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**COMMERCIAL CIRCULAR No. 180**

**Subject: Application of tariff category to Printing Press.**

**Reference:** 1. MERC Tariff Order dt. 16/08/2012 in the Case No. 19 of 2012.  
2. Commercial Circular No. 175 dt. 05/09/2012.

In the Petition submitted by MSEDCL for Tariff determination for FY 2012-13, applicability of tariff was defined. In this Petition a Chapter on Proposed Tariff Applicability was included. In this chapter exhaustive applicability of tariff was defined. While doing this in HT Category inadvertently printing press activity was included in Industrial as well as Commercial. However in case of LT category it was included only in LT Industrial category.

MERC has disposed of the said Petition by its Order dated 16<sup>th</sup> Aug, 2012. In this Tariff Order "Printing Press" activity is reflecting in the tariff schedule in HT I: HT- Industry as well as HTII: HT- Commercial categories also. However in case of LT category it is reflecting in LT Industrial category only.

Prior to Tariff Order of 2008 "Printing Press" was included in the industrial category. Even after this Tariff Order dt. 16/08/2012, Industrial tariff was applied to printing press activity.

In view of above, Competent Authority has given approval to continue "Printing Press" activity in Industrial Category only for both HT & LT consumers.

All field officers are requested to take due note of above decision of Competent Authority and issue the energy bills accordingly.

**Chief Engineer (Commercial)**

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