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To

**ALL MEMBERS,**

Dear Sir,

Members may be aware that TECA had challenged the TNERC Tariff order SMT No. 8 of 2014 & SMT No. 9 of 2104 dtd 11.12.2014 before APTEL vide Appeal No. 62 and 63 of 2015

**Main Grounds of our Appeal are as follows;**

(1) Violation of Section 64 of the Electricity Act, 2003 and non-compliance of the directions of this Appellate Tribunal regarding voltage wise cost of supply, cross subsidy charges and proper determination of time of the day (TOD) tariff before passing of the impugned order:

(2) Change of public hearing venue and inadequacy of required information and time in submitting views has vitiated the impugned order passed by the State Commission.

(3) Observations made by the Dissenting Member are binding upon the majority views by which the impugned order has been passed:

(4) Non-approval of capital investment plan:

(5) Approval of auxiliary consumption contrary to applicable regulations

(6) Violation of regulations while allowing employee cost and interest on loans taken to compensate losses prior to true up sought to be passed on to the consumers.

After several arguments our appeal was dismissed by APTEL vide order dated 02.03.2016.

**We are enclosing herewith APTEL Order for your information.**

With Warm Regards,

K. Ilango  
Secretary