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To

All Members,

Sub: OA consumers - Collection of Meter Rent – reg

Dear Sir,

You may be aware that TANGEDCO has been insisting that the Consumers who are availing Open Access Power either from captive sources or from third party to install ABT Meters.

TNERC vide its order No. order on M.P. No. 34 of 2014 dated 05.10.2015 has directed TANGEDCO not to collect ABT meter rent from the consumers who are willing to pay or paid the cost of the meter.

Based on this order TANGEDCO has circulated a Memo No. CE/Comml./SE/EE/R&C/AEE.2/F.ABT meters/D.345 /15 dtd 30.10.15 to its Officials not to collect meter rent from the consumers who have paid the cost of meter.

Even after these instructions, TANGEDCO offices in the field claim Meter Rent in the monthly bills even from consumers who paid the cost of ABT Meter and also not accepting meter cost from the consumers.

This was brought to the notice of the higher official's of TANGEDCO.

Hence TANGEDCO now issued a new Memo. No. CFC/Rev/FC/Rev/Meter Rent / D.No. 16/ dt. 10/2/2016 giving STRICT INSTRUCTIONS not to collect the Meter Rent from the OA Consumers who are willing to pay or have paid the cost of meter.

We are enclosing herewith the copy of above said Memo for your reference.

Members who have paid Meter Rent may send a claim letter requesting to refund the Meter rent already paid.

With Warm Regards,

K. Ilango
Secretary

