

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MANAGING DIRECTOR

Sub: Hidden Leak-Revision of the concessional rate-reg.

NO. KWA/HO/RMC/R4/243/2010

Kerala Water Authority

Dated: 25/05/2015

Read: 1. Resolution No. 10097 of the 377th meeting of KWA held on 28/04/2015.

2. Proceedings No. KWA/HO/R6/1404/2012, dated 30/01/2013.

3. Resolution No. 8999 of the 352nd meeting of KWA held on 31/5/2012.

4. Govt. Order No. G.O. (MS) No. 92/2014/WRD dtd. 30/9/14

ORDER

Leak benefit is being allowed to the deserving consumers as per the guidelines enclosed herewith. The allowance of remission of revenue is sanctioned after ascertaining the merit of the individual representation made in the case of hidden leakage occurring to the inside installation to house connections, on the recommendation made by the Executive Engineer after conducting proper inspection and certification by the subordinate officers.

Leak benefit is being allowed to the deserving consumers at the concessional rate of Rs. 14/Kl instead of Rs.25/KL for monthly consumption exceeding 50KL as per reference 2nd cited. Now the water charge has been revised w.e.f 01-10-14 vide Govt. Order referred 3rd above. Normally incentive to the consumers due to hidden leakage on pipe line is allowed for the consumption above 50KL/M. The water charge for 50KL in the present rate is Rs. 700/- and Rs.40/- per every 1000 litres for consumption above 50KL. So the amount that leviable by KWA for consumption above 50KL/m may be fixed at Rs. 25/- for leak benefit. Thus the consumer will get a leak benefit of Rs. 15/- . The benefit shall be given to the consumers only once in a life time and the fact shall be recorded in the CPL.

The proposal for enhancing the concessional rate for leak as Rs.25/KL. and fixing the remission rate as Rs.15/KL is put up before the Board for a decision. The Authority discussed the matter in detail and resolved to allow the concessional rate of water charge at Rs. 25/KL for the consumption beyond 50KL per month caused exclusively due to hidden leakage in the inside installation of the consumers under the domestic category w.e.f 01-10-14. The Authority directed to collect the details of such benefits given to the consumers for 6 months period from

April 2015 and place the details in the Authority meeting to be held on October 2015 for review so as to take further decision in this regard.

In this circumstance orders are hereby issued to allow the concessional rate of water charge at Rs. 25/KL for the consumption beyond 50kl/month caused exclusively due to hidden leakage in the inside installation of the consumers under the domestic category w.e.f 01-10-14 and allow remission of Rs. 15/KL for such cases.

Sd/-

Managing Director

To

The Executive Engineer

P.H/W.S/H.W Division

Kerala Water Authority

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You are directed to submit the details of such benefits given to the consumers for 6 months period from April 2015 for placing the details in the Authority meeting to be held on October 2015 for review so as to take further decision in this regard.

Copy to : Chief Engineer, SR/CR/NR, TVPM/Kochi/KKD.

: All Superintending Engineers

Copy to : The DBA

Forwarded by Order


Accounts Officer(RMC) 25/5/15