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## CIRCULAR

Sub: Usage of Station Auxiliary Supply for Operation and Maintenance activities in KPTCL Sub-stations - Reg.

Ref: 1. Note No. CEE/RT&R&D/KCO/131 dated 24.01.2020

- KERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Transmission Tariff)
  Regulations, 2006
- Tariff Order 2017 dated 11.04.2017
- Note approved by MD, KPTCL dated: 17.02.2020

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Power consumption inside the existing KPTCL Sub-station for the purpose of Operation & Maintenance is considered as auxiliary consumption of Station. The filtration of insulating oil of any Power Transformer in an existing Sub-station will be a part of operation and maintenance activity.

In case of new Sub-station under construction, the Agency to whom the work is awarded avails temporary power supply from local ESCOM for all construction activities including oil filtration work. Once the Sub-station is commissioned and taken over by KPTCL, the same becomes an asset of KPTCL as a STU and further internal consumption for Operation & Maintenance of Sub-station will be treated as auxiliary consumption of KPTCL.

As per the provisions under Regulation 3.3 of the KERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Transmission Tariff) Regulations, 2006, the charges for auxiliary energy consumption in the Sub-station / offices for the purpose of air-conditioning, lightning, technical consumption, etc., shall be borne by the Transmission Licensee as part of its normative operation and maintenance expenses.

KERC in its Tariff Order 2017 dated 11<sup>th</sup> April 2017 of BESCOM, has decided to fix single part tariff for auxiliary consumption of KPTCL Sub-station at the State Average Power Purchase Cost as approved by the Commission in the Tariff Orders issued from time to time.

As such all Station incharge Officers are required to comply with following aspects:

- Auxiliary consumption is allowed for all Operation & Maintenance activities of existing Sub-stations only.
- Operation & Maintenance activities includes air conditioning, lighting and other technical consumption including oil filtration, welding etc.
- iii. All such consumption shall be recorded in the energy meter provided in the Station for recording auxiliary consumption.

The above instructions shall be scrupulously followed.

Deputy General Manager (Tech.) 2020

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- 1. All Chief Engineers Electricity, KPTCL
- 2. All Financial Advisors, KPTCL
- 3. All Superintending Engineers, Electy., KPTCL
- 4. All Executive Engineers, Elect., KPTCL
- 5. Company Secretary, KPTCL, Kaveri Bhavan, Bengaluru
- 6. SPS to Managing Director / Director (Finance) / Director (Transmission) / Director (A&HR), KPTCL, Kaveri Bhavan, Bengaluru

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1. The Superintending Engineer (Elect.,), IT & MIS, with a request to arrange to upload this circular in KPTCL website.