## TAMIL NADU ELECTRICITY CONSUMERS' ASSOCIATION

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CIRCULAR

To

ALL MEMBERS,

Sir

Sub: Verification of CGP Captive Status by SEs – Demand to submit certain documents by TANGEDCO.

Ref: 1) Various Circulars of TANGEDCO on verification of CGP status

- 2) Letter from TANGEDCO to Consumers seeking documents
- 3) Our Circular No.2017/2018/SD/001 & 2017/2018/SD/002 dtd 11<sup>th</sup> April 2017

In continuation to our Circular No. 001 dated 11<sup>th</sup> April 2017, we wish to inform you our members that we have not received any reply to the representation sent to CFC, TANGEDCO, Chennai in this matter. They have however sent a reply to TASMA wherein they have reiterated their stand about verification of CGP status.

In the meanwhile many members have informed that in spite of the reply sent to concerned SE's as per our advice vide our above referred Circular, they have received show cause Notice from TANGEDCO informing them that "if they fail to provide details it will be construed that you have no reply to furnish and the Cross Subsidy Surcharge will be included in the ensuing CC Bill".

We have discussed this issue with our Legal advisors and decided to challenge TANGEDCO's various Circulars issued in this matter. We propose to file a writ petition in this matter in a couple of days.

We will keep you informed on the updates as soon as possible we get the same. Hence members are requested to wait till the direction obtained from High Court.

However as we advised in our earlier mail, members having windmills of their own with 100% equity and when no other is involved in captive consumption of the energy from such windmills, they can produce the Audited Balance Sheet and other documents as demanded by the SEs concerned within the due dates prescribed. This action will be more practical to handle the issue without any further effort or process. However, in the event the Audited Balance Sheet is not ready, members can ask for additional time to submit the Audited Balance for FY 2016-17 only.

There are some members who use their group company windmills for captive consumption as the CGP norms. If so they can also submit the details called for and establish the CGP status.

With Warm regards,

K. Ilango Secretary