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REF. PR-3 /Abhay Yojana/

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**COMMERCIAL CIRCULAR No. 201**

**Subject:** Grant of 60 Nos. of instalments for payment of arrears of principal amount as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2012 under “Abhay Yojana” in respect of Rural / Urban Public Water Works (Live and PD consumers).

**Reference:** 1. Commercial Circular No. 163 dt. 19/04/2012.  
2. Board Resolution No. 86 dt. 17/06/2013.

The “Abhay Yojana” for write off of Interest and DPC (as on March 2012) for Live & PD Public Water Works, PD Industrial Consumers, Live & PD Residential (BPL/Tribals/RGGVY Consumers) & other Residential Consumers (Only PD) is being implemented vide Commercial Circular No. 163 dt. 19/04/2012.

Thereafter vide Commercial Circular No. 195 dt. 15/04/2013, Live/PD Street Light connections of Mahanagar Palika & Nagar Palika and Live Lift Irrigation Scheme are included in the “Abhay Yojana” and the validity of this scheme is extended upto 30<sup>th</sup> September 2013.

At present maximum 24 equal monthly instalments for payment of principal amount is allowed to Public Water Works which is payable with current bills.

Now Competent Authority has decided to increase number of instalments for payment of arrears of principal amount as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2012 in respect of Rural / Urban Public Water Works (Live and PD consumers) under “Abhay Yojana” as under.

- **Maximum 60 instalments is allowed to Rural / Urban Public Water Works (Live and PD consumers) for payment of arrears of principal amount as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2012 under “Abhay Yojana” which will payable with current bills.**

Other terms and conditions as per Commercial Circular No. 163 are reproduced as under.

1. 100% interest and 100% DPC amount as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2012 is to be waived off.
2. If not paid as per schedule, supply shall be disconnected observing MSEDCL's procedure.
3. In case litigation, if the decree is not executed, the same will also get covered in this scheme.
4. Legal expenses to be borne by the respective consumer.
5. In case of PD consumers, new connections be released as per the existing rules.
6. In case of non-payment of principal arrears, interest will accumulate as per specified rules, from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2012.

7. Current bills should be paid regularly. Interest and DPC is applicable as per rules to current bills (bills issued after 31<sup>st</sup> March 2012).

The procedure for effective implementation the above decision is as under:

- i) The validity of participation in the scheme is extended up to 30/09/2013.
- ii) The consumers who have not participated earlier due to inability to pay arrears in 24 instalments can now be considered for 60 instalments.
- iii) The consumer who have participated in the scheme and paid some instalments (i.e. 4 instalments) out of 24 instalments & if requested for 60 instalments, paid instalments are to be considered for giving in all 60 instalments.  
(i.e. 60 – 4 paid instalments = 56 are to be given)
- iv) The consumer who pays instalments as per schedule, need not be charged interest.
- v) The consumer participated in the scheme has to pay their current bills (bills after 31<sup>st</sup> March 2012) regularly, failing which will attract Interest & DPC as per rules.

All field officers are requested to inform the Rural / Urban Public Water Works (Live and PD consumers) regarding above decision and give wide publicity so as to implements the scheme successfully.



**Chief Engineer (Commercial)**

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