



Uttar Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission

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To,

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Subject: Load ascertaining for Rural Consumers & Metering

Sir,

- 1) As you are aware that in the Tariff Orders for FY 2014-15, the rates of rural unmetered consumers have been converted from 'per connection' to 'per kW'. In this regard it has been a general grievance of many consumers under LMV-1 (a) and LMV-2 (a) categories having loads upto 2 kW that their contracted load is higher than their actual load. In respect to the same, the Distribution Licensees are directed to ascertain the actual load of such consumers so that the contracted load of such consumers should not be in variation with their actual load. Distribution Licensees should ensure that the above exercise gets completed within 3 months so that the consumers are not unnecessarily burdened. Keeping the same in mind, such consumers (under LMV-1 (a) and LMV-2 (a) categories having loads upto 2 kW) may be billed at the old tariff rates as per Tariff Orders for FY 2013-14 for the next 3 months.



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- 2) Further, it has come to the knowledge of the Commission that in many instances where unmetered connections have been issued, the costs of meters have been taken by the Distribution Licensees; however the meters have not been installed. The Distribution Licensees are directed to install meters of all such consumers as early as possible. Also, as per the provision of the Tariff Orders dated 1stOctober, 2014 all unmetered consumers including the unmetered rural consumers under category LMV-1 (a) and LMV-2 (a) have to get metered by 31stMarch, 2015. The Distribution Licensees are directed to prioritize metering of above mentioned consumer categories so that the same can get metered quickly.

The above is issued with the approval of the Commission.

Yours sincerely,

Arun Kumar Srivastava
Secretary