

TAMIL NADU GENERATION AND DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION LTD.
Technical Branch

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From

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To

All the Chief Engineer/Distribution Regions

Lr.No.CE/Comml/SE/Comml/EE3/AEE3/F.MoP/D.76/2018, dt. 05.04.2018

Sir/Madam,

Sub:- Electricity – Ministry of Power, Government of India – Instruction on electricity connection to the consumers and theft prevention - Reg.

Ref:-1.Mop Letters No.14/5/2011-APDRP (Vol-IV) – Part (1), dated 22-11-2017
2.Memo No.CE/Comml/SE/Comml/EE3/AEE3/F.MoP/D.54/2018, dt 09.03.18

As requested by the Ministry of power, Government of India vide reference (1) cited, instructions on shifting of meters outside the premises and faulty meters replacement have been issued to all the Chief Engineer/Distribution Regions vide reference (2) cited.

Further, all the Chief Engineers/Distribution Regions have been requested to follow certain guidelines in installing the consumer meters and requested to send the compliance report on the following matter on or before 31-03-2018:

- i. to shift all the consumer meters which are installed in the inaccessible private areas, or areas that are unsafe, inconvenient or unsuitable for entry by the Distribution Licensee duly collecting the shifting charge from the consumers,
- ii. to install the consumer meters in the place which shall be accessible to the consumer as well as Distribution Licensee for meter reading, installation, inspection and maintenance as the case may be

- iii. to provide terminal cover seals to all the existing consumer meters, where terminal cover seals are not provided

- iv. to install the meters only on provision of terminal cover seals.

But, till date none of the Chief Engineers/Distribution Regions have sent the report. In this regard, all the Chief Engineers/Distribution Regions are requested to instruct the EDCs under their control to follow the guidelines enumerated in the said instruction for installing the consumer meters and send the compliance report without fail.

Sd/- dated 05-04-2018

Chief Engineer/Commercial (a/c)

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Copy to the Executive Assistant to Director (Distribution)