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To

All Members,

Dear Sir,

Sub: TNERC order upholding the peak hour charges and night time rebate on petition filed by TECA before APTEL

TECA had filed a petition before Hon'ble Appellate Tribunal for Electricity (APTEL) vide Appeal No. 199 of 2013 against TNERC Tariff order T.P.No.1 of 2013 dated 20.06.2013 (to be effective from 21.06.2013).

APTEL has passed an order dated 27.10.2014 directing TNERC on following matters.

- 1)** The State Commission shall determine voltage-wise cost of supply and corresponding cross subsidy for each category of consumers in the next tariff order
- 2)** The State Commission shall reconsider and re-determine the differential price of electricity for peak and off-peak hours
- 3)** The State Commission shall true up/provisionally true up the capitalization for FY 2013-14 immediately and to account for the shortfall with carrying cost while determining tariff for FY 2015-16 and to approve the capital investment plan of TANGEDCO for FY 2014-15 and FY 2015-16 after following due process of law and consider the same while approving tariff for FY 2015-16. This was to be done based on submission of actual accounts of capital expenditure and capitalization for FY 2014 and capital investment plan for FY 2015 and 2016.
- 4)** The State Commission shall re-determine rate for peak hours/off peak hours as per the findings in Appeal No.257 of 2012.
- 5)** The State Commission shall determine the voltage wise cost of supply as per the directions and determine cross subsidy transparently for FY 2012-13, 2013-14 and 2014-15 in the tariff order for 2015-16.
- 6)** The State Commission shall notify road map for reduction of cross subsidy as per the Tariff Policy after following due process of law.

This issue was taken up by TNERC vide Remand Application No. 1 of 2014 and No. 4 of 2014 and directed TANGEDCO to file its submission.

After detailed hearing TNERC has passed an order dated 31.07.2017.

We are enclosing herewith the copy of TNERC order for your ready reference.

With Warm Regards,

K. Ilango
Secretary