TAMIL NADU GENERATION AND DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION LTD. Technical Branch

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Memo.No.CE/Comml/SE/Comml/EE3/AEE3/F.ToE/D-83/19, dt. 08.07.2019.

Sub:-Elecy – Celebration of Vinayagar Chadurthi festival – Instruction issued – Reg.

Ref:- 1.Memo.No.CE/Comml/SE/Comml/EE3/AEE3/F.ToE/D.02/19,dt. 07.01.2019 2.Lr.No.CE/Coml/SE/Coml/EE3/AEE3/F.Doc/D.195/18 dt.24.08.2018 3.Lr.No.CE/Coml/SE/Coml/EE3/AEE3/F.Doc/D.170/17 dt. 23.08.2017. 4.Memo No.CE/Comml/EE3/AEE3/F.NOC/D.573/10, dt 02-07-2010 5.ADGP Lr.No.013558/B12/AEE-2/2005-1, dated 18-11-2005.

In continuation to the instruction issued vide reference (1) cited regarding effecting of supply for celebration of religious festivals such as Vinayagar Chadurthi, etc., the following instructions are issued:

- a. The organisers of the festival shall apply for extension of supply from the existing service connection along with the requisition letter, consent of the owner of the service connection to tap electricity supply from his/her service connection, consent of the land owners where the idols are to be installed, undertaking from the owner of the service connections for billing under temporary supply tariff.
- b. In the case of supply which is to be extended from the existing service connection other than temporary supply, the consumed unit shall be the difference between the Final Reading (FR) and the Initial Reading (IR) and it shall be charged under the temporary supply tariff in the next billing cycle for which an undertaking may be obtained from the owner of the service connection agreeing to pay the CC charges under temporary supply tariff for the above period. Fixed charges shall also be collected under temporary supply category for a month or part thereof.

- c. In the case supply is not able to be extended from the existing metered connection, a new temporary supply shall be extended and charged accordingly.
- d. The AEE/O&M concerned shall take the Initial Reading (IR) from the energy meter before extending supply from the existing service connections to the festival lighting/loud speakers, etc. Once the festival is over, the Final Reading (FR) shall also be taken by the AEE/O&M concerned.
- e. The balance, if any in the deposit amount collected for extending temporary supply for Vinayagar Chadurthi festival during last year shall be returned to the applicant or it shall be adjusted against the initial deposit for availing temporary supply in this year for celebrating the above festival.

The field officials shall take effective steps by inspection of all the places where Vinayagar idols are placed and ensure that there is no theft of electricity during the oncoming Vinayagar Chadurthi festival celebrations in the public places.

> Sd/- dated 08-07-2019 Chief Engineer/Commercial for **Director (Distribution)**

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