer (Land issues) - Appointment - Orders - Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.42

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 22nd March 2008,
Panguni 9, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

- 1) (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.28 (S.B.) dated: 2.8.2007.
- 2) From the Chief Secretary to Government, G.O.Rt.No.3753, Public (Special.A) Department, Dt.26.9.2007.
- 3) (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.244 (S.B.) dated: 9.10.2007.
- 4) From the Chief Secretary to Government, G.O.Rt.No.533, Public (Special.A) Department, Dt.8.2.2008.

Proceedings :

The services of Thiru P. Muniyasamy, District Revenue Officer have been placed at the disposal of the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board in G.O. fourth cited and is appointed as Special Officer (Land Issues) / Tamil Nadu Electricity Board in the rank of District Revenue Officer to co-ordinate with various Agencies/Departments in connection with the acquisition/alienation of land for the location of sub-stations, etc. and to sort out various land issues throughout the State and advise the Board on land valuation on deputation basis, and he has assumed charge on 7.3.2008 F.N.

2. Orders on the terms and conditions of the appointment of Thiru P. Muniyasamy on deputation will be issued separately.

(By Order of the Chairman)

R. Kathirvel,
Secretary.

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Establishment - Compassionate appointment - Tmt. M. Santhi, Part time conservancy worker, W/o (Late) M. Munusamy, Helper, Mettur Electricity Distribution Circle, (died due to electrocution while in Service) - Selected for the post of Office Helper (Trainee) as a special case - Ordered.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No. 78

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 22nd March 2008,
Panguni 9, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

1. (Per.) B.P. (F.B.) No.46 (Adm. Branch) dated 13.10.1995.
2. (Per.) B.P. (F.B.) No.6 (Adm. Branch) dated 27.04.2000.

Proceedings :

Tmt. M. Santhi, W/o. (Late) M. Munusamy, Helper, who died due to electrocution while he was attending his work had applied for employment assistance. But her request was rejected as she does not possess the minimum educational qualification of VIII Std. pass. She has again represented for employment assistance. After careful consideration the Board has decided to consider and ordered and selected for the post of part time conservancy worker in the time scale of Rs. 600-10-700-20-1100 as a special case, in the B.P. 2nd cited.

2. Tmt. M. Santhi, Part time Conservancy Worker, W/o. (L) M. Munusamy (died due to electrocution) has represented that she has now passed VIII Std. by private study and requested for the post of Office Helper (Trainee).

3. After careful consideration the Chairman/ TNEB is hereby ordered that if the employee who had died while performing his duties this may be given as a special concession. Therefore Tmt. M. Santhi, Part time conservancy worker, W/o. (L) M. Munusamy, is selected for the post of Office Helper (Trainee) as a special case by relaxing the existing conditions.

(By Order of the Chairman)

Encl. Copy of

K. Viswanathan,
Chief Engineer/Personnel.

Copy of:

Memo.No.9005/A3/A31/2008-1 (Secretariat Branch), Dated:22.3.2008.

Sub: Establishment - Counting of Service rendered as Trainee for allowing
Selection Grade - Clarification - Issued.

- Ref: 1. Board's Memo.No.58071/R1/80-5, dt.14.7.82.
2. Board's Memo.No.083609/1153/Adm.5(1)/92-2, (Adm.Br.)
dated 20.3.93.
3. (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.49 (SB) dated 20.11.2007.

In the Board's proceeding 3rd cited, orders were issued for counting the period of service rendered as Trainee for allowing service weightage and for all other benefits. A point for clarification has arisen whether the period of service rendered as Trainee may be taken into account for calculating the Selection Grade of Workmen/ Officers. In the reference 1st cited it has already been clarified that the service, which count for seniority will be

counted for allowing movement to Selection Grade. In Board's Memo.2nd cited, it has been clarified that the seniority in the post of Helper/Office Helper may be assigned based on the date of joining duty as Helper (Trainee), Office Helper (Trainee) though their services are regularised on satisfactory completion of three years of training and no separate joining report as such in the post of regular Helper/Office Helper is necessary. Accordingly, the period of service rendered as Training shall be taken into account for calculating the period for allowing movement to Selection Grade provided that the employees/officers are working in the same cadre i.e., Helper (Trainee)/Office Helper (Trainee)/Assistant Engineer (Trainee) and are working as Helper/Office Helper/Assistant Engineer on completion of 9 years of service.

(By Order of the Chairman)

R. Kathirvel,
Secretary.

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Establishment - Tamil Nadu Electricity Board - Appointment of Board's Standing Counsel for Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission - Orders - Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.43

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 23rd March 2008.
Panguni 10, Sarvajithu Varudam,
ThiruvalluvarAandu - 2039.

Proceedings :

The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board hereby appoints Thiru K. Surendranath, Advocate, as Board's Standing Counsel for appearance before the Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission from the date of assumption of charge.

2. The appointment of Thiru K. Surendranath, Board's Standing Counsel shall be subject to the terms and conditions of appointment as stipulated in the Annexure to these proceedings. He will be paid retainer fee of Rs.5000/- (Rupees five thousand Only) per month from the date of assumption of charge. The fees for work done by him will be regulated in accordance with the orders issued in (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.76 (SB), dated 28.3.2007 (copy enclosed).

3. He will represent Board's cases before the Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission, in addition to Thiru H.S. Mohammed Rafi, the present Board's Standing Counsel.

4. The allocation of work among the Counsels will be issued separately.

(By Order of the Chairman)

R. Kathirvel,
Secretary.

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Memo. (Per.) No.11573/A3/A31/2008-1 (Secretariat Branch), dated 24.3.2008.

Sub: Tamil Nadu Electricity Board - Contribution from employees towards Annual subscription and Donations to Trade Unions - Deduction from the salary of willing employees - Orders - Detailed guidelines issued - Reiterated.

Ref: (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.111 (SB), dated 9.5.2007.

In the B.P. cited, orders were issued for deduction of Union subscription / donation from the salary of the willing employees as per the standard terms and conditions issued along with the said order. It was also ordered that the recovery towards subscription should be made from the salary for the month of May payable

in June and the donation from the salary for the month of November payable in December. It has been requested by the Unions that the above instructions may be reiterated for effecting recovery this year also.

2. Accordingly, the instructions issued in the B.P. cited are hereby reiterated and the authorisation once exercised by the employee for deduction of Union subscription/donation shall continue to be in force and recovery should be continued unless or otherwise any modification is received within the time limit. It is also hereby reiterated that request for deduction of Union subscription from new members in writing should be submitted to the pay claiming officer before 15th May and the requisition received after 15th May need not be taken into account.

3. In respect of cases of employees, transferred from one Circle/Office to other circle/Office, the particulars of authorisation exercised by the employee for deduction of Union subscription/donation, shall also be indicated in the Last Pay Certificate, among other things, along with the name of the Union and code number so as to enable the office to effect the recovery.

4. All the Chief Engineers/Superintending Engineers and other Officers of the Board are hereby requested to adhere to the instructions in para-2 and 3 above scrupulously and to communicate this order to all field officers under their control.

(By Order of the Chairman)

R. Kathirvel,
Secretary.

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கடித எண்.22024/அ3/அ32/2008-1 (செயலகக் கிளை), நாள்: 25.3.2008.

பொருள்: படிகள் - அகவிலைப்படி - 01-01-2008 முதற்கொண்டு உயர்த்தப்பட்ட
அகவிலைப்படி வீதம் - அரசின் ஆணை - வாரியத்தில் அயல்பணி
ஆற்றும் மாநில அரசு ஊழியர்களுக்கு வழங்கும் பொருட்டு - நகல்
- அனுப்பப்படுகிறது.

பார்வை: அரசாணை நிலை எண்.107 நிதித் (படிகள்) துறை, நாள் 22.3.2008.

பார்வையில் சுட்டியுள்ள அரசு ஆணையில் பத்தி 2 மற்றும் 3-ல் குறிப்பிட்டுள்ளபடி, வாரியத்தில் அயல் பணியாற்றும் அரசு ஊழியர்களுக்கு, 1-1-2008 முதல் திருத்தப்பட்ட அகவிலைப்படியினை வழங்கும் பொருட்டு, அரசு ஆணையின் நகல் ஒன்று மேல் நடவடிக்கைக்காக அனுப்பி வைக்கப் பணிக்கப்பட்டுள்ளேன்.

இரா. கதிர்வேல்,
செயலாளர்.

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FINANCE (ALLOWANCES) DEPARTMENT

G.O.No.107, Dated 22nd March, 2008

(Panguni-9, Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2039)

ALLOWANCES - Dearness Allowance - Enhanced Rate of Dearness Allowance from 1st January, 2008 - Orders - Issued.

Read - the following papers :

1. G.O.Ms.No.437, Finance (Allowances) Department, dated 13th September, 2007.
2. From the Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, New Delhi, Memorandum F.No.1(1)/2008-E-II (B), dated 17th March, 2008.

ORDER :

In the Government Order first read above, orders were issued sanctioning revised rate of Dearness Allowance to State Government employees as detailed below:-

Date from which payable	Rate of Dearness Allowance (per month)
1 st July, 2007	41 per cent of Pay plus Dearness Pay

2. The Government of India in its Office Memorandum second read above has now sanctioned revised rates of Dearness Allowance to its employees with effect from 1st January 2008 as follows:-

Date from which payable	Rate of Dearness Allowance (per month)
1 st January, 2008	47 per cent of Pay plus Dearness Pay

3. Following, the orders issued by the Government of India, the Government sanctioned the revised rate of Dearness Allowance to the State Government employees as indicated below:-

Date from which payable	Rate of Dearness Allowance (per month)
1 st January, 2008	47 per cent of Pay plus Dearness Pay

4. The Government also direct that the Dearness Allowance increase shall be paid in cash with effect from 1.1.2008.

5. The details of admissibility of revised Dearness Allowance for employees drawing pay at various stages are given in the Annexure to this Order. In case where the pay of Government servants fall between two pay ranges indicated in column (1) in the Annexure to this order, the revised Dearness Allowance shall be worked out at the percentage rate. While working out the revised Dearness Allowance, fraction of a rupee shall be rounded off to next higher rupee if such fraction is 50 paise and above and shall be ignored if it is less than 50 paise.

6. The Government also direct that the revised Dearness Allowance sanctioned above, shall be admissible to full time employees who are at present getting Dearness Allowance and paid from contingencies at fixed monthly rates. The revised Dearness Allowance sanctioned in this order shall not be admissible to part time employees.

7. The revised Dearness Allowance sanctioned in this order will also apply to the teaching and non-teaching staff working in aided educational institutions, employees under local bodies, employees governed by the University Grants Commission / All India Council for Technical Education scales of pay, the Teachers / Physical Directors / Librarians in Government and Aided Polytechnics and Special Diploma Institutions, Village Assistants in Revenue Department, Noon Meal Organisers, Child Welfare Organisers, Anganwadi Workers,

Panchayat Assistant / Clerks in Village Panchayats under Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department.

8. The payment of arrears of Dearness Allowance for the months of January and February 2008 shall not be made before the date of disbursement of salary of March 2008.

9. The expenditure shall be debited to the detailed head of account '03. Dearness Allowance' under the relevant sub, minor, sub-major heads of account.

10. The Treasury Officers / Pay and Accounts Officers are requested to make payment of the revised Dearness Allowance when bills are presented without waiting for the authorisation from the Principal Accountant General (A&E) TN., Chennai-18.

(By Order of the Governor)

K. Gnanadesikan,
Secretary to Government.

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ANNEXURE

DETAILS OF ADMISSIBILITY OF REVISED DEARNESS ALLOWANCE FOR EMPLOYEES IN VARIOUS PAY RANKS WITH EFFECT FROM 1ST JANUARY 2008

Pay Rs.	Dear- ness Pay at 50% Rs.	Total (1) + (2) Rs.	DA at 47% of Col.(3) Rs.	Pay Rs.	Dear- ness Pay at 50% Rs.	Total (1) + (2) Rs.	DA at 47% of Col.(3) Rs.	Pay Rs.	Dear- ness Pay at 50% Rs.	Total (1) + (2) Rs.	DA at 47% of Col.(3) Rs.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
2550	1275	3825	1798	3140	1570	4710	2214	3660	1830	5490	2580
2605	1303	3908	1837	3150	1575	4725	2221	3710	1855	5565	2616
2610	1305	3915	1840	3170	1585	4755	2235	3720	1860	5580	2623
2650	1325	3975	1868	3200	1600	4800	2256	3725	1863	5588	2626
2660	1330	3990	1875	3215	1608	4823	2267	3730	1865	5595	2630
2670	1335	4005	1882	3235	1618	4853	2281	3790	1895	5685	2672
2715	1358	4073	1914	3240	1620	4860	2284	3795	1898	5693	2676
2720	1360	4080	1918	3275	1638	4913	2309	3800	1900	5700	2679
2730	1365	4095	1925	3280	1640	4920	2312	3860	1930	5790	2721
2750	1375	4125	1939	3285	1643	4928	2316	3875	1938	5813	2732
2780	1390	4170	1960	3300	1650	4950	2327	3880	1940	5820	2735
2790	1395	4185	1967	3310	1655	4965	2334	3900	1950	5850	2750
2820	1410	4230	1988	3345	1673	5018	2358	3930	1965	5895	2771
2840	1420	4260	2002	3350	1675	5025	2362	3950	1975	5925	2785
2845	1423	4268	2006	3370	1685	5055	2376	3965	1983	5948	2796
2850	1425	4275	2009	3380	1690	5070	2383	4000	2000	6000	2820
2890	1445	4335	2037	3410	1705	5115	2404	4025	2013	6038	2838
2900	1450	4350	2045	3425	1713	5138	2415	4030	2015	6045	2841
2910	1455	4365	2052	3440	1720	5160	2425	4050	2025	6075	2855
2960	1480	4440	2087	3450	1725	5175	2432	4100	2050	6150	2891
2970	1485	4455	2094	3455	1728	5183	2436	4110	2055	6165	2898
2975	1488	4463	2098	3475	1738	5213	2450	4135	2068	6203	2915
3020	1510	4530	2129	3500	1750	5250	2468	4175	2088	6263	2944
3030	1515	4545	2136	3510	1755	5265	2475	4190	2095	6285	2954
3040	1520	4560	2143	3520	1760	5280	2482	4200	2100	6300	2961
3050	1525	4575	2150	3540	1770	5310	2496	4220	2110	6330	2975
3080	1540	4620	2171	3575	1788	5363	2521	4250	2125	6375	2996
3090	1545	4635	2178	3580	1790	5370	2524	4270	2135	6405	3010
3100	1550	4650	2186	3590	1795	5385	2531	4300	2150	6450	3032
3105	1553	4658	2189	3625	1813	5438	2556	4305	2153	6458	3035
3125	1563	4688	2203	3650	1825	5475	2573	4325	2163	6488	3049

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
4350	2175	6525	3067	6350	3175	9525	4477	9900	4950	14850	6980
4390	2195	6585	3095	6375	3188	9563	4495	9925	4963	14888	6997
4400	2200	6600	3102	6450	3225	9675	4547	10000	5000	15000	7050
4430	2215	6645	3123	6500	3250	9750	4583	10100	5050	15150	7121
4475	2238	6713	3155	6550	3275	9825	4618	10200	5100	15300	7191
4500	2250	6750	3173	6625	3313	9938	4671	10300	5150	15450	7262
4510	2255	6765	3180	6650	3325	9975	4688	10325	5163	15488	7279
4560	2280	6840	3215	6700	3350	10050	4724	10475	5238	15713	7385
4590	2295	6885	3236	6725	3363	10088	4741	10500	5250	15750	7403
4600	2300	6900	3243	6750	3375	10125	4759	10650	5325	15975	7508
4625	2313	6938	3261	6800	3400	10200	4794	10700	5350	16050	7544
4645	2323	6968	3275	6875	3438	10313	4847	10750	5375	16125	7579
4700	2350	7050	3314	6900	3450	10350	4865	10900	5450	16350	7685
4730	2365	7095	3335	6950	3475	10425	4900	10975	5488	16463	7738
4750	2375	7125	3349	7000	3500	10500	4935	11025	5513	16538	7773
4800	2400	7200	3384	7050	3525	10575	4970	11300	5650	16950	7967
4815	2408	7223	3395	7075	3538	10613	4988	11575	5788	17363	8161
4875	2438	7313	3437	7100	3550	10650	5006	11625	5813	17438	8196
4900	2450	7350	3455	7200	3600	10800	5076	11850	5925	17775	8354
4950	2475	7425	3490	7250	3625	10875	5111	11950	5975	17925	8425
5000	2500	7500	3525	7300	3650	10950	5147	12000	6000	18000	8460
5100	2550	7650	3596	7350	3675	11025	5182	12125	6063	18188	8548
5125	2563	7688	3613	7400	3700	11100	5217	12275	6138	18413	8654
5150	2575	7725	3631	7425	3713	11138	5235	12375	6188	18563	8725
5200	2600	7800	3666	7500	3750	11250	5288	12400	6200	18600	8742
5250	2625	7875	3701	7550	3775	11325	5323	12600	6300	18900	8883
5300	2650	7950	3737	7600	3800	11400	5358	12675	6338	19013	8936
5375	2688	8063	3790	7650	3825	11475	5393	12750	6375	19125	8989
5400	2700	8100	3807	7700	3850	11550	5429	12925	6463	19388	9112
5450	2725	8175	3842	7775	3888	11663	5482	12950	6475	19425	9130
5500	2750	8250	3878	7800	3900	11700	5499	13125	6563	19688	9253
5550	2775	8325	3913	7850	3925	11775	5534	13225	6613	19838	9324
5600	2800	8400	3948	7900	3950	11850	5570	13250	6625	19875	9341
5625	2813	8438	3966	7950	3975	11925	5605	13500	6750	20250	9518
5675	2838	8513	4001	8000	4000	12000	5640	13575	6788	20363	9571
5700	2850	8550	4019	8100	4050	12150	5711	13775	6888	20663	9712
5750	2875	8625	4054	8125	4063	12188	5728	13875	6938	20813	9782
5800	2900	8700	4089	8150	4075	12225	5746	13900	6950	20850	9800
5850	2925	8775	4124	8275	4138	12413	5834	14050	7025	21075	9905
5875	2938	8813	4142	8300	4150	12450	5852	14225	7113	21338	10029
5900	2950	8850	4160	8475	4238	12713	5975	14250	7125	21375	10046
6000	3000	9000	4230	8500	4250	12750	5993	14300	7150	21450	10082
6025	3013	9038	4248	8550	4275	12825	6028	14550	7275	21825	10258
6050	3025	9075	4265	8650	4325	12975	6098	14652	7326	21978	10330
6100	3050	9150	4301	8700	4350	13050	6134	14700	7350	22050	10364
6125	3063	9188	4318	8825	4413	13238	6222	14875	7438	22313	10487
6150	3075	9225	4336	8900	4450	13350	6275	15000	7500	22500	10575
6200	3100	9300	4371	9000	4500	13500	6345	15100	7550	22650	10646
6250	3125	9375	4406	9100	4550	13650	6416	15200	7600	22800	10716
6300	3150	9450	4442	9300	4650	13950	6557	15375	7688	23063	10840
6350	3175	9525	4477	9375	4688	14063	6610	15400	7700	23100	10857
6375	3188	9563	4495	9500	4750	14250	6698	15500	7750	23250	10928
6450	3225	9675	4547	9650	4825	14475	6803	15750	7875	23625	11104
6500	3250	9750	4583	9700	4850	14550	6839	15800	7900	23700	11139

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
15900	7950	23850	11210	17250	8625	25875	12161	18600	9300	27900	13113
16125	8063	24188	11368	17300	8650	25950	12197	18650	9325	27975	13148
16200	8100	24300	11421	17400	8700	26100	12267	18900	9450	28350	13325
16300	8150	24450	11492	17500	8750	26250	12338	19100	9550	28650	13466
16400	8200	24600	11562	17625	8813	26438	12426	19400	9700	29100	13677
16500	8250	24750	11633	17750	8875	26625	12514	19550	9775	29325	13783
16600	8300	24900	11703	17800	8900	26700	12549	19900	9950	29850	14030
16700	8350	25050	11774	17900	8950	26850	12620	20000	10000	30000	14100
16850	8425	25275	11879	18000	9000	27000	12690	20400	10200	30600	14382
16875	8438	25313	11897	18200	9100	27300	12831	20900	10450	31350	14735
17000	8500	25500	11985	18300	9150	27450	12902	21400	10700	32100	15087
17100	8550	25650	12056	18400	9200	27600	12972	21900	10950	32850	15440

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Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Pensioners Health Fund Scheme - Accreditation of Additional registered private hospitals - Orders issued by the Government - Adoption in the Board - Orders - Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.50

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 29th March 2008.Panguni 16, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

- 1) (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.23 (SB), dated 2.4.1997.
- 2) (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.14 (SB), dated 13.2.2006.
- 3) (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.38 (SB), dated 24.9.2007.
- 4) (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.46 (SB), dated 7.11.2007.
- 5) G.O.Ms.No.50, Finance (Pension) Department, dt.19.2.2008.

Proceedings :

Based on the orders of the Government, the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board in the Board's Proceedings first read above, had constituted a fund called "Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Pensioners' Health Fund" to provide financial assistance to pensioners for undergoing specialized treatment/surgery, if they are affected by major ailments. The approved list of the Special treatments/surgeries and a list of Private Hospitals accredited were annexed to the said order to provide assistance from the fund to the pensioners for undergoing treatment. Subsequently, Eye surgery/treatment was also included under the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Pensioners' Health Fund Scheme.

2. In the Board's Proceedings second to fourth cited, orders were issued showing the list of diseases and the list of accredited private hospitals including certain additional diseases and Hospitals based on the orders of the Government.

3. In the Government Order fifth cited, the Government have now issued orders, including more number of private hospitals and diseases for specialized advanced surgeries and treatment under Tamil Nadu Government Pensioners Health Fund Scheme. After careful consideration, the Board has decided to adopt the orders of the Government in G.O. Ms.No.50, Finance (Pension) Department, dt.19.2.2008 to the pensioners of the Board also. Accordingly, it is hereby ordered that the new Hospitals shown in the Annexure to this order be made applicable for availing financial assistance for the specialities indicated against each under the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Pensioners' Health Fund Scheme.

4. There shall be no other change in the existing rules and conditions for sanction of assistance under the scheme.

5. This order shall take immediate effect.

6. The receipt of Board Proceedings shall be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Chairman)

Encl: Annexure.

R. Kathirvel,
Secretary.

ANNEXURE

LIST OF PRIVATE HOSPITALS ACCREDITED FOR THE SPECIALITIES NOTED AGAINST EACH

Sl.No.	Name of Hospital	Specialities approved
1.	Prasanth Multispeciality Hospital, chetpet, Chennai-31.	Gastro Enterology Gynaecology Orthopaedics E.N.T.
2.	Paterson Cancer Centre, Vadapalani, Chennai.	Oncology
3.	Balakrishna Eye Hospital & Eye Research Centre, Chennai-15.	Ophthalmology (Ocular surgeries)
4.	K.K.R. E.N.T. Hospital and Research Institute, Chennai	E.N.T.
5.	Sri Kumaran Medical Centre (P) Limited, 774 P.N. Road, Near New Bus Stand, Tiruppur - 641 002.	Neurology, Plastic Surgery, Gynaecology, Urology, Cardiology, Orthopaedics, General, Internal Medicine E.N.T. Gastro Enterology.
6.	Arvind Hospital, 17, Rangar Sannathi Street, Namakkal.	Orthopaedics, Vascular Surgery, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, Neurology, Gynaecology and General.
7.	Ramakrishna Nursing Home, 21, Vivekananda Nagar, Woraiyur, Tiruchirappalli - 620 003.	Ophthalmology Gynaecology
8.	Retna Global Hospital, 95-1, Pattabiraman Street, Tennur, Tiruchirappalli - 620 017.	Ophthalmology Neurology Gastro Enterology, Gynaecology Nephrology / Urology
9.	Rana Maternity Hospital, A-10/156, Salai Road, Thillai Nagar, Tiruchirappalli.	Gynaecology
10.	C.S.I. Mission Hospital, Woraiyur, Tiruchirappalli.	Orthopaedics, Neurology, Ophthalmology, Vascular Surgery, Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, E.N.T., Gynaecology, General.
11.	Janet Nursing Home, 21-23, Renganathapuram, Puthur, Tiruchirappalli - 17.	Gynaecology, Gastro Enterology
12.	Deepam Nursing Home, 50, Bishop Road, Puthur, Tiruchirappalli.	Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, Gynaecology & General.

Sl.No.	Name of Hospital	Specialities approved
13.	I.S. Nursing Home, 5, Collector's Office Road, Raja Colony, Tiruchirappalli.	Oncology, Vascular Surgery, Gynaecology & Internal Medicine.
14.	G.V.N. Hospital, 41, Kiledar Street, Tiruchirappalli.	Cardiology, Nephrology, Vascular Surgery, Gynaecology, Internal Medicine, General & E.N.T.
15.	Royal Pearl Hospital, C-12, Illrd cross, Thillai Nagar, Tiruchirappalli.	E.N.T.
16.	Thilak Hospital, 103, A/2 Devar Colony, 1 st Cross Thillai Nagar, Tiruchirappalli.	E.N.T.
17.	Velan Eye Hospital, 17, Srinivasapuram, Karur 639 001.	Ophthalmology
18.	V.P.N. Eye Hospital, 25, Neela West Street, Nagapattinam 611 001.	Ophthalmology
19.	G.R. Hospital, 30, Ram Gardens, Sowripalayam Road, Coimbatore - 28.	Orthopaedics Nephrology Ophthalmology
20.	Sree Abirami Hospital (P) Ltd., 33, Madukkarai Road, Sundarapuram, Coimbatore - 641 021.	Vascular Surgery, Gastro Enterology, Internal Medicine, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, General, Urology, E.N.T. & Gynaecology.
21.	Gem Hospital & Research Centre, 45-A, Pankaja Mill Road, Ramanathapuram, Coimbatore-641 045.	Gastro Enterology, Gynaecology, Oncology & General Surgery.
22.	Madurai City Hospital, Sivagangai Road, Madurai - 20.	Internal Medicine, Gastro Entrology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology & General.
23.	Senthil Hospital, 8/1, R&R Layout, Behind Shanmuga Theatre, Mettupalayam Road, Coimbatore.	Orthopaedics, Urology, Oncology, Neurology, Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology & General.
24.	Kovai Medical Centre & Hospital, Avinashi Road, Coimbatore 641 014.	Internal Medicine, General, E.N.T., Gynaecology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, and Gastro Enterology.
25.	R.S.P. Nursing Home, Sivapuram Street, Tirunelveli.	Vascular Surgery, Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T. & Gynaecology.
26.	Devi Hospital, District Science Centre Road, Kokirakulam, Tirunelveli - 627 009.	Ophthalmology

Sl.No.	Name of Hospital	Specialities approved
27.	Annai Velankanni Nursing Home, 1/111, Somasinayanar Street, Murugankurichi, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli - 627 002.	Gynaecology, Gastro Enterology, Orthopaedics, E.N.T., General, Cardiology & Neurology.
28.	Shifa Hospitals, 82, Kailasapuram, Middle Street, Tirunelveli Junction.	Internal Medicine, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T. & General.
29.	Vikram/New Vickram Hospital, 781, Anna Nagar, Madurai.	Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology & General.
30.	Apollo Speciality Hospitals, Lake View Road, K.K. Nagar, Madurai 625 020.	Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology & General.
31.	Meenakshi Mission Hospital Research Centre, Lake Area, Melur Road, Madurai 7.	Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology & General.
32.	Quality Care Hospital, 32, Sarvodaya Main Road, Elis Nagar, Madurai-16.	Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology & General.
33.	Shenbagam Hospital, 15 & 16, North Cross III rd Street, Anna Nagar, Madurai 625 020.	Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology, General & Nephrology.
34.	Latha Eye Hospital, 63A, Thuraiyur Road, Namakkal.	Ophthalmology
35.	Sri Gokulam Hospital, 3/60, Meyanur, Salem.	Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology & General.
36.	Lotus Eye Care Hospital, 52/2 Peram, East Street, Salem - 636 007.	Ophthalmology
37.	Santhosam Chest Hospital, Chennai.	Cardio Thoracic & General.
38.	Sri Ragavendra Eye Hospital, Erode.	Ophthalmology
39.	Preethi Hospital, 120 Feet Road, (Opp.) to Mattuthavani Bus Stand, Madurai-7.	Orthopaedics, Internal Medicine, General, Gynaecology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology & General.
40.	S. Palaniyandi Mudaliar Memorial Hospital, (SPMM Hospital), 25, Cuddalore Main Road, Ammamet, Salem.	Oncology, Vascular Surgery, Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology & General.
41.	City Hospital, 4/361, Gandhiji Nagar, Trichy Road, Dindigul - 624 005.	Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology & General and Vascular Surgery.

Sl.No.	Name of Hospital	Specialities approved
42.	Priya Hospital, 2/2, Nethaji Nagar, Dindigul Road, Palani - 624 601.	Internal Medicine, Gastro Enterology, Plastic & Facio Maxillary, E.N.T., Gynaecology & General, Gynaecology, Vascular Surgery & Neurology.
43.	Madurai Eye Care Centre, R. S. Puram, Coimbatore.	Ophthalmology.

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Establishment - Tamil Nadu Electricity Board - Thiru V.K. Jain, Resident Manager/Tamil Nadu Electricity Board - Guest House, New Delhi - Further extension of deputation - Orders - Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.51

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 29th March 2008.

Panguni 16, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

- i) (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.54 (SB), dated 3.4.2006.
- ii) (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.89 (SB), dated 10.4.2007.
- iii) From Thiru V.K. Jain, Resident Manager/New Delhi Lr.No.RM/
ND/F2/PSNL/D.380/2007, dated 15.3.2008.
- iv) From the Managing Director/ELCOT Lr.HR/A1/866/86, dated
19.3.2008.

Proceedings :

It is hereby ordered that the tenure of Thiru V.K. Jain, Resident Manager/Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Guest House, New Delhi (on deputation) be extended for a further period of one year from 6.4.08 to 5.4.09.

2. The payment shall be claimed and paid by Under Secretary/General/Board Office Secretariat Branch/Tamil Nadu Electricity Board/Chennai-2.

3. The receipt of this Board's Proceedings shall be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Chairman)

R. Kathirvel,
Secretary.

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PONGAL FESTIVAL 2008 - Pongal Prize amount to the employees of Madurai (Metro), Coimbatore (Metro), Thanjavur, Karur and Udumalpet Electrical Undertaking retired before the vesting date - Sanctioned - Orders - Issued.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.52

(Secretariat Branch)

Dated the 31st March 2008.
Panguni 18, Sarvajithu Varudam,
ThiruvalluvarAandu - 2039.

Read:

- 1) G.O.Ms.No.4, Finance (Pension) Department, dt.5.1.2008.
- 2) (Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.5 (SB), dated 14.1.2008.

Proceedings :

The Government of Tamil Nadu in their Government Order cited have sanctioned a lump sum Pongal Prize amount of Rs.300/- (Rupees three hundred only) to all pensioners including Adhoc pensioners of all categories and family pensioners of Government. The Board has adopted the above orders of the Government to the existing pensioners / family pensioners / Ex-gratia beneficiaries of the Board.

2. A point has been raised as to whether the lump sum payment of Rs.300/- towards Pongal Prize 2008 be payable to the employees of erstwhile Electrical undertaking who retired before the vesting date.

3. The Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, after careful consideration has decided to extend the above benefit to the employees of the Madurai (Metro), Coimbatore (Metro), Thanjavur, Karur and Udumalpet Electrical Undertaking who retired before the vesting date. Accordingly, the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board hereby sanctions a lump sum Pongal Prize amount of Rs.300/- (Rupees three hundred only) to all the employees of the above erstwhile Electrical Undertaking who retired before the vesting date.

4. The expenditure sanctioned in para 3 above shall be debitale to Tamil Nadu Electricity Board Account No.75-502 - Ex-gratia Payment.

5. The receipt of Board Proceedings shall be acknowledged.

(By Order of the Chairman)

R. Kathirvel,
Secretary.

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FINANCE

Part - III

TENDER REGULATIONS - Delegation of Powers to the Superintending Engineer - Procurement of RS Joists under Single Tender System from M/s.SAIL Enhancement of powers - Amendment to Table V(a) Annexure to Tender Regulations 1991 - Orders issued - Reg.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.3

(Accounts Branch)

Dated the 15th the March 2008.
Panguni 2, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

1. (Per.) B.P. (FB) No.2 (Accounts Branch) dated 28.1.2008.
2. Note approved by Chairman dt.15.3.2008.

Proceedings :

In the B.P. under reference cited, the Superintending engineers were delegated with powers to procure RS Joists from M/s. SAIL for a value not exceeding Rs.3 lakhs upto 30.6.2008.

In view of increase in the price of steel, after careful examination, approval is hereby accorded for enhancement of powers from Rs.3 lakhs to Rs.5 lakhs for procurement of RS Joists from M/s. SAIL upto 30.6.2008.

The approval and ratification of the Board will be obtained and issued separately.

(By Order of the Chairman)

S. Sekkizhar,
Chief Financial Controller/Revenue.

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Circular Lr.No.CFC/GL/FC/ACCTS/AO/IT/D.51/F.20B/D.No.405/2008 (Accounts Branch), Dated:24.3.2008.

Sub: Income Tax - Tax Deduction at Source on Salary u/s.192 of Income Tax Act' 1961 - Certain Amendments made to the Act' through Finance Bill' 2008 - Communicating of - Reg.

- Ref: 1) Circular Lr.No.CFC/GL/FC/ACCTS/AO/IT/F.20B/D.No.382/2008, Dated: 8.1.2008.
- 2) Proposed Amendments made to the Act through Finance Bill' 2008 as per the Budget Speech delivered by Hon'ble Finance Minister, Government of India in Parliament on 29.2.2008.

I am to invite your kind reference to this office Circular Letter 1st cited above wherein a copy of Government's Circular on TDS on Salary for the Financial Year 2007-2008 was communicated.

Now certain amendments are proposed to be made to the provisions related to TDS on Salary for the Financial Year 2008-2009 through Finance Bill introduced by the Hon'ble Minister of Finance / Government of India in Parliament on 29.2.2008. Certain important amendments related to be adopted are furnished here under for reference and adherence.

Rates of Tax for the Assessment Year 2009-2010 (relating to the Financial Year 2008-2009) in respect of the Individuals, HUFs, AOPs, BOIs, AJP's are furnished

INCOME TAX	WHERE THE TOTAL INCOME		LUMP SUM	RATES %	OF THE AMOUNT BY WHICH THE TOTAL INCOME EXCEEDS
	EXCEEDS	BUT DOES NOT EXCEED			
a) Senior Citizens Resident in India aged 65 years or more.	2,25,000/- 3,00,000/- 5,00,000/-	3,00,000/- 5,00,000/- —	— 7,500/- 47,500/-	10% 20% 30%	2,25,000/- 3,00,000/- 5,00,000/-
b) Women Resident in India who are below the age of 65 years.	1,80,000/- 3,00,000/- 5,00,000/-	3,00,000/- 5,00,000/- —	— 12,000/- 52,000/-	10% 20% 30%	1,80,000/- 3,00,000/- 5,00,000/-
c) Others	1,50,000/- 3,00,000/- 5,00,000/-	3,00,000/- 5,00,000/- —	— 15,000/- 55,000/-	10% 20% 30%	1,50,000/- 3,00,000/- 5,00,000/-

d) Sur-charge on Income Tax @ 10% of Income Tax where total Income Exceeds Rs. 10 lakhs.

e) Education Cess @ 3% of Income Tax and Sur-charge.

DEDUCTION IN RESPECT OF SENIOR CITIZENS SAVINGS SCHEME AND POST OFFICE TIME DEPOSITS

The following investments made by the Assessee during the previous year shall be eligible for deduction u/s.80C - within the overall ceiling limit of rupees one lakh.

- Deposit in an account under the Senior Citizens Savings Scheme Rules' 2004 (Sec 80C(2) xxiii)
- Five Year Time Deposit in an account under Post Office Time Deposit Rules 1981 (Sec 80(C)(2) xxiv)

The amendment shall apply to investments as above made during the Financial Year 2007-2008 and Subsequent Assessment Years.

DEDUCTION IN RESPECT OF MEDICAL INSURANCE PREMIUM (SEC 80D)

Section 80D of the Income Tax Act provides for a deduction of up to fifteen thousand rupees to an assessee being an Individual or a Hindu Undivided Family. The deduction is allowed for making a payment to effect or keep in force an insurance on,-

- The health of the assessee or on the health of the wife or husband, dependent parents or dependent children of the assessee where the assessee is an individual;
- The health of any member of the family where the assessee is a Hindu Undivided Family.

In case the assessee or any other member of the family, on whose health the insurance has been effected or kept in force, is a senior citizen, the deduction allowed is up to twenty thousand rupees. The existing provisions also have the requirements that the payment must be through a mode other than cash and should be out of the taxable income of the assessee.

Since health insurance cover for the elderly comes at a relatively higher price, it is necessary to encourage individual assessee to supplement the efforts of their parents in getting themselves medically insured. Accordingly, it is proposed to allow an additional deduction of up to fifteen thousand rupees to an assessee, being an individual, on any payment made to effect or keep in force an insurance on the health of his parent or parents. The existing condition of 'dependent' with respect to parents is being dispensed with. This deduction shall be in addition to the existing deduction available to the individual assessee on medical insurance for himself, his spouse and dependent children.

Further, it is proposed that if either of the individual assessee's parents, who has been medically insured, is a senior citizen, the deduction would be allowed up to twenty thousand rupees.

For example, an individual assessee pays (through any mode other than cash) during the previous year medical insurance premium as under:

- (i) Rs.12,000/- to keep in force an insurance policy on his health and on the health of his wife and dependent children.
- (ii) Rs.17,000/- to keep in force an insurance policy on the health of his parents.

Under the proposed new provisions he will be allowed a deduction of Rs.27,000/- (Rs.12,000/- + Rs.15,000/-) if neither of his parents is a senior citizen. However, if any of his parents is a senior citizen, he will be allowed a deduction of Rs.29,000/- (Rs.12,000/- + Rs.17,000/-). Whether the parents are dependent or not, is not a consideration for deciding the deduction under the proposed new section.

Further, in the above example, if cost of insurance on the health of the parents is Rs.30,000/-, out of which Rs.17,000/- is paid (by any non-cash mode) by the son and Rs.13,000/- by the father (who is a senior citizen), out of their respective taxable income, the son will get a deduction of Rs.17,000/- (in addition to the deduction of Rs.12,000/- for the medical insurance on self and family) and the father will get a deduction of Rs.13,000/-.

This amendment will take effect from the 1st day April, 2009 and will accordingly apply in relation to assessment year 2009-2010 and subsequent assessment years.

Receipt of this circular letter shall be acknowledged.

R. Rajagopal,
Chief Financial Controller/General.

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Circular Lr.No.CFC/GL/FC/ACCTS/AO/IT/D.51/F.20B/D.No.406/2008 (Accounts Branch), Dated:24.3.2008.

Sub: Income Tax - Tax Deduction at Source on Income Other than Salary and Tax Collection at Source - Rates of Tax to be deducted and collected during the Financial Year 2008-2009 - Reg.

- Ref: 1) This Office Circular Lr.No.CFC/GL/FC/ACCTS/AO/IT/D.51/F.20B/D.No.323/2007, Dated: 26.5.2007.
2) Finance Bill '2008.

Kind reference of the Superintending Engineer is invited to this office circular letter cited above wherein copy of charts showing the rates for Tax Deduction at Source (TDS) and Tax Collection at Source (TCS) for the Financial Year 2007-2008 were communicated.

Now, no revision on rates of tax on TDS on Income Other than Salary and TCS has been proposed for the Financial Year 2008-2009 in the Finance Bill '2008 introduced in the Parliament by the Hon'ble Minister of Finance/Government of India/New Delhi on 29.2.2008.

Accordingly it is informed that the rates of tax for Tax Deduction at Source Other than on Salary and rate of Tax Collection at Source on Sale of Scraps communicated in this office circular letter under reference cited for the Financial Year 2007-2008 shall be continued to be adopted for the Financial Year 2008-2009 also.

It is also informed that there are no changes in respect of Sur-Charge and Education Cess to be deducted and collected on TDS and TCS.

However, detailed copy of chart showing the rates of tax will be communicated on publication of the same by the Central Board of Direct Taxes in this regard.

Receipt of this circular letter shall be acknowledged.

R. Rajagopal,
Chief Financial Controller/General.

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Circular Lr.No.CFC/GL/FC/ACCTS/AO/IT/F.e-PAYMENT/D.No.407/2008 (Accounts Branch), Dated:24.3.2008.

Sub: Income Tax - Payment of Taxes through Electronic Payment System with effect from 1.4.2008 - Guidelines - Communicating of - Reg.

- Ref: 1) Central Board of Direct Taxes Press Release dt 23.1.2008.
2) Central Board of Direct Taxes's Notification No.34/2008, Dt.13.3.2008.
3) M/s.Brahmayya & Co., Chartered Accountants Opinion Dt.17.3.2008.

Notification No.34/2008, Dt.13.3.2008 issued by the Central Board of Direct Taxes is enclosed for reference.

As per the above notification, the Central Board of Direct Taxes has made it mandatory for the following categories of Assesses to make payment of all taxes (including Interest Penalty etc.,) only through Electronic mode of Payment with effect from 1.4.2008.

- 1) A Company
- 2) A person (other than company) to whom provisions of Section 44AB are applicable.

As the Board has already been subjected to Tax Audit u/s.44AB of Income Tax Act 1961, **Electronic Payment System for payment of taxes is mandatory to TNEB also with effect from 1.4.2008.**

At present payment of taxes such as TDS on Salary, TDS on Other than Salary, Tax Collection on Sale of Scraps to Contractors, Fring Benefit Tax etc., are made into the Banks by the offices of the TNEB by filling up of a relevant Challan prescribed by the Central Board of Direct Taxes along with a 'Yours self' Cheque drawn on the Banker of the Board. This type of making payment of taxes is to be dispensed with on 31.3.2008 and **the Board has to switch over to e-Payment System with effect from 1.4.2008.**

The system of e-Payment of Taxes should be uniformly adopted by all the Headquarters Offices, Circle Offices and Division Offices with effect from 1.4.2008.

For adoption of e-Payment System, the following guidelines are issued.

- (i) The Internet Connection available at Circle Office shall be utilised for adoption of e-Payment System and necessary instructions will be issued to the Computer Manager of the Circle to provide and assist in making e-Payment of Taxes.
- (ii) A separate Net Banking Account is to be opened with the Circle Drawing Bank. For this purpose a List of Banks who are providing the e-Payment facility is furnished in the annexure. The Net Banking Account opened shall be operated only for making remittance of Taxes to Government of India's Account and no other payment whatsoever shall be made through Net Banking Accounts.
- (iii) A User ID and Password will be provided by the Bank to get access to the Net Banking System of the Bank. The User ID and Password provided by the Bank for the purpose shall be kept secret and the Officer who is drawing cheques for payment of taxes is responsible for making e-Payment and the secrecy of the User ID and Password allotted by the Bank shall entirely rest with the particular Officer. He shall not reveal the Password to any staff and shall periodically change the

Password to maintain utmost secrecy/security.

- (iv) By opening up the website of the Income Tax Department at www.incometaxindia.gov.in, a relevant Challan (i.e.) ITNS 281, ITNS 282, ITNS 283 is to be selected according to the classification of tax to be paid such as Income Tax TDS/TCS and FBT.
- (v) Details of remittance of tax along with PAN/TAN as required are to be filled up online and the Bank in which the payment of tax to be made is to be selected.
- (vi) On submission of details of challan a confirmation screen will be displayed. If the Tax Payer confirms the data entered in the challan, it will be directed to the Net Banking Site of the Bank.
- (vii) The Tax Payer will login to the Net Banking site with the User ID and Password provided by the Bank for Net Banking purpose and enter payment details at the Bank site. It may be ensured that sufficient funds are available before making e-payment.
- (viii) On successful payment, a challan counterfoil will be displayed containing Challan Index Number, Payment details and Bank Name through which e-Payment has been made. This counterfoil is Proof of Payment of Taxes.
- (ix) Print outs of the above said counterfoil shall be taken and one copy shall be affixed to the payment voucher and another copy handed over to the Section from which the payment of tax is authorised.
- (x) The Proof of Payment of Tax (ie) Printout of the counterfoil must be preserved and produced to the Auditors when required.
- (xi) If the Drawee Bank of the Circle happens to be a Bank which is not having Net Banking facility, then a Net Banking Account shall be opened in another bank available at the place which is having the facility.
- (xii) Net Banking Account of the Circle shall be operated only by the Circle Office and the tax to be paid by the Divisions like TDS on Salary etc., shall also be arranged to be paid through e-Payment mode at Circle Office. TDS details etc. may be obtained well in advance from the Division Offices and the e-payment for the entire Circle should be made on the due dates without fail. Necessary instructions may be issued by the Circle Office to the Divisions of the Circles in this regard immediately.
- (xiii) The Drawee Banks of the Circle shall be contacted personally by the Circle Officers for opening up of Net Banking Account and in case of any difficulties the same may be referred to the Financial Controller/General/Deputy Financial Controller/Funds, Accounts Branch/Headquarters for resolving the same.
- (xiv) In respect of the places like Projects and Generating Stations where no bank with Net Banking facility is available, Possibility of opening up of a Net Banking Account in the nearest station may be evolved and opened.
- (xv) As far as possible net banking account should be opened in Board's drawee Bank only. In case of opening up of a Net Banking Account in a new bank other than in a Drawee Bank of the Circle, proposal for such opening of Net Banking Account may be got approved by the Chief Engineers concerned immediately and the fact intimated to Head Quarters.
- (xvi) A detailed guiding material and Frequently Asked Questions on e-Payment of Taxes issued by the Central Board of Direct Taxes online are enclosed for reference and to be familiar with the process of e-Payment System.
- (xvii) As the system of making e-Payment of Taxes is a new task entrusted upon the TNEB as per the provisions of the Act it's very success depends upon the Interest and involvement to be taken by all the Officers related to payment of taxes.

- (xviii) In respect of the Offices at Headquarters, the Cash Section/Central Payment Division/Accounts Branch will undertake making payment of Taxes through e-Payment mode.
- (xix) On receipt of Pass Sheet/Scrolls from the Banks the Debits towards Tax Remittances shall be verified and its correctness confirmed.
- (xx) Though the remittance of Taxes through e-Payment System is to be attended by Cash Section, **Electronic Filing of Quarterly TDS and TCS Returns shall be continued to be filed by those Sections by which the same is hitherto attended.**
- (xxi) Remittances of Taxes through Electronic Mode takes effect from 1.4.2008 and Taxes to be paid on and after 1.4.2008 are to be paid through e-Payment System.
- (xxii) If the process of opening of Net Banking Account with Bankers is up of cheque as usual. However, remittance of Taxes by Cash/Cheque shall not be paid once Net Banking Account is opened.
- (xxiii) A Register shall be opened for maintaining of Net Banking Account and remittance of Taxes amde through e-Payment System entered in the Register, attested by the Officers concerned and periodically reviewed.
- (xxiv) It is the responsibility of the Deputy Financial Controller/Accounts Officer of the Circle to watch and monitor e-Payment of Taxes. They have to ensure proper checks and balances and the controls required thereon in order to check no unauthorised payments are made through Electronic Mode.
- (xxv) No doubt, there would be initial difficulties in implementing new scheme when compared to the established practices. But we have to go through e-Payment System with a minimum discomfort so as to update ourselves with modern technologies.

The Superintending Engineers are requested to bestow their personal attention in this regard and to issue suitable instructions to the Officers concerned and ensure the effective implementation of the system of e-Payment of Taxes in respect of their Circle. A confirmatory report in this regard shall be sent on or before 20th April 2008.

Receipt of this Circular Letter shall be acknowledged to the Financial Controller/Accounts (By Name) Accounts Branch/Headquarters in the enclosed slip.

- Encl: 1. Copy of Notification of
the Central Board of Direct Taxes.
2. Copy of Procedure for e-Payment
3. Copy of Frequently Asked Questions
4. Acknowledgement Slip.

R. Rajagopal,
Chief Financial Controller/General.

NOTIFICATION NO.34/2008, DATED 13-3-2008

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 295 of the Income-tax Act, 1961 (43 of 1961), the Central Board of Direct Taxes hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Income-tax Rules, 1962, namely:-

1. (1) These rules may be called the Income-tax (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2008.
(2) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
2. In the Income-tax Rules, 1962, after rule 124, the following rule shall be inserted, namely:-

Electronic-payment of tax.

125. (1) The following persons shall pay tax electronically on or after the 1st day of April, 2008:-
- (a) a company; and
 - (b) a person (other than a company), to whom provisions of section 44AB are applicable.

(2) For the purposes of this rule:-

(a) pay tax electronically shall mean, payment of tax by way of:-

- (i) internet banking facility of the authority bank; or
- (ii) credit or debit cards;

(b) the word tax shall have the meaning as assigned to it in clause (43) of section 2 of the Act and shall include interest and penalty.

e-Payment

e-Payment facilitates payment of direct taxes online by taxpayers. To avail of this facility the taxpayer is required to have a net-banking account with any of the banks listed below, which are the only banks offering this facility at present.

Account Holders of

1. Axis Bank	9. IDBI Bank	17. corporation Bank
2. Punjab National Bank	10. Bank of Maharashtra	18. State Bank of Travancore
3. Canara Bank	11. State Bank of Saurashtra	19. Vijaya Bank
4. Bank of India	12. Allahabad Bank	20. Oriental Bank of Commerce
5. State Bank of Bikaner & Jaipur	13. Syndicate Bank	21. Bank of Baroda
6. State Bank of Indore	14. State Bank of India	22. State Bank of Mysore
7. HDFC Bank	15. Indian Overseas Bank	23. State Bank of Hyderabad
8. State Bank of Patiala	16. Indian Bank	24. Union Bank of India
		25. Dena Bank

PROCEDURE OF e-PAYMENT

1. To pay taxes online the taxpayer will select the relevant challan i.e. ITNS 280, ITNS 281, ITNS 282 or ITNS 283, as applicable.
2. Enter its PAN /TAN as applicable. There will be an online check on the validity of the PAN / TAN entered.
3. If PAN / TAN is valid the taxpayer will be allowed to fill up other challan details like accounting head under which payment is made, name and address of TAN and also select the bank through which payment is to be made, etc.
4. On submission of data entered a confirmation screen will be displayed. If the taxpayer confirms the data entered in the challan, it will be directed to the net-banking site of the bank.
5. The taxpayer will login to the net-banking site with the user id/password provided by the bank for net-banking purpose and enter payment details at the bank site.
6. On successful payment a challan counterfoil will be displayed containing CIN, payment details and bank name through which e-payment has been made. This counterfoil is proof of payment being made.

e-PAYMENT'S FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTION (F.A.Q.)

1. **What is e-tax payment?**

Ans. This is a facility provided to the taxpayers to make income tax payments through internet using net-banking facility.

2. **Can I use this facility to pay income tax?**

Ans. You can, if,

- a) You have a bank account with net-banking facility, and
- b) Your bank is amongst the banks that provide the e-tax payment facility.

3. How do I know whether my bank provides this facility?

Ans. The list of the banks providing this facility is available on NSDL-TIN website. Alternatively, you may get the information from your bank.

4. What is the procedure for entering the required data on the screen for paying tax online?

Ans. Log on to the NSDL-TIN website. Click on the icon 'Pay tax online'. Choose the required challan.

After choosing the required challan you will be directed to the screen for entering the following data:

1. PAN for non-TDS payments and TAN for TDS payments
2. Name and address of the taxpayer
3. Assessment Year
4. Major Head Code
5. Minor Head Code
6. Type of Payment

In case of challan no.280, 282 and 283, the Permanent Account Number (PAN) needs to be entered. In case of challan no. 281 Tax deduction Account Number (TAN) needs to be entered.

Please ensure that you enter PAN/TAN correctly, as this is extremely important for further processing.

The system will check the validity of PAN/TAN. In case PAN/TAN is not available in the database of the Income tax Department then you cannot proceed with the payment of tax.

After entering the required data, select your bank through which the tax will be paid.

Select your bank from the list of banks providing this facility.

Once you have completed this, click on PROCEED button. TIN system will display the contents you have entered along with the "name" appearing in the ITD database with respect to PAN/TAN entered by you.

5. What is the procedure after entering the required data?

Ans. You can now verify the details entered by you. In case you have made a mistake in data entry, you can correct the same. If your name as per ITD database displayed on the screen is right and all other information is correct, click on the SUBMIT button to reach the net-banking site provided by your bank.

6. What is the procedure after being directed to the net-banking site of my bank?

Ans. TIN system will direct you to the net-banking facility of your bank. You will have to log on to the net banking site of your bank using the login ID and password/PIN provided by the bank. The particulars entered by you at the TIN website will be displayed again.

You will now be required to enter the amount of tax you intend to pay and also select your bank account number from where you intend to pay the tax. After verifying the correctness, you can proceed with confirming the payment.

7. What will happen after I confirm the payment of tax at my bank's site?

Ans. Your bank will process the transaction online by debiting the bank account indicated by you and issue an acknowledgment indicating the Challan Identification Number (CIN). You can verify the status of the challan in the "Challan Status Inquiry" at NSDL-TIN website using CIN after a week after making the payment.

8. How can I know that I have completed tax payment using this facility?

Ans. Apart from the CIN given to you, you can check your online bank statement to verify the tax payment.

9. Do I have to attach the acknowledgment counterfoil with my return?

Ans. No, it will be considered sufficient proof if you quote your Challan Identification Number (CIN) as mentioned in your counterfoil in your return.

10. What are the timings for making payment through internet?

Ans. You will have to check the net-banking webpage of your bank's website for this information.

11. If I encounter any problem while making payment through Internet, whom should I contact?

Ans. If you face any problem in the NSDL-TIN website, you should contact us at tininfo@nsdl.co.in or TELEPHONE no.022-24994650. However, if you face any problem with the net-banking webpage of your bank, then you should contact your bank for assistance.

12. Where should I make inquiries about my tax payments through internet?

Ans. You should contact your bank for queries about your payment transactions through internet.

13. Which are the banks offering the facility of e-tax payment?

Ans. At present, HDFC Bank, IDBI Bank, State Bank of India and Union Bank of India (for old challans 280, 281, 282) and UTI Bank (for new challans 280, 281, 282, 283) offer the facility of e-tax payment. NSDL is working with other banks and their names will be notified as soon as the respective banks are ready.

14. How secure is the transmission of data to the website for e-tax payment?

Ans. All transmission through NSDL-TIN website is encrypted and is with Secure Socket Layer (SSL) authentication. With respect to the banks, it depends on the security measures provided by the bank for net-banking.

15. How does this system of payment of taxes through internet benefit me as a taxpayer?

Ans. This system is beneficial to you as you are not required to personally visit the bank to make the payments. Payment can be made electronically at your convenience from any place where an internet facility is available e.g. your office, residence, etc. Further, you get the Challan Identification Number (CIN) online, which is required by you when you file your return.

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Circular Lr.No.CFC/GL/FC/ACCTS/AO/IT/D.51/F.FBT/D.No.408/2008 (Accounts Branch), Dated:28.3.2008.

Sub: Income Tax - Fringe Benefit Tax - Certain amendments made to the provisions of FBT through Finance Bill 2008 - Communicating of - Reg.

- Ref: 1) This Office Circular Lr.No.CFC/GL/FC/ACCTS/AO/IT/D.51/F.FBT/D.No.320/2007, Dated: 18.5.2007.
2) Finance Bill '2008 introduced by the Hon'ble Minister of Finance/GOI/New Delhi in Parliament on 29.2.2008.

Kind reference of the Superintending Engineer is invited to this office circular letter cited above wherein certain amendments made to the provisions of Fringe Benefit Tax through Finance Bill' 2007 were communicated for adoption.

Now, further amendments were made to the provisions of Act relating to Fringe Benefit Tax through Finance Bill '2008 introduced by the Hon'ble Minister of Finance, Government of India, New Delhi in Parliament on 29.2.2008.

Amendments related to the Board for adoption are communicated here under for reference and adherence.

- 1) Explanation to clause (E) to Section 115 WB(2) is proposed to be amended to provide that any expenditure incurred or payment made to
 - a) Provide Creche facility for the Children of the employee.
 - b) Organise Sprots events for employees.
 - c) Sponsor a sprots man being an employee.

shall not be considered as expenditure for employees welfare for the purpose of calculation of the value of Fringe Benefits.

It shall be noted that as per this amendment expenditure incurred on Sports events for employees and sponsoring a Sports man (being an employee) need not be taken into account for calculation of value of Fringe Benefits.

2) Clause (K) of Section 115 WB(2) is proposed to be omitted.

Hence any expenditure on or payment made for maintenance of any accommodation in the nature of Guest House shall not be included for valuation of Fringe Benefits.

These amendments shall take effect from 1.4.2008 (ie.) Financial Year 2008-2009 (Assessment Year 2009-2010)

As per these amendments, expenditure on Sports and Games and expenditure on Maintenance of guest House need not be taken into account for valuation of Fringe Benefits. All other provisions of Fringe Benefit Tax remain unchanged. The rate of Fringe Benefit Tax at 33.99%, due date for payment of Quarterly Advance Tax, method of calculation of value of FBT on estimation and at actuals as communicated in this Office Circular Letter No.CFC/GL/FC/Accts/AO/IT/D51/F.FBT/D.No.320/2007, dt.18.5.2007 shall be continued to be adopted without any modification.

It shall also be specially noted that Central Board of Direct Taxes has made it mandatory to make payment of Taxes such as TDS, TCS and FBT only through electronic mode. Hence, making remittance of Taxes by Cash/Cheque is to be dispensed-with on 31.03.2008 and the Board has to switch over to electronic payment of Taxes with effect from 1.4.2008.

Accordingly, payment of First Instalment of Quarterly Advance Fringe Benefit Tax due to be paid on or before 15th June 2008 should be made through electronic mode only. The Superintending Engineers are requested to refer this Office Circular Letter No.CFC/GL/FC/Accts/AO/IT/F.e-payment/D.No.407/2008, dt.24.3.2008 to know about the detailed procedures of e-payment system of Taxes.

Print out of the Challan downloaded from the e-payment mode should be sent to Head Quarters along with the required Formats furnishing the details of expenditure, valuation of expenditures and calculation of Fringe Benefit Tax. The Formats for this purpose now in use shall be continued to be adopted.

It is noticed while reviewing the Challans and Formats received from most of the Circles regarding the payment of Fringe Benefit Tax for the Financial Year 2007-2008 that payment of Fringe Benefit Tax is made for all the Four Quarters of the Financial Year 2007-08 merely on Budget estimation of expenditures without taking into account of the actual expenditures and subsequent adjustment to be made. Instructions issued in this regard under Para 12 of this Office circular Letter dated 18.5.2007 should be followed scrupulously without any deviations. Any failure in this regard will be viewed seriously and action taken accordingly.

A copy of amendments made to the provisions of the Act related to Fringe Benefit Tax through Finance Bill' 2008 is also enclosed for reference.

Receipt of this Circular Letter shall be acknowledged to the Financial Controller/Accounts by Name without fail.

Encl: Copy of Amendments.

R. Rajagopal,
Chief Financial Controller/General.

unit of an equity oriented fund : :

Sec.111A

(ii) *Tax on income of foreign institutional investors from securities or capital gains arising from their transfer ::*

Sec.115AD

Section 111A and 115AD provide for special tax rate of ten per cent on short-term capital gain arising from the transfer of a short-term capital asset, being an equity share in a company or a unit of an equity oriented fund, where such transaction is chargeable to securities transaction tax.

It is proposed to increase the rate of tax on such short-term capital gain to fifteen percent.

These amendments will take effect from the 1st day of April 2009 and will accordingly apply in relation to assessment year 2009-10 and subsequent assessment years.

20. Minimum Alternative Tax ::

Sec.115JB

Section 115JB of the Income-tax Act provides for levy of minimum alternate tax (MAT) on the basis of book profits of a company. As per the Explanation after sub-section (2), the expression "book profit" means net profit as shown in the profit and loss account prepared in accordance with the provisions of Part II and III of Schedule VI to the Companies Act, 1956 as increased or reduced by certain adjustments, as specified in that section. Clause (a) of the aforesaid Explanation, inter-alia, provides for increasing the book profits by Income-tax paid or payable and the provisions therefor; if debited to profit and loss account.

The intention behind these add backs is that the items which mainly appear "below the line" in the profit and loss account should be added back to arrive at the "book profit" if they appear "above the line" in the profit and loss account. Section 115JB has not specifically provided for add back of some such "below the line" items like deferred tax, dividend distribution tax, etc. as they were thought to be included in the term "income-tax". However there has been some ambiguity regarding add back of these items, if debited to profit and loss account.

With a view to clarifying the intention, it is proposed to insert a new clause after clause (g) of the explanation 1 as so numbered so as to provide that the book profit shall be increased by the amount of deferred tax and the provision therefor, if debited to profit and loss account.

Further, it is also proposed to clarify that the amount of income tax shall include.

- (i) tax on distributed profits under section 115-O or distributed income under section 115R;
- (ii) any interest charged under this Act;
- (iii) surcharge, if any, as levied by the provisions of the Central Acts from time to time;
- (iv) Education Cess on income-tax, if any as levied by the Central Acts from time to time; and
- (v) Secondary and Higher Education Cess on income-tax, if any, as levied by the Central Acts from time to time.

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These amendments will take effect retrospectively from 1st April, 2001 and will accordingly apply in relation to assessment year 2001-02 and subsequent assessment years.

21. Tax on distributed profits of domestic companies ::

Sec.115-O

Section 115-O relates to tax on distributed profits of domestic companies. Sub-section (1) of the section provides that tax on distributed profits at the rate of fifteen per cent shall be levied on any amount declared distributed or paid by a domestic company to its shareholders by way of dividends.

With a view to help domestic companies to efficiently structure their business, it has been decided to mitigate the cascading effect of dividend distribution tax upto one level. Accordingly, it has been proposed that the amount of dividend referred to in sub-section (1) will be reduced by the amount of dividend received by the domestic company from its subsidiary, if

- (a) the subsidiary has paid tax under section 115-O on such dividend, and
- (b) the domestic company is not a subsidiary of any other company.

It is also provided that the same amount of dividend shall not be taken into account for such reduction, more than once. For the purpose of the section, a company shall be a subsidiary of another company, if such other company holds more than half in nominal value of the equity share capital of the company.

This amendment will take effect from the 1st day of April, 2008.

22. Fringe Benefits Tax ::

Sec.115-WL - 115-WL

Sub-section (2) of section 115WB of the Income tax Act provides that where an employer incurs any expenditure, inter alia, for the purposes of entertainment, hospitality, conference, and sales promotion (including publicity), such employer shall be deemed to have provided fringe benefits to its employees. Section 115WC of the Income-tax Act provides for valuation of the fringe benefits provided by the employer.

With a view to rationalizing the provisions of Fringe Benefit Tax, the following amendments to sub-section (2) of section 115wb of the Income-tax Act are proposed.

(i) Any expenditure on or payment through pre-paid electronic meal card shall also be excluded from the hospitality expenditure for calculation of the value of fringe benefit. Such electronic meal card should not be transferable should be usable only at eating joints or outlets and should fulfill such other conditions, as may be prescribed.

(ii) Explanation to clause (E) is proposed to be amended to provide that any expenditure incurred or payment made to -

- ⇒ provide creche facility for the children of the employee; or
- ⇒ sponsor a sportsman, being an employee; or
- ⇒ organize sports events for employees shall not be considered as expenditure for employees' welfare for the purpose of calculation of the value of fringe benefits.

(iii) Clause (K) is proposed to be omitted. Hence, any expenditure on or payment made for maintenance of any accommodation in the nature of guest house shall not be included for valuation of fringe benefits.

Further, clause (c) and clause (d) of sub-section (1) of section 115WC is proposed to be amended so as to provide that the value of fringe benefits on account of expenditure on festival celebration shall be twenty per cent as against the existing rate of fifty per cent.

These amendments shall take effect from 1st April, 2009 and shall accordingly apply in relation to assessment year 2009-10 and subsequent years.

Summary assessment procedure in Sec-115-WE is revised w.e.f. 01.04.2008 on the lines of Sec. 139(1). *Deemed payment of tax by the employee where FBT on securities allotted to him is recovered by the employer.*

Deemed payment of tax by the employee where FBT on securities allotted to him is recovered by the employer

The Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) has issued circular number 9, dated 20th December, 2007 clarifying therein certain issues relating to levy of FBT on ESOPs. One of the clarifications is that if FBT on account of share allotted or transferred under ESOPs has been paid by the employer, but recovered from an employee, it shall be deemed that the employee has paid the FBT. Therefore, such an employee can claim credit for this deemed payment of FBT in a foreign country.

Representations have been received from taxpayers suggesting that this clarification should be incorporated in the Income-tax act so as to provide a firm basis to enable the employees to claim credit for tax so paid. Since this demand is consistent with the clarification issued by the CBDT earlier, and does not have any adverse impact on revenues, it is proposed to insert a new section 115WKB to provide that where fringe benefit tax (with respect to allotment or transfer of specified security or sweat equity shares) has been paid by the employer and subsequently recovered from the employee, the recovery of fringe benefit tax shall be deemed to be the tax paid by such employee in relation to value of fringe benefits provided to him. The deeming provision shall apply only to the extent to which the amount of recovery relates to the value of the fringe benefits provided to such employee.

The new section further seeks to provide that, notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, in the above situation, the employee shall not be entitled for any refund out of such deemed payment of tax; and shall also not be entitled to claim any credit of such deemed payment of tax against tax liability on other Income or

against any other tax liability.

This amendment shall take effect from 1st April, 2008 and shall accordingly apply in relation to assessment year 2008-09 and subsequent years.

ASSESSMENT PROCEDURE

23. (i) *Return of income* :: Sec.139(1)

For and from A.Y.2008-09, the due date for filing of return of income and return of fringe benefits has been advanced to 30th September from 31st October in respect of companies, assesses who are subject to tax audit u/s 44AB and the working partners of firms, accounts of which are required to be audited u/s 44AB.

(ii) *Defective returns* :: Sec.139(9)

The return of income should be accompanied by proof for TDS, TCS as required under Explanation.

24. *Inquiry before assessment* :: Sec.142

Special audit of accounts :: Sec.142(2A-2D)

Amendment to Sec.142(2C), proviso is proposed to provide that the AO may, suo motu, on an application made in this behalf by the assessee, and for any good and sufficient reason, extend the period within which the audit report is to be furnished by such further period or periods as he thinks fit. The amendment will take effect from 1.4.2008.

25. *SUMMARY ASSESSMENT* :: Sec.143(1)

Prima facie adjustments

Correction of arithmetical mistakes and adjustment of incorrect claim under section 143(1) through Centralised Processing of Returns.

Generally, tax administrations across countries adopt a two-stage procedure of assessment as part of risk management strategy. In the first stage, all tax returns are processed to correct arithmetical mistakes internal inconsistency, tax calculation and verification of tax payment. At this stage, no verification of the income is undertaken. In the second stage, a certain percentage of the tax returns are selected for scrutiny/ audit on the basis of the probability of detecting tax evasion. At this stage, the tax administration is concerned with the verification of the income.

In India, the scheme of summary assessment being in force since the 1st day of June 1999 does not contain any provision allowing for prima facie adjustment. The scope of the present scheme is limited only to checking as to whether taxes have been correctly paid on the income returned. Under Tax Track March 16, 2008.

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Circular Lr.No.CFC/GL/FC/ACCTS/AO/IT/F.BCTT/D.No.409/2008 (Accounts Branch), Dated:29.3.2008.

Sub: Income Tax - Banking Cash Transaction Tax (BCTT)
Discontinuation of Banking Cash Transaction Tax with effect from
1.4.2009 as per amendments made to the Act through Finance
Bill' 2008 - Communicating of - Reg.

Ref: 1) Circular Lr.No.CFC/GL/FC/ACCTS/AO/IT/D.51/FBCTT/
D.No.360/2007, Dated: 21.8.2007.
2) Amendments made to the Act through Finance Bill' 2008.

Kind reference of the Superintending Engineers is invited to this office circular letter 1st cited above

wherein copies of references received from Government of Tamil Nadu and Government of India were enclosed intimating the exemption to the **Establishment of the State Governments** from the purview of Banking Cash Transaction Tax (BCTT) with effect from 1.6.2007. It has also been informed therein that Banking Cash Transaction Tax (BCTT) is continuously to be paid by the TNEB.

Now, as per the amendments made to the provisions of Act related to BCTT through Finance Bill' 2008 introduced by the Hon'ble Minister of Finance, Government of India in Parliament on 29.2.2008, **BCTT is proposed to be discontinued with effect from 1.4.2009 (i.e.) from Financial Year 2009-2010 onwards.**

Accordingly it is informed that BCTT is continuously to be paid by the Board during the Financial Year 2008-2009 also and BCTT need not be paid by the offices of the Board with effect from 1.4.2009 (Financial Year 2009-2010).

Receipt of this circular letter shall be acknowledged.

R. Rajagopal,
Chief Financial Controller/General.

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FUNDS - 2007-08 - T.N.E.B. - Revenue Expenses - Final Modified Appropriation of Funds - Sanctioned.

(Routine) B.P. (Ch.) No.2

(Accounts Branch)

Dated the 31st the March 2008.
Panguni 18, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Proceedings :

The final modified appropriation of funds for 2007-08 under Revenue Expenses as annexed to this proceeding is sanctioned.

Encl: 4 Statements.

S. Machendranathan,
Chairman.

Statement-I

Details of Power Generation, Purchase and availability for sale

Sl.No.	Particulars	(In million Units)		
		B.E. 2007-08	R.E. 2007-08	F.M.A. 2007-08
I.	GENERATION			
	Hydro	5040	6466	6467
	Windmill - TNEB	19	14	13
	Basin Bridge Gas	120	71	63
	Kovilkalappal GTPS	664	674	672
	Vazhuthur	628	617	615
	Kuttalam	495	80	68
	Vazhuthur - Additional	741	15	0
	Ennore TPS	2185	1984	2034
	North Chennai TPS	4620	4600	4657
	Tuticorin TPS	8280	8018	7973
	Mettur TPS	6700	6670	6704
	Total Thermal & Gas	24163	22729	22787
	Total generation	29222	29209	29268

(In million Units)				
Sl.No.	Particulars	B.E. 2007-08	R.E. 2007-08	F.M.A. 2007-08
II.	POWER PURCHASE	39232	38180	38184
	Total Power Available (I+II)	68454	67389	67452
III.	Less :			
	a) Auxiliary consumption	2490	2304	2323
	b) Line loss	11874	11715	11723
	POWER AVAILABLE FOR SALE	54090	53370	53406

Statement-II**REVENUE EXPENSES - FINAL MODIFIED APPROPRIATION 2007-08**

Sl.No.	Particulars	B.E. 2007-08	R.E. 2007-08	(Rs. in Crores) F.M.A. 2007-08
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
I.	REVENUE RECEIPTS			
	a) Sale of Power	16051.43	15856.78	16127.31
	b) Tariff compensation	1488.22	1457.02	1457.02
	c) Miscellaneous Revenue	501.25	497.54	497.54
	d) Hydro swing subsidy	125.00	125.00	
	Total Revenue	18165.90	17936.34	18081.86
II.	REVENUE EXPENSES			
	a) Power Purchase	12355.50	12493.80	12472.54
	b) Fuel cost	3890.54	3608.92	3721.53
	c) Repairs & Maintenance	225.39	292.94	293.65
	d) Establishment & Admn. Gl. Expenses	2354.51	2394.30	2392.58
	e) Depreciation	1386.40	708.88	707.92
	f) Interest on Loans & Finance charges	1044.12	1275.34	1275.34
	g) Prior Period Expenses			
	h) Other debits	22.76	568.12	589.81
	Total Expenses	21279.22	21342.30	21453.38
III.	Revenue Deficit	-3113.33	-3405.96	-3371.52

Statement-III

BUDGET PROPOSALS OF REVENUE EXPENSES - FINAL MODIFIED APPROPRIATION 2007-08

Sl.No.	Particulars	B.E. 2007-08	F.M.A. 2007-08	EXCESS	SAVINGS
1.	Revenue Expenses (Other than Hd. Qrts.)	4190.45	3582.77		607.68
2.	Headquarters office expenses	109.16	688.54	579.38	
3.	Interest and finance charges (excl. GPF Int)	733.57	988.00	254.43	
4.	Fuel cost	3890.54	3721.53		169.01
5.	Cost of Power purchase	12355.50	12472.54	117.04	
6.	Total Revenue Expenses	21279.23	21453.38	950.85	776.69
				174.16	
	Total Increase in Expenditure		950.85		
	Total Decrease in expenditure		776.69		
	Net increase in expenditure		174.16		

Statement-IV

FINAL MODIFIED APPROPRIATION FOR REVENUE EXPENSES 2007-08

Sl.No.	Particulars	B.E. 2007-08	Total F.M.A. 2007-08	Excess	Savings
1.	Chennai/North	813088	739716	15856	89228
2.	Chennai/South	1356514	1115320	3525	244719
3.	Chennai/Central	1363187	1013809	12935	362313
4.	Chennai/West	522705	572200	49495	0
5.	Chinglepet	720792	608774	1457	113475
6.	Kancheepuram	632756	523669	14527	123614
7.	Dharmapuri	921924	742118	6482	186288
8.	Vellore	772078	810674	39228	632
9.	Thirupathur	549313	472581	4869	81601
10.	Tiruvannamalai	857195	743038	37226	151383
11.	Villupuram	996711	875242	10699	132168
12.	Cuddalore	800455	705243	5536	100748
13.	Trichy/North	747711	585459	835	163087
14.	Trichy/Metro	730470	889617	279579	120432
15.	Thanjavur	810659	697100	11031	124590
16.	Nagapattinam	772070	673375	11478	110173
17.	Pudukottai	570399	586049	15739	89
18.	Karur	375308	247237	360	128431
19.	Dindigul	723763	721355	15399	17807
20.	Madurai	793738	504447	3402	292693
21.	Ramnad	344057	309879	1093	35271

Sl.No.	Particulars	B. E. 2007-08	Total F.M.A. 2007-08	Excess	(Rs. in Thousands) Savings
22.	Sivaganga	485209	373334	4169	116044
23.	Theni	386540	331667	10074	64947
24.	Madurai/Metro	342901	313379	263	29785
25.	Erode	675754	574454	3012	104312
26.	Mettur	1115929	980966	47261	182225
27.	Salem	991698	818673	28300	201325
28.	Gobi	460196	459338	2945	3803
29.	Coimbatore/South	692844	470911	854	222787
30.	Coimbatore/North	666286	588528	5540	83298
31.	Coimbatore/Metro	472166	432093	27376	67449
32.	Udumalpet	644394	536873	284	107805
33.	Nilgiris	274516	224804	3420	53132
34.	Tuticorin	0.560477	483140	2636	79973
35.	Virudhunagar	731375	614497	4203	121081
36.	Tirunelveli	1075275	933981	9660	150954
37.	Kanyakumari	514450	416242	18682	116890
38.	Generation/Erode	391623	327164	27443	91902
39.	Generation/Kundah	510736	433016	0	77720
40.	Generation/Tirunelveli	286363	248854	44232	81741
41.	Generation/Kadamparai	323927	301563	8368	30732
42.	E.T.P.S.	1123180	902736	171197	391641
43.	M.T.P.S.	1389205	1004864	52831	437172
44.	T.T.P.S.	2082958	1609130	687	474542
45.	N.C.T.P.S.	2703548	1461201	2232	1244579
46.	B.B.G.T.P.S.	564774	406966	46420	204228
47.	Thirumakkottai GTPS	343513	308861	91716	126368
48.	Vazhuthur GTPS	392337	268851	46084	169570
49.	Kuttalam GTPS	339127	492825	274863	121165
50.	Wind Energy/Tirunelveli	123463	90896	691	33258
51.	Wind Energy/Udumalpet	66734	54930	26285	38089
	Transmission & Projects	1014762	1159144	370611	226229
	Headquarters Offices	1091630	6885436	5794290	484
	Adjustment	7108070	6928379	959935	1139626
	Capitalisation	3124718	2861500	15918	423003
	Grand Total	42996162	42713100	8468131	8750593
	Rs. In Crores	4299.62	4271.31	846.81	875.06

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FUNDS - 2007-08 - T.N.E.B. - Capital expenditure - Final Modified Appropriation of Funds - Sanctioned.

(Routine) B.P. (Ch.) No.3

(Accounts Branch)

Dated the 31st the March 2008.
Panguni 18, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.**Proceedings :**

The final modified appropriation of funds for 2007-08 under Capital expenditure as annexed to this proceeding is sanctioned.

The net savings of Rs.32.26 crores is retained.

Encl: Annexure 1 & 2.

S. Machendranathan,
Chairman.**ANNEXURE-I****CAPITAL EXPENDITURE STATEMENT FOR F.M.A. 2007-08**

Sl.No.	Details	(Rs. in Thousands)			
		Budget Estimate 2007-08	F.M.A. 2007-08	Variation	
				Excess	Savings
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
I.	GENERATION				
	HYDRO				
1.	Pykara Ultimate Stage HEP	350.00	184.01		165.99
2.	Bhavani-Kattalai Barrage I HEP	300.00	760.78	460.78	
3.	Bhavani-Kattalai Barrage II HEP	5532.00	3742.00		1790.00
4.	Bhavani-Kattalai Barrage III HEP	5221.00	3418.09		1802.91
5.	Periyar Vaigai Barrage Stage I	400.00	435.28	35.28	
6.	Periyar Vaigai Barrage Stage II	400.00	409.86	9.86	
7.	Periyar Vaigai Barrage Stage III	200.00	356.96	156.96	
8.	Periyar Vaigai Barrage Stage IV	200.00	691.70	491.70	
9.	Kollimalai	2430.00	306.20		2123.80
10.	Bhavani Barrage-I HEP	2740.00	82.60		2657.40
11.	Bhavani Barrage-II HEP	2554.00	27.64		2526.36
12.	Mukuruchi Halla pumping scheme (Augmentation)	250.00	168.12		81.88
13.	Amaravathy HEP	73.00	206.77	133.77	
14.	Upper Bhavani Pumping Scheme Augmentation				
15.	Periyar Vaigai Barrage V				
16.	Kundah Pumped Storage HEP				
	Total Hydro	20650.00	10790.01	1288.35	11148.34
	THERMAL & GAS				
1.	N.C.T.P.P. Stage-I	20.00			20.00
2.	Augmentation of Ash Dyke at MTPS	1354.00	219.64		1134.36
3.	Valuthur G.T.P.P.	700.00	744.33	44.33	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
4.	Kovilkalappal G.T.P.P.	800.00	2534.21	1734.21	
5.	Kuttalam G.T.P.P.	1000.00	3356.25	2356.25	
6.	Valuthur G.T.P.P. Additional	22978.00	25993.37	3015.37	
7.	Narimanam G.T.P.P.	1500.00			1500.00
8.	MTPS Stage-III	17500.00	416.32		17083.68
9.	NCTPS Stage-II	20000.00	114.31		19885.69
10.	TTPS Expansion Stage-IV	17500.00	30.13		17469.87
11.	ETPS Expansion	6668.00	9.83		6658.17
	Total Thermal & Gas	90020.00	33418.39	7150.16	63751.77
	Total Generation	110670.00	44208.40	8438.51	74900.11
II.	RENOVATION & MODERNISATION				
a.	HYDRO				
1.	Uprating of Unit at Mettur Dam	100.00			100.00
2.	Uprating of Papanasam Power House	50.00			50.00
3.	Renovation & Uprating of Periyar PH	3100.00	6.99		3093.01
4.	Renovation of Units at Pykara PH				
	Total Hydro R & M (a)	3250.00	6.99		3243.01
b.	THERMAL				
1.	Addl. R&M works at ETPS	2300.00	1789.13		510.87
2.	Addl. R&M works at TTPS	100.00	819.75	719.75	
3.	Residual life assessment study at TTPS		6.38	6.38	
4.	MTPS-R&M DCS - Unit-I		20.80	20.80	
	Total Thermal R & M (b)	2400.00	2608.88	719.75	510.87
	Total R & M (a + b)	5650.00	2615.87	719.75	3753.88
	TOTAL GENERATION INCL. R & M	116320.00	46824.27	9158.26	78653.99
III.	TRANSMISSION	55000.00	93342.34	38342.34	
IV.	DISTRIBUTION	53700.00	89484.42	35784.42	
V.	L.T. Computerisation	15000.00	3719.28		11280.72
VI.	GENERATION -				
	(Capital Spares & Buildings)	7500.00	16117.87	8617.87	
VII.	RURAL ELECTRIFICATION				
1.	Rural Electrification (Plan)	1500.00	3641.29	2141.29	
2.	Contribution by Agricultural applicant	6000.00	7931.07	1931.07	
3.	Street Light (State Fund)	1100.00	0.39		1099.61
4.	Hut Electrification	1100.00	3584.20	2484.20	
5.	Hamlet Electrification	300.00			300.00
VIII.	Survey, Investigation, Research, Training (Incl. Computerisation)	300.00	120.00		180.00
	TOTAL PLAN LAYOUT	257820.00	264765.13	98459.45	91514.32
	Interest During Construction Stage	33208.00	23037.00		10171.00
	TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	291028.00	287802.13	98459.45	101685.32
	Net Savings				3225.87

CAPITAL EXPENDITURE F.M.A. 2007-08

Rs. in Lakhs					
Sl.No.	Name of the Circle	B.E. 2007-08	F.M.A. 2007-08	Excess	Savings
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Chennai/North	3470.50	4713.16	1242.66	92.40
2.	Chennai/Central	3000.00	3977.97	977.97	
3.	Chennai/South	4900.60	6830.75	1930.15	
4.	Chennai/West	3163.60	4223.22	1059.62	
5.	Chenglepet	3409.60	4084.09	674.49	
6.	Kancheepuram	1021.70	1400.08	378.38	
7.	Dharmapuri	2455.50	3154.67	699.17	
8.	Vellore	2268.30	2701.50	433.20	
9.	Tirupathur	1213.30	2008.84	795.54	
10.	Tiruvannamalai	2153.10	2583.77	430.67	
11.	Villupuram	4022.30	4994.45	972.15	
12.	cuddalore	2749.50	3689.06	939.56	
13.	Trichy/North	2242.90	2606.87	363.97	
14.	Trichy/Metro	2810.30	3811.66	1001.36	
15.	Thanjavur	2844.40	3713.34	868.94	
16.	Nagapattinam	1681.40	2278.64	597.24	
17.	Pudukottai	1722.30	2580.67	858.37	
18.	Karur	993.50	901.10		
19.	Dindigul	3492.90	4890.33	1397.43	
20.	Madurai	1954.60	2721.95	767.35	
21.	Ramnad	1470.70	3237.55	1766.85	
22.	Sivaganga	1123.50	1786.31	662.81	
23.	Theni	1478.40	1818.53	340.13	
24.	Madurai/Metro	663.20	2296.49	1633.29	
25.	Erode	2099.00	2994.57	895.57	
26.	Mettur	3020.90	4375.22	1354.32	
27.	Salem	1933.50	2430.40	496.90	
28.	Gopi	1254.80	1779.30	524.50	
29.	Coimbatore/South	2291.50	754.32		1537.18
30.	Coimbatore/North	1740.60	2916.67	1176.07	
31.	Coimbatore/Metro	1404.90	2418.02	1013.12	
32.	Udumalpet	2073.70	2836.67	762.97	
33.	The Nilgiris	378.40	1620.20	1241.80	
34.	Tuticorin	1157.90	1532.07	374.17	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
35.	Virudhunagar	1186.40	2134.57	948.17	
36.	Tirunelveli	2135.50	2634.67	4499.17	
37.	Kanyakumari	1446.80	2658.97	1212.17	
38.	CE	270.00	270.00		
	Total (A)	78700.00	108360.65	31290.23	1629.58
39.	Gen/Erode	300.00	18.75		281.25
40.	Gen/Kundah	100.00	357.88	257.88	
41.	Gen/Tirunelveli	800.00	62.63		737.37
42.	Gen/Kadamparai	100.00	57.29		42.71
43.	E.T.P.S.	400.00	316.86		83.14
44.	M.T.P.S.	2050.00	6264.61	4214.61	
45.	T.T.P.S.	1570.00	6962.91	5392.91	
46.	N.C.T.P.S.	700.00	574.26		125.74
47.	B.B.G.T.P.S.	100.00	51.65		48.35
48.	Kovilkalappal GTPP	200.00			48.35
49.	Vazhuthur GTPP	400.00	414.96	14.96	
50.	Kuttalam GTPP	500.00			500.00
51.	CMC/Madurai (Gen. Works)	200.00	1036.07	836.07	
52.	P&C/Coimbatore	50.00			50.00
53.	P&C/Madurai	30.00			30.00
	Adjustment				
	Total (B)	7500.00	16117.87	10716.43	2098.56
54.	GCC/Chennai	12224.00	21105.27	8881.27	
55.	GCC/Salem	2943.00	7672.48	4729.48	
56.	GCC/Madurai	18233.00	24468.40	6235.40	
57.	GCC/Coimbatore	7549.00	19181.13	11632.13	
58.	GCC/Trichy	9641.00	11631.30	1990.30	
59.	CDC/Chennai	2910.00	7473.39	4563.39	
60.	Mettur Workshop	1500.00	1810.37	310.37	
	Total (C)	55000.00	93342.34	38342.34	
	Total (A + B + C)	141200.00	217820.86	80349.00	3728.14

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FUNDS - 2007-08 - T.N.E.B. - Loans and Advances - Final Modified Appropriation of Funds - Sanctioned

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.4

(Accounts Branch)

Dated the 31st the March 2008.
Panguni 18, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.**Proceedings :**

The final modified appropriation of funds for 2007-08 under Loans and Advances as annexed to this proceeding is sanctioned.

The net savings of Rs. 1.56 crores is retained.

Encl: Annexure 1.

S. Machendranathan,
Chairman.**FINAL MODIFIED APPROPRIATION 2007-08 FOR LOANS AND ADVANCES****ANNEXURE - I**

Particulars	Receipts	Outgoings	Rs. in
			Crores
			Net
Budget Estimate 2007-08	47.62	61.60	-13.98
Final Modified Appropriation 2007-08	48.02	60.44	-12.42
Net Savins in FMA compared to Budget Estimate 2007-08	0.40	1.16	1.56

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Part - IV

Tamil Nadu Electricity Board - Chennai South Region - Inauguration of 110/33/11 KV sholinganallur Sub-Station, 230/110 KV Siruseri Sub-Station, Mahendra Industrial Park 230/110 KV SS and 33/11 KV Kunnavokkam SS at Sholinganallur 110 KV Sub Station Complex by Hon'ble Minister for Electricity of Tamil Nadu to be held on 12.3.2008 - Approval Accorded.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.113

(Technical Branch)

Dated the 10th March 2008.
Masi 27, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

CE/CD's note approved by Chairman on dt.7.3.2008.

Proceedings :

Approval is accorded to incur an expenditure of Rs.1,00,000/- (Rupees one lakh only) towards the inauguration of 110/33/11 KV Sholinganallur SS, 230/110 KV Siruseri SS, 230/110 KV Mahendra Industrial Park SS and 33/11 KV Kunnavokkam SS at Sholinganallur 110 KV SS complex by Hon'ble Minister for Electricity of Tamilnadu to be held on 12.3.2008.

(By Order of the Chairman)

K. Gopal,
Chief Engineer/Civil Designs.

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Thirumakottai (Kovilkalappal) Gas Turbine Power Station - Providing Ex-Service Men for Security Purpose at gas plant area - For a period of one year from 1.4.2008 - Approval Accorded.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.115

(Technical Branch)

Dated the 11th March 2008.
Masi 28, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

Chief Engineer/Gas Turbine Schemes's note dt.4.3.2008
approved by Chairman on 8.3.2008.

Proceedings :

Approval is hereby accorded for providing security arrangements to Thirumakottai (Kovilkalappal) Gas Turbine Power Station / Thirumakottai for a period of one year from 1.4.2008 by engaging the following 27 Nos. of Ex-Servicemen from M/s. TEXCO, Chennai-15, for a sum of Rs.23,94,360/- (Rupees Twenty three lakh ninety four thousand three hundred and sixty only) subject to variation in wages, DA, Service Tax & Service charges as announced by the Tamil Nadu Government from time to time.

1. Security Guards	:	22 Nos.
2. Head Security Guards (HSG)	:	4 Nos.
3. Assistant Security Officer (ASO)	:	1 No.
Total	:	27 Nos.

(By Order of the Chairman)

E. Samuel Jeyapandian,
Chief Engineer/Gas Turbine Schemes.

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Kuttalam Gas Turbine Power Station - Providing Ex-Service Men for Security Purpose at gas plant area - For a period of one year from 1.4.2008 - Approval Accorded.

(Per.) B.P. (Ch.) No.116

(Technical Branch)

Dated the 11th March 2008.
Masi 28, Sarvajithu Varudam,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu - 2039.

Read:

Chief Engineer/Gas Turbine Schemes's note dt.4.3.2008
approved by Chairman on 8.3.2008.

Proceedings :

Approval is hereby accorded for providing security arrangements to Kuttalam Gas Turbine Power Station / Kuttalam for a period of one year from 1.4.2008 by engaging the following 27 Nos. of Ex-Servicemen from M/s. TEXCO, Chennai-15, for a sum of Rs.23,94,360/- (Rupees Twenty three lakh ninety four thousand three hundred and sixty only) subject to variation in wages, DA, Service Tax & Service charges as announced by the Tamil Nadu Government from time to time.

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(By Order of the Chairman)

E. Samuel Jeyapandian,
Chief Engineer/Gas Turbine Schemes.

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Memo.No.CE/Comml/EET/AEE1/F.Demand/D.38/2008 (Technical Branch), dated 25.3.2008.

Sub: Electricity - Extension of concession on Demand Charges and waiver of Peak hour extra charges for the period from 2/2008 to 5/2008 to HT Industrial consumer with CPP - Order issued by TNERC - Reg.

Ref: 1. Government's Lr.Ms.No.22 dt.17.3.2008.
2. TNERC Order No.110, dt.20.3.2008.

1. The Government have issued policy direction to Hon'ble Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission in the letter 1st cited for extension of concession to HT industrial consumers with CPP and to provide tariff subsidy of Rs.29.00 Crs for the period from 2/2008 to 5/2008.

2. Based on the above, the Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission has issued order in T.O.No.110, dt.20.3.2008 for the period from 2/2008 to 5/2008 as follows:-

- If the actual demand is reduced atleast by 30% of the average of demand recorded in the period of July 2007 to December 2007, then the demand charges may be payable only for the actual recorded demand only.
- If the consumption recorded in peak hour is less than 50% of the average peak hour consumption recorded during July 2007 to December 2007, then the peak hour extra charges for the consumption may be waived.

3. A copy of the TNERC's order No.110, dt.20.3.2008 is enclosed herewith for necessary action and implementation.

4. CFC/General (FC/REV) will issue necessary working instruction further in this regard for Item No.3(iii)(a), (b) & (d) TNERC Order for furnishing the same to TNERC.

Encl: Copy of TNERC
T.O.No.110 dt.20.3.2008.

S. Machendranathan.
Chairman.

Copy of :

TAMIL NADU ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

R. Balasubramanian
Secretary

To

The Chairman
TNEB,
800, Anna Salai,
Chennai - 600 002.

The Principal Secretary to Government
Energy Department,
Secretary,
Chennai - 600 009.

Lr.No.TNERC/DDT/F.Demand Subsidy/D.358/2008, dated 24.3.2008.

Sir,

Sub: Subsidy for reduction in Demand Charges and waiver of peak hour extra charges to HT consumers - Orders communicated.

Ref: TNERC order No.T.O.110, dated: 20.3.2008.

The order on subsidy for reduction in demand charges and waiver of peak hour extra charges to HT consumers with captive power plant is enclosed herewith for further action.

Secretary,
Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission.

BEFORE TAMIL NADU ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION, CHENNAI.

Order No.T.O.110, dated 20.3.2008.

Present:	Thiru S. Kabilan,	Chairman
	Thiru B. Jeyaraman,	Member
	Thiru R. Rajupandi,	Member

In the matter of: Subsidy for reduction in Demand Charges and waiver of peak hour extra charges to HT consumers with Captive Power Plants for reducing period from 2/2008 to 5/2008.

In Letter (Ms.) No.22 dated 17.3.2008, the Government of Tamil Nadu have issued the following directions under section 108(1) of the Electricity Act 2003.

- i) In order to overcome the power shortage during the summer 2008, the Government have decided to extend reduced demand charges and waiver of peak hour extra charges to the HT consumers who have Captive Power Plants so as to harness the power from Captive Power Plants as below:
 - a) If the actual demand is reduced atleast by 30% of the average demand recorded during July 2007 to December 2007, then the demand charges may be payable only for the actual recorded demand.

- b) If the consumption recorded in peak hours is less than 50% of the average peak hour consumption recorded during July 2007 to December 2007, then peak hour charges may be waived.
- ii) The implementation of the decision will result in a revenue loss of Rs.29 crores (Rupees twenty nine crores only) to TNEB.

	Rs. in Crores
Reduction in Demand Charges	24.00
Waiver of peak hour charges	5.00
	<u>29.00</u>

- iii) The Government will provide subsidy amount of Rs.29 crores (Rupees twenty nine crores only) to TNEB to compensate the revenue loss as per section 65 of the Electricity Act 2003 subject to adjustment of subsidy against actuals.

2. The TNEB in letter No.CE/Comml./EE/AEE1/FSIMA/D.36/2008 dated 17.3.2008 have requested the Commission to issue directions to TNEB and the Government respectively to extend the concession and to pay the subsidy.

3. The Commission approves the proposal of TNEB and issues the following directions.

- i) The TNEB shall extend the following concession to **HT Industrial consumer with Captive Power Plants** for the period from 2/2008 to 5/2008.
- a) If the actual demand during the period from 2/2008 to 5/2008 is reduced atleast by 30% of the average demand recorded during July 2007 to December 2007, then the demand charges may be payable only for the actual recorded demand.
- b) If the consumption recorded in peak hours during the period from 2/2008 to 5/2008 is less than 50% of the average peak hour consumption recorded during July 2007 to December 2007, then peak hour charges may be waived.
- ii) The Government of Tamil Nadu will pay a subsidy of Rs.29 crores immediately.
- iii) The TNEB shall furnish the following details with regard to the concessions extended to the HT consumers with Captive Power Plants before **31.7.2008**.
- a) Average demand of the HT consumers having Captive Power Plants during the period from 7/2007 to 12/2007.
- b) Recorded demand in each month during the period from 2/2008 to 5/2008.
- c) Average peak hour consumption by the HT consumers with Captive Power Plants during the period from July 07 to December 07 and actual peak hour consumption; during the period from 2/2008 to 5/2008.
- d) The subsidy receivable for reduction in demand and waiver of peak hour charges receivable as per actuals may be reconciled with the subsidy allowed and proposals for balance subsidy or recovery of subsidy sent by **31.7.2008** along with the above details.
- iv) Both the TNEB and the Government of Tamil Nadu will abide by the provision under section 65 of the Electricity Act 2003 which reads as below:

"Provided that no such direction of the State Government shall be operative if the payment is not made in accordance with the provision contained in this section and the tariff fixed by the State Commission shall be applicable from the date of issue of orders by the Commission in this regard.

(By Order of the Commission)

R. Balasubramanian,
Secretary.

Sc.No.277, Chengai EDC

Illustration I - Sanctioned Demand 35000 KVA

Month	Recorded Demand (KVA)	Month	Recorded Demand (KVA) (Below)	
7/07	29736	2/08	22023	Bill has to be raised only for Recorded MD
8/07	29234	3/08	21023	Bill has to be raised only for Recorded MD
9/07	30866	4/08	23023	Bill has to be raised for 90% of the sanctioned MD
10/07	32790	5/08	22025	Bill has to be raised only for Recorded MD
11/07	32999			
12/07	33145			
Total	188770			
Average	31462			
30% Reduction	9438.5			
Difference	22023.17			

The MD Charges to be levied only for the recoded demand if the Recorded demand is less than 22023.17 KVA during the month 2/08 to 5/08. If the recoded MD is more than 22023.17 KVA, 90% of the Sanctioned demand or actual recoded demand which ever is higher is to be billed.

Illustration II

Month	Peak Hour Consumption (KWhr)	Month	Peak Hour Consumption (KWhr) (Below)	
7/07	395113	2/08	1782685	no peak hour charges to be levied
8/07	3855336	3/08	1781005	no peak hour charges to be levied
9/07	3961988	4/08	1782690	peak hour charges to be levied
10/07	4506745	5/08	1780000	no peak hour charges to be levied
11/07	4233007			
12/07	4440036			
Total	21392225			
Average	3565371			
50% Reduction	1782685			
Difference	1782685			

The peak hour charges to be exempted if the units consumed in the peak hours is less than 1782685 units during the month 2/08 to 5/08. If it is more than 1782685 units, peak hour charges to be levied.

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