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JODHPUR VIDYUT VITRAN NIGAM LIMITED (DEPTT.OF COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS)

NO.JdVVNL/CE(HQ)/SE(Comml)/CI/JU/2k3-04

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ORDER

Sub: Replacement of worn out/damaged service Line (PVC tapping).

The vigilance and O&M officers have reported on a number of occasions that they have observed a large number of consumer's existing service line, (particularly PVC tapping) in badly damaged conditions. Such a situation leads to frequent complaints of "No Power". Besides, it leaves ample chances of theft of electricity by the consumers who may take direct supplies through worn/cut portions of PVC, putting Discom to heavy financial loss. This also result in loss of energy as leakage of electricity tends to increase with cuts and worn out conditions of tapping.

In accordance with the provisions of Clause-4 (f) of "General Conditions of Supply, the service line shall be and remain the property of Discom and is to be maintained by a Discom.

This matter was considered by the Coordination Committee in its 57th Meeting held on 03-05-2003 wherein it was decided that the replacement of service line/PVC tapping, wherever necessary, shall be done by Discom at its own cost. However, in case it is established that the service line has been mischievously/deliberately damaged by the consumer, the replacement of service line would be done at consumer's cost.

Above order shall come into force with immediate effect.

By Order,

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