

**JODHPUR VIDYUT VITARAN NIGAM LIMITED**

No.JdVVNL/C&MD/CE(CPM)/SE(RA&C)/JU/2006-07/D.2792 Dt.23/3/07

ORDER

Sub : Compliance of directions issued by "Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board" to disconnect the electric supply of consumer(s) for non compliance of directions issued under Section 31(A) of the "Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act-1981" and Section-33 (A) of the "Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act-1974.

Instruction were issued from time to time in the matter, vide erstwhile R.S.E.B.'s Order No.Comml.-352 dt.15-01-98, Comml.-414, dt.26-12-98 and also vide Jodhpur Discom's Order No.Comml.JDP/174 dt.22-08-03 and Comml.JDP/300 dtd.24-11-05. It was made clear that whenever directions are received from Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board, under Sections-31 (A) & 33(A) of "Air & Water Pollution Acts" respectively, the same are required to be complied with immediately and compliance be reported to Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board (RSPCB).

RSPCB has complained that the field officers of the Nigam are not complying with the directions as contemplated in Air and Water Pollution Acts by not issuing notice of disconnection in case of defaulters and ensuring physical disconnection after expiry of notice period in case of continuance of default. It is pertinent to mention that in case of failure to comply with the directions under above cited Sections of Air & Water Acts, any person, officer or authority is liable to be punished with imprisonment for a period not less than one year and six months, which may extend to six years with fine also. Further for such cases the State Government will not intercede on behalf of any concerning officers in the event of any prosecution if launched by RSPCB for non compliance of such statutory directions.

It is, therefore, reiterated that whenever any directions are received from RSPCB under these Acts, the same be strictly complied with and report be furnished

to them. For making compliance of the directions, the field officer must issue a notice of 15 days to the consumer enclosing a copy of reference received from RSPCB in this regard, intimating that either they should produce clearance from RSPCB otherwise connection is liable to be disconnected after expiry of notice period of 15 days. If the consumer fails to comply with the above, the connection be disconnected without any further notice.

By Order,



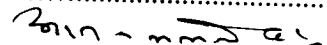
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CHIEF ENGINEER(CPM)

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Copy Submitted/ forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:

- 1) The Secretary (Energy), Govt. of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- 2) The Divisional Commissioner, Jodhpur/ Bikaner.
- 3) The District Collector, Jodhpur / Pali / Barmer / Churu / Jalore / Sriganganagar / Hanumangarh / Bikaner / Jaisalmer / Sirohi.
- 4) The Financial Adviser & Controller of Accounts, Jodhpur Discom, Jodhpur.
- 5) The Zonal Chief Engineer (O&M-JDZ/BKZ), Jodhpur Discom, Bikaner/Jodhpur.
- 6) The Dy.Chief Engineer(MM&C), Jodhpur Discom, Jodhpur.
- 7) The Chief Accounts Officer, Jodhpur Discom, Jodhpur.
- 8) The T.A. to Chairman & Managing Director, Jodhpur Discom / Ajmer Discom / Jaipur Discom, Jodhpur / Ajmer / Jaipur, for kind perusal of the C&MD
- 9) The Superintending Engineer (CC / DC / O&M / BFL / PP&M / TW /Vig./ M&P), Jodhpur Discom, Jodhpur / Pali / Barmer / Churu / Jalore / Sriganganagar / Hanumangarh / Bikaner / Jaisalmer
- 10) The Personal Secretary to Energy Minister, Secretariat, Jaipur:For kind perusal of Hon'ble Energy Minister, Govt. of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- 11) The O.S.D. (Monitoring), Govt. of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- 12) The Assisting officer to Ombudusman- Commissioner,Jodhpur, for kind perusal of Ombudusman.
- 13) The Addl.S.P.(Vigilance), Jodhpur Discom, Jodhpur. With spare copies for distribution amongst vigilance officers.
- 14) The Sr.Accounts Officer/Accounts Officer(O&M-CC / DC / Comml. / Audit), Jodhpur Discom, Jodhpur / Bikaner.
- 15) The Company Secretary, Jodhpur Discom, Jodhpur.
- 16) The Executive Engineer(O&M/DD...../A-B-C-Zone/City-I-II/ LC/ MIS/ DSM/ IA/ Training/Vigilance , Jodhpur Discom,.....
- 17) T.A. to Chief Engineer(CPM), Jodhpur Discom, Jodhpur.
- 18) The Public Relation Officer, Jodhpur Discom, Jodhpur.
- 19) The Assistant Engineer(O&M...../Rural/CSD-I-II-III.), Jodhpur Discom,.....with spare copies for distribution amongst all the JENs/ARO under your control.
- 20) Sh.....MP/MLA/ Jila Pramukh,



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