

MONTHLY REPORT OF IMPORTANT CASES FOR NOVEMBER, 2016

1. Important Government Orders issued :

Expenditure sanction issued for an amount of **Rs. 93,42,445/-** towards "Erection of an additional 22KV feeder (second feeder) in Underground Cable from 110/22-11KV Vengata Nagar Sub-station to Uppar Yard at Kamaraj Salai, Puducherry".

Expenditure sanction issued for an amount of **Rs. 79,75,516/-** towards "Strengthening of 110KV Bahour- Corcadu feeder and 110KV Bahour-Nathapattu feeder from Pinnatchikuppam to Bahour 110/22KV Sub-station by replacing the existing "Leopard" ACSR conductor by "Panther" ACSR Conductor".

Administrative approval accorded for the Supervision work towards "Erection of an additional Distribution Transformer namely" Pappammal Koil SS" 630KVA at a total estimated cost of **Rs. 30,22,897 /-** with Supervision charges of **Rs. 4,61,121 /-** for extension of power supply to three individual Apartments in Town North O & M area, Puducherry".

Approval of the Government has been conveyed for an amount of **Rs. 61,48,745/-** towards" Grant of incentive to the Technical and Work-charged staff of the Electricity Department , Puducherry for the months of June 2015 to December 2015 and the staff of Division-VI for the month of January 2015" vide Order No.G.27033/2/ID(P)D/2016/P1; dt: 04.11.16.

2. Financial Sanctions issued:

Expenditure sanction issued for an amount of **Rs. 40,000/-** per month towards "Hiring of one vehicle for use in the Office of the Executive Engineer-II, Electricity Department, Puducherry from Puducherry Tourism Development Corporation Limited (PTDC), for a period of 7 months from 01-09-2016 to 31-03-2017.

Expost-facto sanction issued for an amount of **Rs. 2,46,198/-** towards "Providing round the Clock security , house-keeping and gardening services for 230/110KV Thondamanatham Auto Substation through private agencies for a further period of six months from 01.03.2016 to 31.08.2016".

Expenditure sanction and Advance drawl order issued for an amount of **Rs. 1,90,440/-** towards "Power Transformer Oil Testing at all Substations under the control of Division-IV, Electricity Department, Puducherry at M/s. Power Grid Corporation of India Limited, Hosur.

Expenditure sanction issued for an amount of **Rs. 2,36,808/-** towards “Annual Maintenance Contracts for the maintenance of various Diesel generating Sets at Chief Secretariat, Legislative Assembly, Rajnivas & 230/110KV Bahour Auto Sub station”.

Expenditure sanction and Advance drawl order issued for an amount of **Rs.2,29,441/-** towards “Renewal of Annual Maintenance Contract for 2 nos of 40KVA UPS installed in the System Control Centre Building, Electricity Department on Proprietary Grounds from the firm M/s. Emerson Network Power(India) Pvt Ltd, Chennai”.

Expenditure sanction issued for an amount of **Rs. 25,09,055/-** towards “Payment of maintenance charges for the SCADA systems during the Defect Liability period of one year from 24.02.15 to 23.02.16 and maintenance contract period of one year from 24.02.16 to 23.02.17 to M/s. Alstom T & D Ltd. Noida.

3. Review Meetings conducted in regard to implementation of schemes / Works:

Meeting on review of Collection of arrears of current consumption charges held on 09.11.16 in the Chamber of the Secretary to Govt(Power), Chief Secretariat. All the Superintending Engineers and the Executive Engineers and all the Accounts Officers including the Financial controller have attended the meeting.

Meeting on review of Plan and Non-Plan expenditure including Negotiated Loan for the year 2016-17 held in the Conference Hall of the Electricity Department under the Chairmanship of the Secretary to Govt (Power) on 02.11.2016.

Meeting on review of availability of essential materials in the department, Grievance Redressal, extension of power supply to various category of consumers and pending applications held in the chamber of Secretary to Govt (Power), Chief Secretariat on 17.11.2016.

4. On ground field inspections made by Secretaries / Heads of Department:

The repair works of the 31.5 MVA Power Transformer at Venkata Nagar Sub-station was inspected by the Secretary to Govt. (Power) along with the Superintending Engineer-I on 31.10.2016.

In connection with the Nellithope Constituency Bi-election, the Superintending Engineer-I visited the Counting centre at Bharathidasan College on 18.11.16 for ensuring the preparedness of the department for the Election.

5. New initiatives that had been taken up by the Department:

- i) The 31.5MVA, 110/11KV Power Transformer at Vengata Nagar Substation which failed on 10.4.16 has been brought into service on 31.10.16 after attending major repair works.
- ii) One day seminar on "Roof Top Solar PV and Present trends" conducted by the National Thermal Power Corporation Limited(NTPC), Chennai for the Engineers of the Electricity Department on 03.11.16 at Hotel Accord, Puducherry.
- iii) 22KV Indoor panels have been erected for the proposed 16MVA,110/22KV Power Transformer at Vengata Nagar Sub-station.
- iv) In order to provide reliable power supply to Krishna Nagar area, the 11KV Krishna Nagar UG Cable feeder for a route length of 1.20kms has been energized from Venkatanagar 110 / 11 KV Sub-station on 2-11-16 and 4 Nos. of 315 KVA Distribution Transformers have been connected on 04-11-2016.
- V) Formation of disconnection squad for disconnecting the services of defaulted consumers at Karaikal region.

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3.Field visits undertaken

- a) **Date of visit** : 22.11.16
- b) **Place of visit** : Bharathidasan Govt College for Women, Election Counting Centre
- c) **Time spent** : 3 hours

Highlights of the visit,viz.,the benefits etc:

Maintenance of uninterrupted power supply to the counting centre.

4.Review Meetings held

- a) **Date** : 23.11.16
- b) **Department** : Electricity Department
- c) **Subject matter** : Collection of arrears of current consumption charges in the chamber of Secretary to Govt (Power)
- d) **Minutes issued** : Yes, being issued

5.Training Programmes arranged / Service matters attended to:

M/s. ABB, Chennai has conducted an interactive technical seminar on 25th November,2016 at Hotel Accord on presentation of "EHV products, Medium voltage products and Low Voltage products" to the Engineers of the Electricity Department. Around 35 Engineers of the department participated in the Seminar.

6.New initiatives that had been taken up by the Department:

- i) In order to make it convenient for the public of the villages in Karaikal, Mobile Collection counter at Karaikalmedu and Kilinjamedu was opened on 17.11.16 for payment of current consumption charges .

ii) Anti-Corruption pledge have been taken at various offices in the presence of officials and line staff.