

## TAMILNADU ELECTRICITY CONSUMERS ASSOCIATION

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### **CIRCULAR**

To

The Members,

Dear Sir,

#### **Sub: Additional Security Deposit payable to TANGEDCO.**

TANGEDCO has enhanced the additional Security deposit payable by consumers who are not in their own premises. The Security Deposit payable by consumers has been increased from 2 times to 4 times of the Average Monthly Current Consumption charges for those who receive monthly bills for charges

The consumers who receive bi-monthly bills the security deposit has been increased to 6 times average monthly current consumption charges does for HT consumers the deposit will be 4 times of the average monthly current consumption charges. And for the LT consumers it will be 6 times. Additional current consumption deposit will be payable by this May 30. TANGEDCO has made this enhanced security deposit applicable to the consumers who have leased land from SIPCOT. It may also applicable to consumers in SIDCO Industrial Estate.

Some consumers who are located in SIPCOT industrial Estate have gone a Writ Petition filed with Madras High Court and got order to be effect that the enhanced security deposit is not applicable to them. TECA has appealed to TANGEDCO to adopt the decision of the Madras High Court to all its consumers who are least lands from SIPCOT and SIDCO it has also return to SIPCOT to intervene in this matter. But so far no decision from TANGEDCO has come.

In view of this, the affected member of TECA may consider approaching the High Court for relief. In case the affected members are interested they may contact TECA immediately for assistance in this regard.

With Warm Regards,

(Sd/-)

D.Balasundaram  
President